## **Bringing Back Manufacturing**

The COVID-19 pandemic has demonstrated how fragile local supply chains are and reinforced the importance of making things right here in Queensland. The government will now establish Manufacturing Skills Queensland to support industry participants, invest \$15.5 million in grants to focus on onshoring and reshoring of key industries and build a Manufacturing Hub, just south of Logan and Redlands to strengthen local capability.



Local advocates, Raaidyn and Heather, take our campaign for Queensland manufacturing to the Queensland Parliament and direct to Minister for Manufacturing, Glen Butcher.

## **Jobs For Locals**

The \$51.8 billion Queensland Government Infrastructure guarantee provides industry with confidence to invest and sustain jobs across Queensland. The 4-year investment program is the largest in nearly a decade and will sustain activity and jobs in the State's construction sector for workers like the team from FireVac Services in Shailer Park. Add to this our continued implementation of security of payment reforms that will deliver:

- A simplified Project Bank Account framework, now called Trust Accounts,
- Greater prosecuting powers to the QBCC to investigate false statutory declarations,
- More ways for builders to recoup monies owed, including charges on land and payment withholding requests on financiers.
- Greater transparency of the certification process to increase consumer confidence.
- More effective regulatory powers for the boards of architects and engineers, improving confidence in the safety and quality of the built environment.



Updating local fire protection sector tradies on the infrastructure guarantee and our security of payment reforms implementation timetable.

 A statutory review into the role of property developers, including their workplace practices, in the construction industry.

# Mick de BRENNI MP

Member for Springwood

**SUMMER EDITION 2020** 

## This is what I will deliver



Springwood locals. Rex and Beryl, advocated and secured a \$2 million upgrade that will include accessibility upgrades at Daisy Hill bushland.

## **Message from Mick:**

#### Dear neighbour,

I want to acknowledge all of the support that was shown by our community for our plan for better schools, better hospitals, better roads and jobs for locals.

It is my honour to be back to work on your behalf, to deliver on our local plan.

Queenslanders have shown we can prevail even when the deck is stacked against us. We are winning the battle against COVID-19 and our economic recovery plan is in full swing.

The Palaszczuk Government is getting on with the job of preparing a Budget before Christmas.

In the Springwood Electorate Office, my team has put together our next round of mobile offices so that you continue to get access to me as your local representative.

Being your Member of Parliament allows me to stand up for our great local service providers, volunteer based organisations and local businesses to make sure you get a fair go from the government.

I'm proud of my active association with our community groups and associations over many years.

I'll keep working hard to bring people together in our local community.

Please feel free to give me a call if there's anything I can help you with.

Yours sincerely,

Mick de Brenni MP

Commemorating Remembrance Day 2020 at Springwood Park with representatives of the Springwood Tri-Services RSL Sub Branch, L-R, Mick de Brenni, John Diamond, Dave Simmons and Errol Phillips.

## Remembering **Fallen Soldiers**

Our local defence veterans have served us in wars, conflicts and peacekeeping missions. At home, our serving members of the Australian Defence Forces have been there for us in our times of need as together we have fought floods, fires and now a devastating global pandemic.

The government will invest \$10 million over four years for services and programs to support veterans and their families in Queensland including upgrades to Memorials and Commemorative Events. funds to support veterans at risk of homelessness and programs to assist with employment and training.

## Catch up with Mick any time. Here's how:

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UNDERWOOD

Rochedale South



#### Better schools — new hall for **Rochedale State High School**

The very popular Rochedale State High will join with Springwood, Shailer Park and Victoria Point State High schools with new or refurbished halls, ensuring a strong pipeline of economic activity and local jobs to support the COVID-19 recovery effort.

Sheldon

#### **Progressing the Mount Cotton State School Master Plan**



Work will continue to deliver on the Mount Cotton State School Master Plan by investing in new facilities for local families. Future stages of the Master Plan encroach on existing play space and a new school oval will be built to make way for future building upgrades. A full size school oval will see both the opportunity to return inter-school sport back to Mount Cotton and potential for more young athletes to emerge. The development will be supported with new amenities because local kids deserve the best.

#### **Sports facilities for Springwood Road State School**

To ensure local kids have access to quality facilities, we'll deliver an upgrade to the school's playing surface so that sport can be played safely. This will build on the long term success of the P&C's investment in sport and



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#### **Next stage of Daisy** Hill Action Plan more and better trails

Our extra \$2 million investment into the 2nd stage of the Daisy Hill Action Plan will deliver new and upgraded mountain bike trails, more disability and mobility access, improved trailheads and upgraded walking trails through the forest. To take part in the delivery of the Action Plan - nominate here: www.bit.lv/DHAPstage2



## Venman Bushland

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National Park

Currently it's a narrow, windy, dangerous road. It shouldn't be like that; and I'm proud to let you know, that it won't be for much longer. The upgrades between California Creek Rd and Mount Cotton Rd will include 2 lanes each way, a second bridge over California Creek, a pedestrian and cycle path, safety barriers and high friction surface treatments.

### Jobs for locals — fire station for Mount Cotton

A \$12.2 million fully operational, 24/7 fire station will be delivered by local tradies in 2021, significantly boosting the local economy and bringing more full time firefighters with off-road and bushfire fighting capacity to prepare for future growth in the region.



#### **Better hospitals — Redland Hospital** expansion and **Australian first Satellite Hospital**

In a national first, we'll use local tradies to build a new satellite hospital, tailored to the needs of our community. We will deliver better care, close to home and add to the major expansions of both Redland and Logan Hospital.

### More frontline service personnel

We will continue to bolster local services with 6190 extra teachers. 1139 extra teacher aides. 9475 healthcare workers. 2025 more police personnel and 357 extra firefighters.

#### **Building a second M1**

South of the Logan River work will get underway on the \$1.5 billion. 16 km stage one route of the Second M1 between Coomera and Nerang, which will support hundreds of local jobs. (I can confirm that the gazetted route doesn't impact Daisy Hill Forest.)

Mount Cotton

#### Better roads — delivering the M1 upgrade and Busway extension

A record investment in the M1 will continue under a \$5 billion plan to slash travel times and support more than 3600 jobs. The



centrepiece of the plan is the \$1 billion M1 upgrade and Busway extension between Daisy Hill and Loganholme. The project will be progressively rolled from north to south, with work on the detailed designs that will see the full completion of the project to commence.

Shailer Park

\*This is a snapshot of some key initiatives the government will deliver. A more comprehensive package is outlined at my webpage.