

The Queensland Plan

A 30-year vision for Queensland



Queensland Plan Ambassadors Council meeting communiqué

26 March 2024

The Queensland Plan Ambassadors Council (the Council) held its first meeting of 2024 in Brisbane on 26 March 2024. The Council welcomed Ambassadors who had travelled from across Queensland and those participating virtually. The focus of this meeting was the *Queensland Plan's* foundation areas of 'Regions' and 'Infrastructure, Community'.

Review of the Queensland Plan

The Council was informed of the upcoming five-year review of the Queensland Plan. The Ambassadors expressed interest in playing a proactive role and will be consulted on the upcoming review of the Queensland Plan.

The Queensland Plan foundation area – Regions

Rebecca McGarrity, Deputy Director-General, Policy, and Emma Ogilvie, Executive Director, Social Policy, from the Department of the Premier and Cabinet provided an update on the *Putting Queensland Kids First: Giving our kids the opportunity of a lifetime* strategy and consultation process.

The Queensland Plan foundation area – Infrastructure, Community

Hamish Bessant, Director of Strategy, Department of Housing, Local Government, Planning and Public Works presented on *Homes for Queenslanders*. Mr Bessant provided an overview of the government's new 20-year strategy for housing.

Next steps and outcomes

The Council requested the next meeting to focus exclusively on the review of the Queensland Plan.

Next meeting

The Council will hold its next meeting in Brisbane in June 2024.