

Australian Institute of Landscape Architects

2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games Priorities

Priority 1: Good Design Games

- Create a full-time position for Principal Landscape Architect in the Office of the Queensland Government Architect (OQGA).
- Embed First Nations perspectives in collaboration and empowerment through design, construction and operation.
- Apply QDesign principles when setting project briefs, RFQ's and assessment criteria.
- Apply Healthy Places, Healthy People Framework & Principles from Queensland Health in setting project briefs, RFQ's and assessment criteria.
- Empower community by facilitating public participation in decision making at key stages of the planning and design phases.

Priority 3: Green and Blue Games

- Allocate appropriate budgets for urban green and blue infrastructure enhancements and biodiversity improvements.
- Apply Urban Green Infrastructure standards to inform policy and support best practice for planning and development.
- Adopt a separate category for Green Infrastructure in the State Infrastructure Strategy.
- Standardise increasing open space, canopy and green cover provisions for building and development.
- Monitor and reduce Heat Island Effect across new infrastructure enhancements to create cooler comfortable urban environment.
- Implement a holistic street tree program with advanced tree stock in targeted locations.

Priority 2: Climate Positive Games

- Apply climate positive design and operations in new projects that sequester more greenhouse gases than holistic emissions.
- Provide available and transparent auditing methods for carbon positive initiatives.
- Reuse existing infrastructure and embed sustainable material and design in new facilities.
- Increase green infrastructure that provides cool green open spaces for communities post the Games.
- Incorporate biodiversity positive design approaches into all new green and blue infrastructure.

Priority 4: Well connected Games

- Connect venues throughout Queensland to promote low carbon public transport. Strengthen the local economy and celebrate a sense of community through walkable connections.
- Deliver a network that enables safe, comfortable and efficient Active Travel choices between Games venues and surrounding communities that becomes legacy infrastructure.
- Provide multipurpose green public spaces that facilitate strong community connection, inclusion, health and exchange.

We lead a dynamic and respected profession committed to creating great places that support healthy communities and a sustainable, liveable planet

