



GLADSTONE REGIONAL COUNCIL

EXTRACT FROM

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

**HELD AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS - CIVIC CENTRE
101 GOONDOON STREET, GLADSTONE**

On Tuesday 7 February 2017

**Mark Holmes
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

G/4. OFFICERS' REPORTS

G/4.1. OFFICE OF THE CEO

G/4.1.1. WORKS FOR QUEENSLAND - PROJECT NOMINATION

File Ref: GS3.2

Purpose:

The purpose of this report is to seek Council's endorsement of Projects for the 2016-17 Works for Queensland Program.

Officer's Recommendation:

1. That Council endorse the following projects for submission to the Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning for the \$6,000,000 allocated to Gladstone Regional Council under the 2016-17 Works for Queensland funding program:-

Project Title	Project Description	Total Cost
Lions Park - A Sensory Haven for People of all Abilities	The project is a redevelopment of existing passive parkland adjacent to a major retail precinct. An Australian first, Leonardo da Vinci inspired design, incorporating 24 hour activated play area integrating sensory features accommodating children and adults with disabilities including (but not limited to): sensory processing disorder, auditory processing disorder, visual impairment, down-syndrome, autism, cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy, and spina bifida.	\$3,318,716 (Excluding GST)
Tom Jeffery Park – A Contemporary Beachside Recreational Area	Redevelopment of parkland which forms the entrance to the Agnes Water main beach commensurate with the importance of the area to the tourism industry of the region. A new ablution facility capable of coping with future demand; Surf Life Saving Queensland first aid room and storage; upgrade of playground; landscaping; carpark; seating; shelters and; BBQs are incorporated in the project.	\$981,000 (Excluding GST)
Mount Larcom – Community Recreation Hub	The project aims to enhance and develop an existing youth/sport/community recreation precinct through the development of new facilities: children's play park; outdoor exercise equipment; outdoor furniture and; community garden.	\$210,000 (Excluding GST)
Accelerated Gravel Program	Sealing dirt roads to reduce maintenance costs, improve air quality for nearby residents, and increase road safety.	\$1,490,284

2. That Council endorse the following projects for submission to the Department of Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning should additional funds be made available to Gladstone Regional Council under the 2016-17 Works for Queensland funding program:-

Project Title	Project Description	Total Cost
Harvey Road Upgrade	Reconstruction of pavement and upgrade of road adjacent to school, improving school safety and access	\$2,000,000
Tannum Sands Primary School Bus Bay & Stop Drop and Go	Construction of a new stop drop and go and bus bay at Tannum Sands State School	\$250,000

G/17 /2977 Council Resolution:

Moved Cr Masters
Seconded Cr Hansen

That the Officer's Recommendation be adopted.

CARRIED