

2020 State Election State-wide Report Card



Overall Mark



The Government's overall mark has been significantly improved after the ALP provided its first comprehensive response to the LGAQ's election priorities. Significant commitments include the Government's \$880 million funding commitment to continue the highly successful Works for Queensland and TIDS program, and to implement the LGAQ's proposed Jobs Advantage program for SEQ councils.



This mark acknowledges the Opposition's reconfirmed support for the LGAQ's COVID-19 Battleplan for Queensland Local Communities, its recent commitment to provide \$600 million to continue the highly successful Works for Queensland program, and implement the LGAQ's proposed Jobs Advantage program for SEQ councils.



KAP has provided a comprehensive response to the LGAQ's 2020 Election Priorities indicating which initiatives and programs it will fight for, should the party form part of a minority government.



The Greens have responded to our 2020 State Election priorities advising they are "generally supportive" of the LGAQ's platform, however, they cite the need to consider "an enormous list of competing priorities" should they be in a balance of power scenario after the 31 October. Further, The Greens have advised the final decision on what is supported will be made by "the party as a whole". The LGAQ appreciates The Greens general statement of the broad alignment with our priorities and their indications of support for our key priorities. However, the LGAQ requires more specific commitments from The Greens as to where our 2020 election priorities sit within The Greens' "enormous list of priorities" should they hold the balance of power after the election.



One Nation has indicated support for many of the LGAQ's key 2020 State Election priorities. However, they have refrained from making an explicit commitment to advocate and vote for funding for our priorities should they hold the balance of power after the October 31 poll.



The LGAQ surveyed the major parties asking them to support a set of community priorities which will create and support 29,000 jobs across Queensland and generate \$4.6 billion worth of economic activity. Based on these responses the LGAQ independently rated the major parties in this report card.

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