

Strategic theme 2: Places

The unique character and liveability of Redlands Coast is preserved and bettered through placemaking, planning and management of community assets. Our neighbourhoods are vibrant and liveable and reflect local character.

Guiding Objectives

Objective	Key initiatives	Council's Role
Strategic planning embraces opportunities to deliver community facilities that respond to current and future social, environmental and economic needs of our communities.	Recognise the uniqueness of communities, including their strengths and challenges, in planning considerations.	Deliver
	Ensure the planning, delivery and operation of community infrastructure is evidence based, using a range of data sources.	Deliver
	Provide a network of affordable, functional spaces for hire or lease to meet the needs of our communities.	Deliver, Partner
Community infrastructure is fit for purpose, welcoming, inclusive, and well utilised.	Locate and design accessible, fit-for-purpose community facilities and spaces that foster inclusion for all people and support delivery of essential services.	Deliver, Partner
	Promote community facilities as meeting places for essential support, connection and recreation.	Deliver
	Develop and implement a Community Halls Action Plan to guide provision and management and community involvement for a broad cross section of the community.	Deliver, Partner
Engage our communities in co-design activities to sustain and enhance the liveability of neighbourhoods through placemaking.	Continue to provide funding programs to support a place-based approach to enhancing activation, promotion and vibrancy of the city.	Deliver, Facilitate
	Support place-based approaches to community capacity building projects across Redlands Coast to foster connection between residents and their community.	Facilitate, Partner
	Engage our community to co-design aspects of the liveability of their neighbourhoods through planning, placemaking and the management of community assets.	Facilitate, Partner
Our residential islands benefit from consolidated and strategic planning.	Advocate for appropriate funding models for Redlands Coast residential islands to facilitate access to appropriate and greater funding.	Advocate
	Develop a roadmap to improve infrastructure on Redlands Coast residential islands.	Deliver

Communities across Australia are focusing on the local through a systems lens. Frameworks such as Asset-based community development seek to reverse the views of broad systems ‘back to local’ with collective commitment and goals, along with clear processes for community led co-design.

CONSULTANT’S REPORT

Redland City Council has an important local advocacy role and will receive community support to advocate for improved funding options and portfolios for Redland City and its diverse communities

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Urban funding models are used that don’t fit the islands’ needs, whilst funded services deliver ‘outreach’ services that rarely work, whereas place-based responses are required.

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