

Lowood Swimming Pool



PROONENT

SOMERSET REGIONAL COUNCIL



In November 2022, Council completed construction on Stage 1 of the redevelopment of the Lowood Swimming Pool.

Since these upgrades, attendance at the facility has skyrocketed – with more than 32,000 visits in 2024-2025, exceeding the 2016-2017 visitation record of 20,891 by more than 36%.

The Club now has more than 60 members and continues to grow. Their existing clubhouse was installed on site in the late 1980s.

Operations of the Lowood Swimming Pool remain seasonal. Further infrastructure would need to be installed to extend facility operations into winter months. A new enclosed program pool would facilitate year-round learn-to-swim, aqua aerobics and hydro-therapy functions.

BENEFITS TO THE REGION

- A new clubhouse and multipurpose facility would support the growth of the Lowood Swimming Club and allow for a greater scope of activities to occur on site.



REGIONAL INVESTMENT FRAMEWORK



Investing in Places

Targeted and place-based investment that enables communities to thrive.



An Australian Government Initiative



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PROJECT LOCATION



KEY PARTNERS



Queensland
Government



Cost of Project

\$4.05M

The Lowood Swimming Pool – Stage 2 project is to be funded through the Australian Government's Major and Local Community Infrastructure Program as per 2025 Federal Election commitment.



Supporting adaptive, accessible, sustainable and liveable regions.



Delivering infrastructure where and when it is needed.

Local people creating local opportunities

Regional Development Australia (RDA) Committees are made up of local people creating local opportunities.

Regions are incredibly diverse, and there is no one-size-fits-all approach - the government and RDAs are working with each other to solve the challenges and harness place-based opportunities.

RDA Ipswich & West Moreton

As part of a broader network of committees throughout Australia, our committee plays a vital role in promoting and supporting economic development within the Ipswich and West Moreton region.

Our goal is to bring together local leaders from various sectors and work collaboratively with all levels of government, businesses, and community groups to ensure the long-term growth and prosperity of the region.



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