



Raising awareness to help protect our wildlife

It always breaks my heart when I hear from residents about wildlife injuries or death from vehicle strikes so trying to reduce this has been a high priority for me, not just for the protection of our wildlife but also for the safety of residents and their families.

Since being elected in 2020, I have been working with Council's traffic and environmental teams to explore ways we can help reduce wildlife collisions on our roads.

Council has recently installed Portable Wildlife Advisory Signs on Parkview Crescent, Cornubia, which are designed to improve awareness of wildlife crossing the road and remind drivers to slow down. We are hopeful this will help reduce fatalities in this wildlife corridor.

If you come across a sick or injured animal, please call the RSPCA Wildlife Ambulance on 1300 ANIMAL (1300-264-625). Do not attempt a rescue unless you are confident that you won't get hurt and your actions will save the animal. Also, please remember to notify Council of any deceased wildlife you see to ensure our records of roadkill hot spots are as accurate as possible – phone 3412 3412 (24/7). For more information visit logan.qld.gov.au/environment/wildlife

Help make our roads safer by reporting any speeding, hooning, or driving in an unsafe manner to Queensland Police. Residents can contact the hooning hotline on 13HOON (134 666) or for more information visit logan.qld.gov.au/hooning



Cr Miriam Stemp with the new Portable Wildlife Advisory Sign on Parkview Crescent.

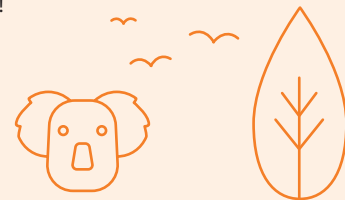
Alexander Clark Park community event

Upgrades to Alexander Clark Park are on schedule and the community is getting very excited!

Join me at Alexander Clark Park to celebrate the new park upgrades!

📅 Saturday 2 December,
8 am to midday.

There will be a sausage sizzle, coffee van and face painting along with Council information stalls and giveaways. Hope to see you there!



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Animal Ambulance: **1300 264 625**

What's on? ourlogan.com.au

What's new in Division 10

Tansey Park dog off-leash area

Double dog off-leash area at Tansey Park.



Maranda Park dog off-leash area

A new space for dogs.



Local Park Upgrades

Park upgrades at Collie Park, Peters Park, Lissadell Park, Ballan Park and Cornubia Forest Park walkway.



Tree planting

New plants at Cornubia Nature Reserve, 100 trees planted at Tudor Park and 150 trees planted at Lake Breeze Park.



Cornubia Park Sports Centre

Upgrades at Cornubia Park Sports Centre, including resurfacing of netball and basketball courts, rock climbing wall, lighting and scoreboard upgrades underway for football fields.



Beenleigh-Redland Bay Road

Landscaping along Beenleigh-Redland Bay Road.



Loganholme Cricket Club

Sight screens, junior pitch and lighting upgrades.



Alexander Clark Park

Major park upgrade underway at Alexander Clark Park. Murrays Park upgrade due to commence in the new year.



Learning about native species in our community

I am always thinking of new and innovative ways to connect with the young people in our community and encourage an interest in our local environment.

This year, to celebrate Threatened Species Day, I contacted our local schools to ask if they would like to receive wildlife nest boxes to install on their school grounds. Some of the schools requested a pre-built nest box while others asked for a flat-pack version to construct with their students.

Threatened Species Day aims to raise awareness of plants and animals at risk of extinction and these nest boxes target Logan's threatened wildlife including the greater glider, glossy black cockatoo and powerful owl. I look forward to hearing what wildlife takes up residence in these boxes.

If you or your family have an interest in learning more about the local environment, Council offers a fantastic line-up of environmental events and activities, or you could consider joining your local BushCare group – more info: logan.qld.gov.au/parkvolunteers. You can also get priority updates on upcoming events and all things environmental by registering for our monthly environmental newsletter at: logan.qld.gov.au/environmental-education-events



Cr Miriam Stemp and local students with nest boxes.

Mayor's message



The City of Logan is growing faster than ever before.

As a Council we have a vision for our city to be a well-planned, connected, and beautiful place to live. We want to make sure there are good things for everyone – like a great lifestyle, opportunities to invest, and jobs for all.

We welcome growth; however, we also need to be responsible with our finances. In a time when cost of living is high and there is a housing shortage, finding the right balance is important. We face challenges in building important things like bridges and roads because there are limits on how much we can charge people.

As a Council we are also working to attract new businesses and industries to the region which will create more job opportunities and stimulate economic growth.

We also need help from the Queensland Government to make sure our city has all the things it needs.

We've worked hard with other local governments to ensure the Queensland Government's South East Queensland Regional Plan addresses the concerns we have for our city.

This plan says that more than 600,000 people will live in Logan by 2046. We have consistently met all housing targets set by the Queensland Government. However, we have a responsibility to current residents and ratepayers to not overcommit our limited financial resources towards unnecessary spending, so growth must be well planned.

It is important that local and state governments can work together to achieve the best outcomes for our growing region, in a way that respects both state interests and the needs and ambitions of local communities and governments.

I have no doubt the young families who value Logan's affordability and quality lifestyles will benefit.

Mayor Darren Power
City of Logan

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Not my best friend

75% of dog attacks on koalas are fatal*

But you can help me by securing your dog at night



Scan the QR code or visit leaveit.com.au for free dog training resources to help keep your dog and wildlife safe.



*Source: Queensland Government Department of Environment and Science



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