

SCBC Strategic Direction Discussion 2018

Date:	Tuesday 6 February 2018
Venue:	Reef Room, Surfair Beach Hotel, 923 David Low Way, Marcoola
Workshop Commences:	8.30 am sharp
Facilitator/Chair	Sandy Zubrinich

AGENDA

REGIONAL PROSPERITY: THE NEXT HORIZON FOR INVESTMENT, INFRASTRUCTURE & JOBS

8.15 Arrival, seating and tea/coffee on arrival

8.30	SCBC Introduction and Scene Setting	Sandy Z	20 mins
------	--	---------	----------------

8.50	Regional Highlights		40 mins
------	----------------------------	--	----------------

Regional Economic Performance 2017 and 2018	Hayden Rudd	10 mins
---	-------------	---------

Sunshine Coast Council - REDS strategy in 2018	Greg Laverty	10 mins
--	--------------	---------

Noosa Council – Economic direction in 2018	Anthony Dow	10 mins
--	-------------	---------

Questions	10 mins
-----------	---------

9.45	Industry groups: <i>Each addressing . . .</i>		70 mins
------	--	--	----------------

State and regional direction for 2018, challenges, road blocks and opportunities

Property Council of Qld - Ben Simpson	10 mins
---------------------------------------	---------

Master Builders of Qld – Will Wilson	10 mins
--------------------------------------	---------

Visit Sunshine Coast – Simon Latchford	10 mins
--	---------

Vocational Education – Mark Reilly	10 mins
------------------------------------	---------

Tertiary Education – Don Maconachie	10 mins
-------------------------------------	---------

SC Chamber Alliance - small business – Michael Shadforth	10 mins
--	---------

Questions	10 mins
-----------	---------

10.45	Morning Break
-------	---------------

11.00	Roundtable discussion topics -		30 mins
-------	---------------------------------------	--	----------------

Table 1: *How do we manage the political environment (federal and state) for the next period to benefit the region? What are the key regional issues to be addressed at both levels? (Chair – Tony Sowden)*

Table 2: *Is the University of the Sunshine Coast reaching its economic significance for the region? What are the implications for business and regional development strategies and how can its contribution and impact be maximised? (Chair – Bridget Murphy/Scott Snyder)*

Table 3: *What transport initiatives will best future proof the region in terms of growth opportunities, jobs and lifestyle, and be most likely to secure private and public funding? (Chair - Ben Simpson)*

Table 4: *What are the key challenges facing regional job growth and what do we need to do, to consistently outperform the state average job growth and participation rates. (Chair - Hayden Rudd)*

11.30	Report back on roundtable discussions and questions - 10 minutes per topic.		40 mins
12.10	SCBC – Direction for 2018	Adrian Allen	15 mins
12.25	Final comments and close comments		5 mins
12.30	Light lunch upon conclusion		