

Moura & District 2017/2027 Place Based Plan



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Introduction

PURPOSE

This Community Plan is intended to help the community, elected representatives, service providers and government agencies better understand the diverse nature of the individual towns that make up the Banana Shire and the possible social, economic and environmental issues they may face now and in the future. Also, this plan aims to develop a long term strategy for the growth and development of the Banana Shire. This growth and development will be considered in a wide range of areas that are mentioned in this document. These areas such as Arts, Sports and Youth are considered to be integral to the development of the Shire and its occupants.

METHODOLOGY

The Banana Shire Council has identified that a "Place Based" Community Plan is required in each of the Shire's twelve towns. This will allow us to develop a positive trend regarding population growth as well as fulfilling the potential of the individual community's economic and social future.

From the development of the "Place Based" plans the Banana Shire Strategic Community Plan will be developed.

In summation, the engagement process will include:

- Gathering of and referral to available ABS statistics;
- Discussion of related issues and policy with Government Departments and key stakeholder representatives;
- Meetings with representatives from regional organisations that have economic development roles;
- Attendance at meetings, networking or speaking to local leaders and community groups;
- Research/referral to a variety of historical literature;
- Research/referral to a variety of regional strategic

planning/consultancies currently in progress;

- Community Engagement processes with residents in the Shire
- Related Internet Search.

STRUCTURE OF DOCUMENT

This document is structured into a number of distinct parts, which are:

- Section 1 – This section provides a general introduction to the document
- Section 2 – Town Overview
- Section 3 – Social Profile
- Section 4 – Achievements of Moura
- Section 5 – Future Directions

LOCATION

The town of Moura is located on the Dawson Highway, 170km southwest of Rockhampton via Mt Morgan, 185km west of Gladstone, 617km northwest of Brisbane via the Leichhardt Highway and 65km from Biloela. Please refer to the RACQ Trip Planner http://www.racq.com.au/travel/Maps_and_Dirctions/trip_planner



HISTORY

Moura took its name from the Pastoral Holding of the same name. This property was taken up in 1854 by Mr C. Marshall who had been a paymaster in Wellington's Army while engaged in battles in Portugal. Some of the battles were fought near Moura in South East Portugal. It is possible that Mr Marshall named his property after the town. Moura was laid out in 1936 on a typical grid pattern.

ABORIGINAL HISTORY

The Dawson Valley with its rich supplies of food and water provided an excellent living environment for the Aborigines. According to Gangulu culture, the Rainbow Serpent (Moondya Gutta) formed the rivers and streams as he wriggled across the land; the deep waterholes were his special resting places.

European settlement would drastically affect the harmonious tribal existence; by the 1880's Europeans had forcefully overpowered the Aborigines. Some of the Aborigines who survived worked on stations while others were forced into Missions.

DESCRIPTION

Moura is the second largest town in the Shire playing an important role in the economic growth of Central Queensland. It is a major cattle centre in addition to producing coal, natural gas, cotton and grain.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY OF KEY CENSUS RESULTS

In the 2011 Census there were 1,899 persons usually resident in Moura. 54.5% were males and 45.5% were females. Of the total population in Moura 6.1% were Indigenous persons, compared with 2.5% Indigenous persons in Australia.

Detailed census data is available via the ABS and Queensland State Government OSER.

www.abs.gov.au

www.oser.qld.gov.au

Social Infrastructure

GOVERNMENT SERVICES

(Commonwealth, State & Local)

Moura is home to a diverse range of local services and is the centre for surrounding towns. The community is supported by:

- Ambulance
- Banana Shire Council branch office
- Centrelink Rural & Remote Centre Access
- Fire & Rescue Service
- Library
- Police
- Post Office
- Queensland Government Agency
- SES branch

EDUCATION

The town of Moura boasts numerous educational services, including:

- Kindergarten
- Long Day Care - Childcare Centre
- Moura State High School
- Moura State High School P&C Association
- Moura State Primary School
- Moura State Primary School P&C Association
- Special Education Program



COMMUNITY HEALTH & WELFARE SERVICES

Moura and the communities that surround it are supported by a range of Health and Welfare Services:

- Anglicare Central Queensland - Moura
- Australian Breastfeeding Association – Moura
- Blue Care Community Care
- Blue Care Day Respite
- Blue Care Meals on Wheels

- Moura & District Health Care Association Inc.
- Moura Dawson Medical Practice
- Moura Hospital & Community Welfare Service
- Moura Hospital Auxiliary Inc.
- Moura Retirement Village Inc.
- St. Vincent de Paul

COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS

Visit the following link and enter the town name for an up to date list and contact details of organisations and community groups.

www.mycommunitydirectory.com.au/Queensland/Banana

The community spirit of Moura becomes evident through the number of Community Organisations:

- Moura Garden Lovers
- Kiangra Memorial Centre Management Committee
- Moura NAIDOC Discussion Group
- Moura Community Youth Centre

THE ARTS

Moura is also home to a number of small groups that are devoted to the Arts in Moura:

- Capricante Singing Group
- Moura Coal & Country Historical Society Inc.
- Moura Folk Art

SPORT & RECREATION

The Moura community is passionate about sport and this is evident when looking at the many different sporting organisations, clubs and associations found in the area:

- Dawson River Cutting Club
- Dawson Valley Rugby Union Inc. - Drovers
- Group Fitness/Personal Training
- Moura & District Golf Club Inc.
- Moura Amateur Swimming Club Inc.
- Moura Ballet & Dance Appreciation Group Inc.

- Moura Bowls Club
- Moura Cricket Club Inc.
- Moura Fish Stocking Group
- Moura Gliding Club
- Moura Junior Cricket Association Inc.
- Moura Junior Rugby League Inc.
- Moura Karate Club
- Moura Little Athletics Association Inc.
- Moura Pony Club
- Moura Rangers Soccer Association Inc.
- Moura Rugby League Football Club Inc.
- Moura Tennis Club Inc.
- Moura Squash Club Inc.

RELIGION

The combined churches of Moura meet together for worship and support ecumenical endeavours such as school chaplaincy, Samaritan's Purse Shoe Box appeal and special community services:

- Anglican Church of Australia
- Moura Uniting Church
- Moura Christian Family (Assemblies of God)
- Our Saviour Lutheran Church
- St Michael's Catholic Church

SERVICE GROUPS

In addition to Moura's already plentiful Community and Government services and organisations, Moura maintains many other service organisations:

- AgForce Queensland
- Apex Club
- Lions Club of Moura Inc.
- Moura Chamber of Commerce
- Moura Coal & Country Festival Committee
- Moura Community Progress Association
- Moura RSL Service and Citizen Club
- Rotary Club of Moura Inc.
- St. Vincent De Paul Society

Achievements and Assets of Moura

RECOGNISED COMMUNITY ACHIEVEMENTS

Moura has many community achievements. Below is a summary of some of those achievements that highlights Moura's ability to achieve new outcomes for the community. All these projects, events and infrastructure have been built by the community for the community.

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Apex River Park• Kianga Hall• Moura Recreation Reserve (MRR)• Recent upgrades to the MRR• Annual Moura Coal and Country Festival Est 1972• Moura Child Care Centre• Moura Fishing Competition (Muddy Water Classic)• Moura Active Riders Club	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meridian project• Lions Park• Rotary Park• Moura Bowls Club• Moura Education Precinct• Moura Swimming Pool Complex• Fishing Events• New Doctor's Residence• Moura Community Youth Centre (MCYC)• Outdoor Gym• Moura Museum and Information Centre
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Future Directions

COMMUNITY IDENTITY & VISION

Today: Moura is working towards being a vibrant, cooperative, innovative and viable community that takes great pride in being supportive, self-sustaining and self-reliant. Moura celebrates its past, present and future in its history, industry and tourism.

Vision: Moura will be a dynamic, vibrant and supportive community that embraces and celebrates its past while driving towards the future. With strong, positive ties to both the resource and rural industries, Moura will create a strong future for its residents. Moura

will build and support sustainable business and light to medium industry sectors that will be a catalyst for future growth. Moura will grow and prosper with a population that lives in Moura permanently and works locally.

COMMUNITY PLAN

Future Development

Moura Miners Memorial

The Moura Memorial project is a multi-staged project. The project is critical to the continued development of the tourism industry and the development of new tourist facilities and business in Moura and the Dawson Valley.

Stage 1 - Raise funds and construct the Memorial

Stage 2 – New Council Office, Information Centre, Museum, Library and Cultural Education Centre

Stage 3 – Complete the concept to commence the redevelopment of the disused railway corridor

Tourism

The opportunities available to Moura regarding tourism are numerous.

Tourism can be considered to be either people passing through the town on their way west or those utilising the River Park. Moura also has thousands of “visitors” annually with the majority of these being industry based.

Currently, a local tourism subcommittee is working towards the improvement of tourism in Moura by continuing to develop:

- Shire and town brochures
- Heritage trail
- New information at the local Information Centre
- Moura Miners Memorial
- The use of local attractions and sites such as scenic drives being made available as this would be easily combined with promotion of the Dawson Highway
- The local mine plays a large part in the local culture and could be embraced as a potential tourist attraction, as even in the future the legacy of the mine will remain

- Create a redevelopment plan for the precinct from Rotary Park to Gillespie Street including:
 - Seal the truck stop, install toilets and showers that can be available for users of the Rotary Park and the truck stop
 - Install pathways linking Theodore Road and Gillespie Street

There are a number of Tourism Businesses that could be created in the Moura area:

- Tours of the Sandstone Wonders
- Bird Watching Tours
- Fishing Tours
- Canoe and boat hire

Moura River Park attracts approximately 15,000 (65 couples per day) visitors a year for free camping and another 5,000 per year for events and fishing competitions. The ongoing upgrading of the facilities will continue to attract visitors to Moura and Banana Shire. Projects under consideration include:

- Upgrade of grey water treatment
- New shower/toilet block with disability access
- Walking/cycling track from town to the River Park
- Solar lights on the boat ramp
- Walking/cycling track from town to the Meridian Site

Aesthetics

Upgrading the entrances of town, including the parks, will help create a positive “first impression” as tourists and potential residents come into the area. Improvement of the town’s aesthetics through gardens, main roads, facilities and the relocation or screening of the town dump could be considered. Overall, steps could be taken to ensure the necessary work to maintain Moura’s aesthetics is undertaken in an effective and timely manner.

Facilities

Improvement of local facilities would encourage people to stop in the town. Facilities that would benefit from alterations, upgrades and maintenance are:

- Continued upgrade of Lions park including:
 - Age appropriate equipment
 - Enclosed area for under 5 years
- Continued upgrade of the Moura Recreation Reserve, including:
 - Basketball half court
 - Redevelopment of the Recreation Grounds shed
 - Redevelopment of the tennis courts to include netball
 - Shade over the skate park
 - Skating Rink
- Continued development of the Youth Centre Precinct with the inclusion of:
 - Utilising the old Scout Hall as a Men’s Shed
 - Community Garden – Garden Club & Education
- Continue the development of the Retirement Village with the construction of additional units.

Many residents would like the Gillespie Street development revisited and upgrades made.

Events and Promotion

The proposed “Dawson River Towns” project and the subsequent “River Festival” will be important parts of tourism event development within Moura and the Dawson Valley.

There are a variety of actions that can be taken to encourage tourism in and around Moura that focus on local events and promotions such as:

- The use of local media in a positive manner to promote both community groups and upcoming events to inform locals and tourists. Events to be promoted would include local Campdrafting and Ladies Fishing Competitions
- Staffing the local information centre on weekends as this would encourage day trips around the area for people who live in other areas of the Banana Shire as well as encouraging people passing through to stop and see the sights
- Create and promote “Rural Tourism” in the area such as field days and farm stays

- Develop signage for local attractions and facilities

At present the tourists who primarily stay at the river are engaged by the RSL, Bowls Club and Hotel who all have buses and will transport visitors to and from the river. This will succeed in encouraging tourists to stay longer and thereby encouraging them to fill up at the local service station and buy groceries from the local shops. This also has resulted in a lot of returning tourists.

Business and Industry

To ensure the future of Moura, there are a number of steps that can be considered regarding local business and industry:

- A meet and greet for the Moura area between rural and industry could be held to promote common ground with the use of onsite visits to assist in this process
- Small businesses could be up-skilled to assist in supplying the local industry
- Business practices in the area can be looked at and considered in order to create a level playing field for all businesses
- Cooperation between local businesses will help in building a more resilient and prosperous community
- The demand for industrial land in the Moura area needs to be addressed
- Solutions for a more efficient freight service need to be developed
- The diversification of trade, including the creation of a car dealership for mine car purchasing, could be actively encouraged
- Quality staff need to be attracted towards local businesses as there is difficulty in attracting staff when competing with the higher pay rates of the mining companies
- Develop employment packages that encourage people to move to Moura and promote these via the town's website
- Alter local zoning to allow industrial areas to be used for commercial businesses
- Ensure the support of local industry, Council and community to assist in the development of new industry in the area
- Engage with local industry to ensure that rosters allow workers to utilise the community and put money into the town
- Partner with local industry to encourage employees to live to Moura

Industry engagement and a review of the Local Purchasing Policy could be undertaken. In order to achieve this, the creation of a liaison group to work with the local Council, Industry and Rural groups could be considered. To further this, cluster groups can be set up for the purpose of negotiations and tenders.

Resource Industry Development

Moura has been a resource industry town for over 60 years; however the changing fortunes of coal have seen Moura go through the boom bust cycle many times.

A stronger connection to Anglo American (Dawson Mine), Baralaba Coal (Baralaba Mine & Moura Loadout Facility), Westside and QNP by the Moura community needs to be part of any development in and near the community. For Moura's sustainability it is necessary to encourage companies to commit to the employment of personnel who live in Moura and District.

Housing and Industry Policies

The Moura community would benefit from alterations to the policies of the various industries particularly in the area regarding living quarters. The promotion of living in Moura would assist in shaking the negative image of Moura. Steps to be taken involve but are not limited to:

- Developing an understanding on the right balance of SPQs and where necessary develop a Shire wide cap on numbers
- Developing methods to involve people in the local SPQs for the good of the community

- The Council could play a part in the facilitation of the promotion, development and availability of land for industrial development for expanding businesses
- Encouraging a shift from barracks/single man quarters to having resource workers live in Moura would help increase the population of the town and improve the economy
- Developing communication between community groups
- Assisting community groups to develop methods that avoid an inward focus
- Ensuring Council's ability to enforce decisions it makes in the best interest of the community

A whole of industry, government and community strategic development of housing is required to ensure that the right balance is maintained to mitigate the under and over supply issue.

Community

Engaging in competitions such as Tidy Towns and increasing the number of positive articles in local media would assist in the promotion and development of community spirit in Moura. In relation to this, holding events such as trivia nights, community sports and Probus Club trips would also benefit the community. It would also be important to communicate with and involve local industry to improve the relationship between the community and industry.

NAIDOC is celebrated at Moura High School and Primary School annually in July. This provides an opportunity for Moura's community to connect with the history of the Gangulu people and celebrate the survival of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander contribution to modern Australia.

Moura NAIDOC Discussion Group, with relevant support, could continue to promote cultural awareness within the community and provide opportunities for the community to connect through the celebration of culture.

Communication

Communication between Council and the community as well as communication between industry and the community has been identified as an area that has great potential.

While various methods are being developed, such as electronic means, it is important to ensure that traditional methods are not ignored. By looking at a variety of options for communication, a robust and effective system can be developed. A method suggested by the community is holding an annual Council meeting in Moura.

Youth Participation

Encouraging youth participation in the community needs to become a greater priority for all the community. This can be achieved in many ways with some particular methods being the upgrading and maintaining of youth areas such as the skate park.

Provide shade structures in the skate park as well as other facilities such as the pool. This would include shade covering over the current seating within the community.

Assisting youth with communication skills has also been identified.

Other concerns the community has raised regarding local youth are:

- A lack of facilities and events
- A culture of binge drinking
- Local transport options to improve accessibility and attendance to local events
- Access to education and training
- Local employment and housing
- Access to mental health, drug and alcohol support services

Other Communities

Other rural communities can be studied to see how they have survived in the past as lessons learnt could be implemented in Moura.

Health

To improve health services within Moura, a variety of steps have been suggested:

- Continue to encourage and support the increase and consistency of local GP's
- Encourage a variety of Allied Health practitioners such as physiotherapists, speech pathologists and podiatrists to visit the area to provide much needed support
- Develop and maintain local hospital and allied health services and infrastructure such as an emergency helipad, footpaths and lighting
- Develop methods to access mental health and outreach services provided by the State Government as they are primarily based in Gladstone
- Increase the availability of hostel and nursing beds in the area, particularly in the hospital where the introduction of a limited number of long-term nursing beds would be an improvement
- Develop aged care facilities in Moura
- Maintain and develop hospital services within the community
- The Government and the community need to work together to implement the best service model for Moura to include the provision of all health services including aged care

Youth

- Increase the current Youth Worker's position to include the development and coordination of "Youth Activities"
- Gain support from services clubs and QPS for Friday night activities

Infrastructure

Moura has the opportunity to upgrade their local facilities. This would be of great benefit to the town as it would encourage the presence of tourists and would also help to encourage more people to move to the area.

The area would be able to keep current services such as the local gym, pool and aquatic centre as well as being able to improve these facilities through a variety of upgrades.

Facilities such as the local basketball courts would benefit from ongoing development and maintenance as well as promotion amongst the community to encourage usage. Moura would also be able to develop new infrastructure such as walkways and pathways and continue the development of the outdoor gym equipment. A bicycle "learn to ride" facility for school children would enhance road safety.

Water

The construction of the Nathan Dam is critical for the area as it will facilitate the development of agricultural opportunities, food processing and the resources industry.

Ongoing long term water storage and effective allocation to surrounding towns also needs to be addressed.

Disability Access

Disability access in Moura needs to be considered and in a few places such as local car parks and toilets, upgraded. To achieve this, a disability audit needs to be undertaken within the community.



Sport & Recreation Facility Usage

The sport and recreation facilities in Moura would benefit from a variety of actions such as:

- Evaluate the use of the Basketball Courts
- Increase access to facilities at night
- Continued development of River Park
- Connect golf club to River Park
- Develop partnerships between local businesses

- Expand sporting and recreation action plans
- Upgrade Recreation Grounds Shed
- Develop local sports facilities including dressing rooms, showers, indoor sports and covered/bar areas

The improvement of infrastructure for industry and business can be considered a priority. Things such as industrial land, light industry and lighting are examples of potential undertakings by the community.

Sustainable Population

Moura needs to grow as a community and maintain a sustainable rate base. The five drivers for this are:

- Population
- Small to medium industries and the development of industrial land
- Growth of small to medium businesses
- Investment in the community by residents and new investors
- Commitment by resource companies to encourage permanent employees to live in Moura

COMMUNITY PLANNING ENGAGEMENT AND FUTURE PLANNING

The ongoing process of updating and ensuring that the community owns the community plan will be undertaken every four years in line with Council Elections.

Planning Chart



ACTION PLANS

Tourism	Activity/ Task	Council's Role	Stakeholders
Encourage the development of tourism through the development of partnerships with government, regional tourism organisations and industry	Continue to work with industry regarding "Industrial Tourism" including mine tours, upgrade of platform and signage from the Dawson and Leichhardt Highways	Advocate	Anglo Coal, Westside, Belvedere, Moura Chamber of Commerce, Banana Tourism Advisory Group Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Work with businesses to build on tourism opportunities e.g. bird watching, tours to Sandstone Wonders, canoe/boat hire	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Maintain Moura tourism website www.moura.net.au	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Moura Historical
	Address opportunities regarding tourist accommodation	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Utilise promotion opportunities for the area and events, and work with businesses to review opening hours	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Create a redevelopment plan for the precinct from Rotary park to Gillespie street including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seal the truck stop Install toilets and showers that can be accessed by users of the Rotary Park and the truck stop Install pathways linking Theodore Rd and Gillespie Streets 	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Ensure that the Moura Miners Memorial is completed as this is an extremely important part of the development of tourism in Moura and Banana Shire, due to the social, cultural and economic benefits	Partner Advocate	
	Promote local events through a single Marketing and Promotional Committee	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Moura Coal and Country Festival, Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Continue the upgrade of the River Park including, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upgrade of grey water treatment New shower/toilet block with disability access Walking/cycling track from town to the River park Solar lights on the boat ramp 	Partner Advocate	Moura Fish Stocking Group Moura Apex Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.

Health	Activity/ Task	Council's Role	Stakeholders
Continue the partnership between the community and Health Service organisations in the area to identify and develop methods to improve the services in Moura	Improve the number, consistency and cooperation of General Practitioners and Allied Health Practitioners	Advocate	Qld Health
	Investigate and improve funding for local services and accessibility to services outside the community such as mental health care	Advocate	Qld Health CQRDGP
	Improve disability services; including access, facilities and develop community education and partnerships	Advocate	Anglicare Central Queensland Moura (LSO)
	Increase youth services	Advocate	Anglicare Central Queensland
	Attract private Dentist	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Build additional units at the Moura Retirement Village	Advocate	

Infrastructure	Activity/ Task	Council's Role	Stakeholders
Evaluate the current state of infrastructure in the area and partner with the community to develop plans and procedures that improve or maintain	Monitor infrastructure needs	Partner Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Banana Shire Council
	Continue to lobby for the Nathan Dam and secure water for agriculture and resources	Advocate Partner	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Banana Shire Council
	Monitor water usage, develop recycled water processes and water storage	Provider	Banana Shire Council
	Continue the development of walk and bikeways, including to the River Park and Meridian	Provider	Banana Shire Council
	Investigate the possibility of using the proposed new water pipeline for small crop industry development Continue upgrades of Kianga Hall including control room	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Banana Shire Council

Business and	Activity/ Task	Council's Role	Stakeholders
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Industry			
Develop partnerships between Moura Chamber of Commerce, the community and industry stakeholders to ensure the future of business and industry in the area	Identify and develop training for small business and stimulate local industry	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Dept. State Development
	A stronger connection to Anglo American (Dawson Mine), Baralaba Coal (Baralaba Mine & Moura Loadout Facility), Westside and QNP by the Moura community needs to be part of any development in and near the community. For Moura's sustainability it is necessary to encourage companies to commit to the employment of personnel who live in Moura and District.	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Anglo Coal, Westside, Belvedere, Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Develop plans to attract skilled staff for local business	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce, Dept. State Development
	Identify and address the demand for industrial land, freight service, water and government infrastructure	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce
	Attract Baker to set up bakery	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce

Community	Activity/ Task	Council's Role	Stakeholders
Establish effective communication with Banana Shire Council and build community involvement to resolve issues identified by the community and create opportunities for the future	Lobby changes to policies relating to development in Moura by major industry	Advocate	Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Improve town aesthetics especially all entrances into town. Relocate or screen the gravel dump from the western entrance of town. Include the planting of Narrow Leaf Kurrajongs in public areas. Install sprinkler system in parks and median strips	Provider Partner	Banana Shire Council, Moura Chamber of Commerce, Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Partner with other rural communities to encourage the diversification of trade e.g. small crops	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce
	Improve town and event promotion	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce
	Develop projects to encourage youth community participation	Advocate	Anglicare Central Queensland Moura
	Develop Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural awareness	Advocate	Moura NAIDOC Discussion Group
	Support community committees and improve communication between Council and community	Advocate	Moura Chamber of Commerce

Sport & Recreation	Activity/ Task	Council's Role	Stakeholders
Continue the development of sport and recreation facilities within the community.	Develop all facilities in a multi - use system e.g. upgrade tennis courts with shared facilities with netball	Advocate	Sporting and recreation organisations, Banana Shire Council. Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.
	Install shade and screening for outdoor gym Install shade over skate park	Provider Partner	Banana Shire Council, Moura Chamber of Commerce
	Encourage all sporting and recreation organisations to undertake five year plans	Advocate	Banana Shire Council
	Revisit the 10year development plan for the recreation reserve including the continual development of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • local sports facilities • Basketball Courts, Netball etc • Updating the current "Shed" • Upgrade signage 	Advocate Partner	Moura Sporting and Events Complex Incorporated Banana Shire Council, Moura Chamber of Commerce,
	Continue the upgrade of the River Park Facilities including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seal roads in and around camping areas • Install concrete paths in camping areas • New facilities • Develop the river edge, including the boardwalk and boat moorings 	Advocate	Moura Apex Fishing Stocking Assoc. Banana Shire Council Moura Chamber of Commerce Moura Community Progress Inc.