

## Southeast Queensland is a special place

The SEQ region is a very special place to live. It boasts an enviable climate and rich and diverse natural assets – beaches, rainforests, biodiversity and greenspace.

The SEQ region offers many other lifestyle benefits but, for many people, it is the combination of our (mostly) agreeable climate and rich and diverse natural assets that are the ultimate drawcard – they define what makes SEQ so special.

As our communities grow and develop, we want to safeguard what's special about the SEQ region for current and future generations. Indeed, our natural endowments, so rich and varied, require us to take a lead in this endeavour.

In addition to our natural heritage and enviable climate, our communities take pride in their cultural and built heritage including public assets. These assets build, sustain and enrich the lives of our existing communities and new residents.

As our communities grow to meet diverse needs, we wish to identify, retain and strengthen our community assets, cultural and built heritage.

## Our vision for SEQ

SEQCA will work towards:

*Development that conserves, respects and responds to SEQ's enviable climate and its rich and diverse natural heritage for the benefit of current and future generations.*

*Our cultural and built heritage, including our public assets, are recognised as key contributors to liveability and place-making and are valued accordingly when development occurs.*

SEQCA wants to work with all levels of Government to further a constructive and consultative process to advance our Vision for SEQ communities in planning and development decision-making across the region.

## Things we need to focus on

As an umbrella organisation serving the SEQ region, our mission for the communities and buildings we live in is:

**Fast track to sustainability:** Water wise and carbon negative (climate positive).

**Pursue resilience:** Lifting the benchmarks and not compounding the problems.

**Defend our greenspace:** Safeguarding our existing greenspace and adding to the stock.

**Secure what we value locally:** Ensuring the character and liveability of our communities are not overwhelmed by bland, profit driven development.

**Fight for transparency:** Work with governments at all levels to protect and implement our Vision.

## SEQCA membership

SEQCA welcomes membership applications from not-for-profit organisations and individuals who share our aspirations for the SEQ region.

Our member associations include:

Gecko Environment Council Assoc. Inc.

Gold Coast Community Alliance.

Redlands2030 Inc.

Brisbane Residents United Inc. (BRU)

Sunshine Coast Environment Council  
Assoc. Inc. (SCEC)

Organisation Sunshine Coast  
Association of Residents. (OSCAR)

Brisbane Region Environment Council

Logan Ratepayers Association

Brisbane Flight Path Community  
Alliance

To apply for membership or offer your support visit the website:

<https://seqalliance.org/>

Or contact us at: [info@seqalliance.org](mailto:info@seqalliance.org)

## SEQCA needs you

We welcome research, publicity and administrative support from any members or interested volunteers.

Volunteers with experience utilising social media and creative web design are particularly welcome to get in touch.



The Southeast Queensland Community Alliance (SEQCA) is a not-for-profit umbrella organisation formed by community, planning and environmental advocacy groups across southeast Queensland (SEQ).

Our activities include:

Advocating to governments for policy and law reform in areas of interest

Making submissions on policies and laws proposed by governments at all levels

Helping the community to learn about issues affecting the future of SEQ through:

Publishing articles and newsletters

Holding community forums