

B. Council services

Councils deliver a range of different services. They also structure their services in different ways. The following lists the services the five councils deliver to their communities.

Figure B1 lists the 40 services delivered by Bundaberg Regional Council.

Figure B1
Services delivered by Bundaberg Regional Council

Services			
Age care and seniors villages	Disaster management	Local laws	Regulated parking
Airports	Fleet management	Moncrieff Entertainment Centre	Roads
Animal control	Footpaths and network pathways	Multiplex	Showgrounds and recreational precinct
Arts centres	Governance	Museums and attractions	State emergency services
Caravan and holiday parks	Gracie Dixon Respite Centre	Natural resource management	Stormwater drainage
Cemeteries	Hall of aviation	Neighbourhood centres	Tourism and visitor information services
Community care and support	Health services	Parks and open space	Waste and recycling
Community development	Laboratory services	Planning development	Wastewater services
Community halls and facilities	Land protection	Pools	Water safety and boating facilities
Councillors and executive offices	Libraries	Racecourse	Water services

Source: Queensland Audit Office from council plans.



Figure B2 lists the 21 services delivered by Longreach Regional Council.

Figure B2
Services delivered by Longreach Regional Council

Services			
Administration	Child care	Civil construction and maintenance operations	Commercial services
Communities	Disaster management	Economic development and tourism	Environmental health
Financial accounting	Governance	Human resources	Leasing and land management
Libraries	Local laws/rural lands	Media relations	Planning and development
Public facilities	Regional coordination	Waste	Water and sewerage operations
Wild Dog Exclusion Fence Scheme			

Source: Queensland Audit Office from council plans.

Figure B3 lists the 32 services delivered by Noosa Shire Council.

Figure B3
Services delivered by Noosa Shire Council

Services			
Aged and disability support	Beaches and coastal foreshores	Canals and waterways	Cemeteries
Community development	Cultural development	Customer service	Development services
Disaster management	Economic development	Elected council	Financial and revenue services
Fleet	Governance	Holiday parks	Land and habitat conservation
Libraries	Lifeguards	Local laws and public safety	Pathways
Boardwalks and recreation trails	People and culture	Procurement	Public amenities (toilets)
Public health	Public lighting	Recreation parks	Road network
Sport and recreation	Stormwater drainage and flood mitigation	Traffic and transport	Waste and resource management

Source: Queensland Audit Office from council plans.



Figure B4 lists the 28 services delivered by Western Downs Regional Council.

Figure B4
Services delivered by Western Downs Regional Council

Services			
Art galleries	Building and plumbing certification	Cemeteries	Cinemas
Commercial roadworks	Community housing	Environmental management	Footpath mowing
Function hire facilities	Gas	Home care	Internet
Landing facilities (airports and aerodromes)	Libraries	Parks and gardens	Pest management including dog pounds
Planning and development approval	Public toilets	Quarry and gravel pits	Residential aged care (nursing homes)
Saleyard	Sewerage	Swimming pools	Transport services (roads and streets)
Visitor information services	Washdown facilities	Waste	Water

Source: Queensland Audit Office from council plans.

Figure B5 lists the 15 services delivered by Whitsunday Regional Council.

Figure B5
Service delivered by Whitsunday Regional Council

Services			
Bushfire management	Caravan parks	Coastal management	Collinsville Independent Living Facility
Cultural heritage	Environmental health	Environmental services	Events
Grants	Library services	Local law services	Mosquito management
NRM advice to town planning	Pest management	Trade waste	

Source: Queensland Audit Office from council plans.

