Outcome 2. Vibrant Communities

Community Facilities and Public Spaces

Community facilities and public spaces include libraries, community centres and halls, cultural and arts facilities, sports facilities and fields, aquatic centres, parks and playgrounds, trails and pathways, recreational open space, dog parks and civic spaces. This infrastructure supports community connection, civic participation and health and wellbeing.

Priority Areas:

- Community infrastructure is safe, welcoming, inclusive, adaptable, well used and activated.
- The planning, delivery and management of community infrastructure is driven by evidenced need.
- Public spaces are activated, vibrant, green, accessible, inclusive and reflect local character.

Trends:

- Ongoing infrastructure investment is required to maintain current standards of liveability for our growing Sunshine Coast community.

Examples of Existing Council Initiatives:

- Environment and Liveability Strategy review
- Caloundra South (Aura) Community Infrastructure Plan review
- Ongoing network planning
- Community halls and arts spaces directory
- Assessing opportunities for multi-use arrangements during community facility lease renewals.

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