

Glossary

Term	Description
Administrative Arrangements Orders	Set out the principal responsibilities of government ministers and their portfolios.
Advancing Our Cities and Regions (AOCR) Strategy	Announced on 6 October 2016, this strategy is a 10-year property and infrastructure program focused on delivering innovative approaches to renewing and repurposing surplus and underutilised government property to deliver economic, community and financial outcomes for Queenslanders.
Biofutures Acceleration Program (BAP)	This program aims to attract and support development of new or expanded commercial-scale biorefinery projects.
Biofutures Commercialisation Program	This program seeks to attract national and international bioindustrial expertise to partner with Queensland researchers and/or businesses to scaleup and test new or improved technologies and processes at the pilot or demonstration scale.
Biofutures Industry Development Fund	This fund helps companies with new projects reach a point at which they can better access venture capital, supporting companies pursuing innovative industrial biotech and bioproducts projects.
Building our Regions (BoR)	A targeted regional infrastructure program for local government projects. The primary purpose of the BoR program is to provide funding for critical infrastructure in regional areas of the state, while also generating jobs, fostering economic development and improving the liveability of regional communities.
Community hub	<p>Typically a collection of facilities clustered together on the same or adjoining sites to form a focal point for activities. Hubs can include facilities and services supporting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sport and recreation • health and well being • education and learning • community services • public transport and active transport nodes • commercial spaces and offerings • cultural amenities • open spaces. <p>The same integrated service benefits for clients and communities can be achieved through a ‘virtual’ hub, where services and functions are connected and delivered collaboratively even when services are located separately.</p>

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Community partnership	A shared approach to the planning and delivery of services and facilities across a geographical area.
Coordinated Project	<p>A proponent of a project with one or more of the following characteristics may apply to have it declared a ‘coordinated project’ under the <i>State Development and Public Works Organisation Act 1971</i> (SDPWO Act):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • complex approval requirements, involving local, state and federal governments • significant environmental effects • strategic significance to the locality, region or state, including for the infrastructure, economic and social benefits, capital investment or employment opportunities it may provide significant infrastructure requirements.
Engineering, Construction and Resources Innovation Hub (ECRi Hub)	Established to link innovative technology, end users, investors and international partners to identify commercial opportunities throughout Queensland.
Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)	A document prepared to describe the potential impacts of a proposed activity on the environment, and ways to avoid, minimise or mitigate potential negative impacts of a project.
Igniting METS Accelerator	A joint initiative between the Queensland Government and METS Ignited – the national growth centre for METS – and operated by KPMG.
Industry and Manufacturing Advisory Group (IMAG)	<p>Supporting the state’s \$19 billion manufacturing industry, this group assists industry growth by concentrating on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • changing demand and emerging opportunities • productivity and competitiveness • innovation and technology • local content, business costs and regulation.
Integrated Resort Developments (IRDs)	<p>A high-quality, mixed use destination aimed at providing tourism, leisure and entertainment facilities that appeal to as broad a demographic as possible, including the international market. An IRD could include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • iconic architecture with expansive high amenity public realm • five or six-star hotels • arcades, casino, pools, salons, gyms and other recreational facilities • meeting and conference spaces • tourist attractions including maritime museums and aquariums • theatre and convention facilities • cinemas • boutique retail • bars • celebrity chef restaurants.

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Jobs and Regional Growth Fund (JRGF)	<p>A \$150 million program that is part of the government’s broader Jobs and Regional Growth Package targeted at growing regional economies and creating jobs for Queenslanders.</p> <p>The fund is helping to facilitate private sector projects that create employment and economic growth opportunities in regional areas. The fund focuses primarily on regions outside South East Queensland however, projects located in all areas with higher than average unemployment may be considered.</p>
Made in Queensland (MiQ)	<p>A \$40 million grants program supporting Queensland’s manufacturing sector to become more internationally competitive and to adopt innovative processes and technologies.</p>
Prescribed Projects	<p>The Minister may, by gazette notice, declare a project to be a ‘Prescribed Project’. A Prescribed Project is one which is of significance, particularly economically and socially, to Queensland or a region. In deciding whether to declare a prescribed project the Minister may consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • public interest • potential environmental effects • other matters considered relevant. <p>If a Prescribed Project is considered to be ‘critical or essential’ for economic, social or environmental reasons to Queensland, the Minister may also declare it a ‘critical infrastructure project’.</p>
Priority Development Area	<p>A site declared by the state government to facilitate the development of land in Queensland for economic development or community purposes.</p>
Priority industries	<p>As part of the Advance Queensland program several industry sectors were identified as emerging priority industries to be supported to build their competitive strengths and to create the knowledge-based jobs of the future. They include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced manufacturing • Aerospace • Biofutures • Biomedical • Defence • Mining Equipment, Technology and Services (METS).
Royalties for the Regions (R4R)	<p>A program now closed that provided support for infrastructure projects that addressed identified local needs. The program was replaced by the BoR program.</p>
State Development Areas	<p>Clearly defined areas of land—for industry, infrastructure corridors and major public works—established to promote economic development in Queensland. Development in these areas is overseen by the Coordinator-General.</p>

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Social Impact Assessment	<p>A study that identifies the potential social impacts directly related to a project and proposes strategies to capitalise on social opportunities and to avoid, mitigate and manage the identified project impacts.</p> <p>A social impact assessment generally covers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • community and stakeholder engagement • workforce management • housing and accommodation • local business and industry content • health and community wellbeing.
Terms of reference	<p>Describes the purpose and structure of a project, committee, meeting, negotiation or any similar collection of people who have agreed to work together to accomplish a shared goal.</p>
Whole-of-government	<p>A term used to refer to all Queensland Government departments and agencies.</p>

