

Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation The Hon Andrew Powell MP

1 October 2025 - 31 October 2025

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
1 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
1 October 2025	Roy Banjo – Ang-Gnarra Aboriginal Corporation; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Site Visit – Ang-Ngara Cultural Centre
1 October 2025	Alwyn Lyall, Chairman, and representatives – Possum Aboriginal Corporation; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Stakeholder Meeting
1 October 2025	Roy Banjo – Ang-Gnarra Aboriginal Corporation; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Site Visit – Quinkan Caves
1 October 2025	Alwyn Lyall, Chairman, and representatives – Possum Aboriginal Corporation; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Site Visit – Lakefield National Park Ranger Base
1 October 2025	Mr Stephen Bennett MP – Member for Burnett	Portfolio Matters
2 October 2025	Ministerial Staff	Staff Meeting
2 October 2025	Mr Sean Dillon MP – Member for Gregory	Portfolio Matters
2 October 2025	Janette Hewson, CEO and Dr Leigh Stiz, Environmental Policy Director – Queensland Resources Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 October 2025	Emma Whitehead, CEO, and Chris Kyranis, General Manager Animal Operations – RSPCA; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters

¹ Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

2 October 2025	Her Excellency the Hon Dr Jeanette Young AC PSM – Governor of Queensland; Executive Council Member	Executive Council Meeting
2 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 October 2025	Bernie Hogan, CEO – Queensland Hotels Association (QHA)	Portfolio Matters
2 October 2025	Craig Davidson, CEO – Tourism and Events Queensland (TEQ)	Portfolio Matters
3 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
3 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
3 October 2025	John Warn, CEO – Experience Gold Coast	Portfolio Matters
7 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
7 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
7 October 2025	Anna Marsden, Managing Director – Great Barrier Reef Foundation; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
7 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
7 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
7 October 2025	Dr Christian Rowan MP – Member for Moggill; Electorate staff; Members of The Hut Environmental and Community Association Inc; Members of Moggill Creek Catchment Group Inc; Members of Pullen Pullen Catchment Group Inc; Members of Cubberla Witton Catchment's Network Inc; Members of Kholo Creek Catchment Group; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Environmental Groups Morning Tea
7 October 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
7 October 2025	Ben Long, Chief Government Relations Officer – Australia Zoo & Wildlife Warriors	Portfolio Matters
8 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
8 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
8 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
9 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
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10 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
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10 October 2025	Lachlan Crane, Government Relations	Portfolio Matters
	and Industry Engagement Manager –	
	Brisbane Commerce Queensland	
10 October 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier; The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Main Roads and Transport; The Hon Fiona Simpson MP – Member for Maroochydore; Mr Marty Hunt MP – Member for Nicklin; Ms Kendall Morton MP – Member for Caloundra; Cr Rosanna Natoli, Mayor, and Councillors – Sunshine Coast Council; Simon Kuestenmacher, Cofounder – The Demographics Group;	Future Focused: Second Roundtable
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10 October 2025	Stirling Mortlock, Chief Investment Officer and Founding Partner – XV Capital; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
13 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
13 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
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13 October 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
13 October 2025	TEQ; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 October 2025	Cabinet Ministers; Members of Parliament; Paul Carew, Managing Director – Hotels, and staff – Endeavour Group; Bernie Hogan, CEO – QHA; DG – Department of Premier and Cabinet; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Endeavour Group Networking Event
13 October 2025	Antra Hood, Deputy Chair, and Board Members – Queensland Trust For Nature (QTFN); Liz O'Brien, CEO, and staff – QTFN; Ministerial staff	QTFN Boardroom Dinner
14 October 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
14 October 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industry and Far North Queensland; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 October 2025	Mr David Lee MP – Member for Hervey Bay; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters

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14 October 2025	The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Transport and Main Roads; Members of Parliament; Margy Osmond, CEO – Tourism & Transport Forum; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Parliamentary Event: Tourism & Transport Forum's Friends of Transport
14 October 2025	The Hon Dale Last MP – Member for Natural Resources and Mines, Minister for Manufacturing and Minister for Regional and Rural Development; The Hon Tony Perrett MP – Minister for Primary Industries; Mr Byron Head MP – Assistant Minister for Regional Development, Resources and Critical Minerals; Members of Parliament; Julie Boyd, Chair, Board Members and Chris Norman, CEO – NRM Regions Queensland; Director-Generals; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Parliamentary Event: Natural Resource Management Expansion Program
15 October 2025	Members of Parliament	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	Nathan Sharpe, Director – Talisman; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
15 October 2025	Alison Smith, CEO, and staff – Local Government Association of Queensland (LGAQ); Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	The Hon Dan Purdie MP – Member for Ninderry; Mr Marty Hunt – Member for Nicklin; Members of the Nambour 2 Coolum Trail Joint Working Group; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	Mr Hermann Vorster MP – Member for Burleigh; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industry and Far North Queensland; Natassia Wheeler, CEO, and staff – Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC); invited guests	QTIC Future Ready Webinar Series – Destination 2045 Tourism Plan
15 October 2025	The Hon Amanda Camm MP – Member for Whitsunday; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	Mr Nigel Hutton MP – Member for Keppel; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 October 2025	BAPS Shri Swaminarayan Hindu Temple; Cabinet Ministers; Members of Parliament; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Diwali & Annakut Celebrations 2025
15 October 2025	The Hon Pat Weir MP – Speaker of the Legislative Assembly; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Showcasing Queensland Tasting Event
16 October 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
16 October 2025	Mrs Rebecca Young MP – Member for Redlands; Graham Clegg, Director – Clegg Town Planning David Paterson,	Portfolio Matters

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	owner – City Marina; Carol Conacher, Technical Director: Wetlands – SLR Services; James Nicolson, Special Counsel – Minter Ellison; Ministerial staff	
16 October 2025	Senator the Hon Murray Watt – Federal Minister for the Environment and Water	Portfolio Matters
16 October 2025	Committee of the Legislative Assembly Members	Committee of the Legislative Assembly Meeting
16 October 2025	Ms Ariana Doolan MP – Member for Pumicestone; Michael Hornby OAM, CEO, and Dr Jon Hanger, Director – Endeavour Veterinary Ecology (EVE); Bryce Hines, CEO – Cherish The Environment; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
16 October 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Tony Cochrane, Co-founder and Director – Cochrane Entertainment; Departmental staff – Department of Premier and Cabinet; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
16 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
17 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
17 October 2025	Louise Cox, Chair, Emma Whitehead, CEO, and staff – RSPCA; Ministerial staff	Site Visit – RSPCA Wacol Adoption Centre
17 October 2025	Senator the Hon Murray Watt – Minister for the Environment and Water; Cabinet Ministers; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Environment Ministers' Meeting
17 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
17 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
17 October 2025	James Purtill – Queensland Mine Rehabilitation Commissioner; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
17 October 2025	The Hon Tim Nicholls MP – Minister for Health and Ambulance Services; Members of Parliament; Professor Deborah Terry AC, Vice-Chancellor and President – UQ; The Hon Peter Beattie, Adjunct Professor, Institute for Molecular Bioscience – UQ; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff; invited guests	25 th Anniversary Celebration of UQ's Institute for Molecular Bioscience (IMB)
20 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
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20 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
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20 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
20 October 2025	Stuart Lummis, Chair – Queensland Heritage Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
20 October 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
20 October 2025	Ian Walker, Chair– Queensland Performing Arts Centre Board of Trust; Professor Arun Sharma, Chair – QIMR Berghofer Council of the Queensland Institute of Medical Research; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
20 October 2025	Ms Angie Bell MP – Member for Moncrieff	Portfolio Matters
21 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
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21 October 2025	Dave Copeman, Director, and staff — Queensland Conservation Council; David Arthur — Wide Bay Burnett Environment Council; Sophie George, Elijah Richardson and Kerry Richardson — Capricorn Conservation Council; Ahri Tallon — Darling Downs Environment Council; Bronwyn Opie and representatives — Cairns and Far North Environment Centre; Sara Hicks — Gecko Environment Council; Crystal Falknau — North Queensland Conservation Council; Jodie Richards — Gladstone Conservation Council; Narelle McCarthy — Sunshine Coast Environment Council; Emma Barret — Mackay Conservation Group; DG — DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Minister's Environment Roundtable Meeting
21 October 2025	Julie McLellan, CEO, and Dr Andrew O'Neill, Chief Science and Sustainability Officer – Healthy Land and Water; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
21 October 2025	Professor Jeremy O'Brien, Co-founder and CEO, and staff – PsiQuantum; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
21 October 2025	David Taylor, Director – Tree Top Challenge; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
21 October 2025	Madeline Simpson, Liam Davis, Aaron Dahl, Partners – McCullough Robertson; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Portfolio Matters
22 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting

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22 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
22 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff;	Portfolio Matters
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22 October 2025	Wayne Fitzsimmons, National Chair, and Jordan Green, National Deputy Chair – Pearcey Foundation; Paul Gampe, Queensland Chair – Pearcey Foundation; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Pearcey Queensland Entrepreneur Award Dinner
23 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
23 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
24 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
24 October 2025	Senator Corinne Mulholland – Senator for Queensland; Cr Peter Flannery, Mayor, and Scott Waters, CEO – City of Moreton Bay; Ministerial staff; invited guests	City of Moreton Bay Leaders' Forum and Business Luncheon
24 October 2025	Senator Nita Green – Senator for Queensland; Board Members, Mark Olsen, CEO, and staff – TTNQ; Cr Lisa Scomazzon, Mayor, Scott Osman, CEO and staff – Douglas Shire Council; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	2025 TNQ Tourism Industry Excellence Awards and TTNQ's 50 th Anniversary Gala Dinner
27 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
27 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
27 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
27 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
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27 October 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
27 October 2025	Cabinet Ministers; Members of Parliament; Ministerial staff; invited guests	2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games Leaders Reception
28 October 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
28 October 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
28 October 2025	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Dr Leah Stevenson, Project Strategist, and Iain Masters, Mountain Bike Operations and Event Specialist – Pioneer Foundation; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters

28 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Meeting
28 October 2025	Constituent	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
29 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
29 October 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Luke Altschwager, Founder / Director, and Jonathan Stewart, Commercial Director – Palm Valley Golf Gold Coast; Mick Fanning, Palm Valley Ambassador and co-investor – Palm Valley Golf Gold Coast; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Dom Courtney, Executive Officer – Outdoors Queensland; Claire Tolcher, CEO – Australian Trail Horse Riders Association; Nicky Moffatt, Protected Areas Campaigner – Queensland Conservation Council; Chris Thomas, CEO – National Parks Association of Queensland; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Cr Tony Williams, Mayor, and Council Officers – Rockhampton Regional Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Liz Ellis, Chair, and staff – Netball Australia; Leanne Coddington, Chair, and Kate Davies, CEO – Netball Queensland; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	Ms Jonty Bush MP – Member for Cooper, and Co-Chair – Parliamentary Friends of Netball; Liz Ellis, Chair – Netball Australia; Leanne Coddington, Chair, and Kate Davies, CEO – Netball Queensland; Members of Parliament; Queensland Firebirds; Sunshine Coast Lightning; Queensland Suns; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Parliamentary Friends of Netball
29 October 2025	James Purtill – Queensland Mine Rehabilitation Commissioner; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
29 October 2025	The Hon Steve Minnikin MP – Minister for Customer Services and Open Data and Minister for Small and Family Businesses; Andy Fyffe, Director – Freshwater Strategy; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Al Industry Meets Parliament Roundtable
29 October 2025	Chris Owen, Branch President – The Pharmacy Guild of Australia; Members of Parliament; Ministerial staff	Pharmacy Guild of Australia Annual Parliamentary Reception
30 October 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting

30 October 2025	Keld Knudson, General Manager States / Territories and Director Queensland and Andrew Barger, Queensland Policy Manager – Australian Energy Producers; Lisa Clifford – Shell Australia Pty Ltd; Nicole Buchanski – Australia Pacific LNG; Zoe Scott – Santos; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
30 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
30 October 2025	Committee of the Legislative Assembly Members	Committee of the Legislative Assembly Meeting
30 October 2025	Mr Trevor Watts MP – Member for Toowoomba North; Jy Lovett, Managing Director – AMEC Plastics; Dr Luigi Vandi, Director, Centre for Advanced Materials Processing and Manufacturing – The University of UQ; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
30 October 2025	Cr Adrian Schrinner, Chair, Cr Peter Flannery, Deputy Chair and Cr Rosanna Natoli, Director – Council of Mayors (SEQ) Board; Matt Hendry, Deputy CEO – Council of Mayors (SEQ) (COMSEQ); Lord Mayoral staff; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
30 October 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Lou Sticca, Managing Director – TSG; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
31 October 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
31 October 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
31 October 2025	Garret Phillips, CEO – Association of Marine Park Tourism Operators	Portfolio Matters
31 October 2025	Cr Rosanna Natoli, Mayor – Sunshine Coast Council; Departmental staff	Portfolio Matters
31 October 2025	Craig Davidson, CEO – TEQ	Portfolio Matters
31 October 2025	Wade Batty, Managing Director – Habitat Noosa; invited guests	Habitat Noosa's 21st Year in Business and Celebrate New Lease

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