

**SCBC ANNUAL COMBINED GOVERNMENT & BUSINESS FORUM 2020**

Thursday 26 November 2020  
USC Auditorium, Innovation Centre, USC Sippy Downs

**Playing to Our Strengths**

12 midday	Arrival and registration
12.00 – 12.30 pm	Light lunch and seating
12.35– 12.55 pm	Welcome, scene setting and introduction to Keynote Speaker
1.00 – 1.30 pm	<b>S1. Keynote speaker – Ms Jennifer Westacott, CEO Business Council of Australia <i>Strong Australia – Playing to our strengths to drive economic recovery</i></b>
1.35 – 1.55 pm	<b>S2. Federal Government supporting regional strengths – Andrew Wallace MP Federal Member for Fisher</b>
2.00 – 2.15 pm	<b>S3. Noosa economic recovery: The next stage – Mayor Clare Stewart</b>
2.20 – 2.35 pm	<b>S4. Sunshine Coast economic recovery: The next stage – Mayor Mark Jamieson</b>
2.40 – 3.00 pm	<b>S5. Questions from the floor to S2 – S4 speakers.</b>
3.05 – 3.15 pm	<b>Break</b>
3.20 – 4.00 pm	<b>S6. ‘Playing to Regional Strengths’ – addressing potential impacts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Qld State Government infrastructure spending – Ted O’Brien MP, Federal Member for Fairfax</li><li>○ Converting the pipeline of major regional projects – Ms Bridget Murphy, Treasurer SCBC</li><li>○ Ongoing implications of Belcarra legislation – Mr Chris Mountford, Executive Director Property Council of Australia (Qld)</li><li>○ Emerging regional capabilities – Mr Andrew Brodie, CEO Sunshine Coast Airport</li></ul>
4.05 – 4.25pm	<b>S6. Question from the floor to S6 speakers</b>
4.30 pm	Forum close – Ms Carol Cashman, Chair RDA Sunshine Coast



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