Queensland Infrastructure Summit
Consensus for Queensland Infrastructure

Friday 14 September 2018   |   Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre

PRESENTATIONS FROM:

The Hon Cameron Dick MP, Minister for State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning

Andrew Powell, Shadow Minister for State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning

Rachel Hunter, Director General, Department of State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning

David Donnelly, Partner and Head of Infrastructure, Allens

Megan Price, Director of Research, Phillips Group

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Paul Low, National Leader – Infrastructure, Government and Healthcare, KPMG

Adrian Dwyer, CEO, Infrastructure Partnerships Australia

Kim Curtain, Executive Director, Infrastructure & Structured Finance, NSW

Peter Colacino, Executive Director Policy & Research, Infrastructure Australia

Matt Collins, General Manager, Cities Transformation Taskforce, Queensland Treasury

Summit Chair: Matt Wordsworth, 7pm News Anchor, ABC TV

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8:30 OPENING
Opening remarks from the Chair of IAQ
Terry Rossitto, Chair, Executive Committee, Infrastructure Association of Queensland

8:40 Launch of the IAQ Infrastructure Innovation Challenge
With the support of Queensland Government, and linking with QUT academics and students, the IAQ Infrastructure Innovation Challenge will see hand-picked teams work to solve one of Queensland’s core infrastructure challenges. The Challenge takes place in the Innovation Room and will be livestreamed throughout the day with Struber. 
Stephen Uhr, Digital Taskforce Chair, IAQ and Client and Corporate Development Director, Arcadis

8:45 MINISTERIAL ADDRESS
The Hon Cameron Dick MP, Minister for State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning

PLAYING THE LONG GAME – ACHIEVING CONSENSUS ON THE BIG INFRASTRUCTURE ISSUES

9:00 Why is consensus necessary
— Australian and Queensland political landscape
— Barriers to consensus
— Consensus is desirable but is it achievable?
Garry Bowditch, Executive Director, Better Infrastructure Initiative, John Grill Centre for Project Leadership, University of Sydney

9:20 Reforming the National Partnership Agreements
— Land Transport Network

9:40 Foundations for a SEQ City Deal
Matt Collins, General Manager, Cities Transformation Taskforce, Queensland Treasury
Paul Low, National Leader, Infrastructure, Government & Healthcare and Lead Partner for Planning & Infrastructure Policy, KPMG

10:00 Networking and refreshment break

10:20 PANEL
Aligning a vision with infrastructure investment
— Benefits of a 15-20 year economic vision?
— How can infrastructure enable any vision?
— Regional and Metro considerations?
— Reforms in the Australian Infrastructure Plan – how will these play out in Queensland?
Facilitator: Nicholas Ng, Partner, Allens
Rachel Hunter, Director General, Department of State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning
John Scales, Managing Director, JWS Research
Damian Gould, CEO, Building Queensland
Adrian Dwyer, CEO, Infrastructure Partnerships Australia

CUES FOR PRIVATE SECTOR LED INFRASTRUCTURE

11:00 Leveraging the private sector
Andrew Powell, Shadow Minister for State Development, Manufacturing, Infrastructure and Planning

11:15 2018/2019 Queensland infrastructure outlook
— Queensland Government Pipeline - Private Sector Opportunities
— Private Sector Infrastructure - Civil, Mining and Energy
— Private Sector Finance and Unsolicited/ Market Led Proposal Policy Challenges
John Cotter, Managing Director, Initiative Capital

11:35 IAQ investor & developer research findings
The IAQ has undertaken to survey those entities that fund and develop infrastructure in Queensland. The survey mirrors a research report done last year looking at what infrastructure Queensland residents were wanted developed and how they would like it funded. The outcomes of the report are intended to provide an understanding of the views of funders and developers, what projects can be successfully privately funded and also articulate the vision of this sector for infrastructure in Queensland.
Megan Price, Director of Research, Phillips Group

11:55 PANEL
How to grow a potential pipeline of investable projects
— Regulatory, financing and legal environment
— How to better attract and facilitate private sector investment
— Role of government and role of private sector
David Donnelly, Partner and Head of Infrastructure, Allens
Megan Price, Director of Research, Phillips Group
Sammy Iseib, Division Director, Macquarie Capital
Liesbet Spanjaard, Partner Infrastructure Advisory, Transport, Deloitte

12:35 IAQ Infrastructure Innovation Challenge update
Livestream to Innovation Room with Struber

12:45 PANEL
OPPORTUNITIES & BEST PRACTICE – GROWTH SECTORS

13:45 Harnessing technological change in electricity and transport
Australia is at a tipping point where it is no longer a question of if, but when major disruptions will impact the electricity and transport sectors. The advent of cost effective electric vehicles and the viability of rooftop solar and battery storage will have fundamental effects on how our transport and energy markets operate. Similarly, the dependencies between these sectors will create new opportunities and challenges for government, industry and the community.
Peter Colacino, Executive Director Policy & Research, Infrastructure Australia

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14:05 Smart Infrastructure - international research
Cities around the world are preparing for, investing in, or have already adopted Smart Infrastructure solutions. How have other cities and industries harnessed digital disruption, data analytics and more to improve citizens’ lives? What lessons or ways forward are applicable to the Queensland context?

14:25 NSW Government Action Plan: A ten-point commitment to the construction sector
Kim Curtain, Executive Director, Infrastructure & Structure Finance, NSW

14:45 Stimulating regional development through freight: Inland Rail - Queensland PPP
— Updates on release of EOI on this once-in-a-generation project
— Opportunities for PPP proponents

15:05 Networking and refreshments

15:30 Showcasing smarter infrastructure – including the results of the IAQ Infrastructure Innovation Challenge
As Queensland positions itself for smarter infrastructure, a renewed private/public sector relationship means the state needs to mobilise its pool of home-grown talent, facilitate rather than impede the adoption of innovation at pace, and above all, place the citizen at the centre of decisions and services. With the support of Queensland Government, QUT and Struber, the IAQ Infrastructure Innovation Challenge is a signal that Queensland is serious about being open to change. Moreover, Queensland is committed to becoming a global leader, by enabling talent, building capacity and driving the momentum to shape this change.

16:50 CLOSING | Closing remarks from the Chair

17:00 End of Conference

18:00 Sundowner Drinks Experience
From 6pm-8pm, wind down with peers at the popular post-event Sundowner Networking Drinks, located a stone’s throw away at Divine at Treasury Brisbane Arcadia, a special Brisbane Festival venue in the South Bank Cultural Forecourt.

SHOWCASING SMARTER INFRASTRUCTURE: THE IAQ INFRASTRUCTURE INNOVATION CHALLENGE
Commencing at 9am in an adjacent room, the Infrastructure Innovation Challenge will see hand-picked teams work to solve one of Queensland’s core infrastructure challenges. In keeping with the theme of consensus, delegates will vote on the problem on the day.

The Challenge will be based on design thinking principles that accelerates the development and testing of ideas. With its roots in the domain of tech start-ups, this highly effective framework is now being used by companies of all sizes and industries to build prototypes, gain real-world feedback and ultimately make informed decisions on steps forward.

The IAQ Queensland Infrastructure Summit will fast track this process. In just one day of time-constrained decision-making, collaborative creativity and determined action, delegates from across the infrastructure landscape will witness firsthand the on-the-ground process behind innovation.

Be in the thick of the action as Queensland’s up-and-coming game changers ideate, iterate and innovate Queensland’s future infrastructure solutions.

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Summit Chair: Matt Wordsworth, 7PM News Anchor, ABC TV

Matt Wordsworth is a multi-award winning reporter and presenter with more than 20 years’ experience in journalism. Currently Matt anchors the 7PM News for the ABC in Queensland, and across his career he has presented many of the ABC’s flagship programs including 7:30, Lateline, RN Breakfast, AM and PM.

He’s covered major events here and overseas including the London Olympics, natural disasters as well as several state elections including anchoring the ABC’s election night coverage for the 2015 and 2017 Queensland state elections. He’s been a political correspondent in Queensland and New South Wales as well as a Federal Political Correspondent for Lateline. He tweets from @MattWordsworth.
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