

Make your Splash!

Sunshine Coast Regional is preparing a Regional Aquatics Strategy.

The Strategy is intended to provide Council with a clear and achievable direction for 'built aquatic facilities and services' (i.e. excluding natural waterways like rivers and beaches) to address community needs over the next 15 years.

Consultants *Strategic Leisure Group* have been engaged to assist in the preparation of the Strategy. They will be reviewing the aquatic facility and program needs of the entire Sunshine Coast Region, ranging from aquatic sports and leisure swimming, to preventative health and infant water familiarity.

Council wants the Strategy to ensure that maximum use is made of existing aquatic facilities and programs; and to identify future developments that will increase and/or enhance community use and participation in aquatic sports and recreation.



How do I get Involved?

Council invites all interested residents and community groups to 'have their say' in developing this important planning strategy.

Our aquatic centres play a major role in ensuring we maintain a safe and healthy lifestyle. We know many residents have ideas and comments on existing facilities and future needs. So, to ensure the Strategy is comprehensive and realistic, a wide ranging community engagement program has been developed.

You will be able to have your say by ...

- Completing an on-line survey
- Attending a Community Forum in your area
- Email, blogs, focus groups, facebook, organisation surveys, or written submissions

Register your interest in the study by contacting the project team:

- SMS: 0412 395102
- Email: scpools@strategicleisure.com.au
- Phone: 1300 734 626 (local call cost)
- Facebook: (search the email address above)

More information about Community Forums, surveys and other consultation will be available on Council's website and local media in November. Follow the prompts to the Regional Aquatics Strategy at www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au.