1. The economy of the Sunshine Coast region is supported by: construction; health care and social assistance; retail trade; accommodation and food services; and education and training sectors.
2. To support regional economic growth in the Sunshine Coast, the Queensland Government is leading or helping facilitate progress on projects that include critical upgrades to transport, infrastructure, schools and hospitals, and initiatives aimed at improving jobs, growth, revenue and environmental outcomes.
3. The 2017-18 State Budget includes a number of significant economic stimulus and job creation initiatives that will directly support up to 3700 jobs in the wider Sunshine Coast and Moreton Bay region. This includes $1 billion for infrastructure and capital works, estimated to support about 2900 jobs, $4.4 billion for the Sunshine Coast, Metro North and West Moreton Hospital and Health Services, and $97.6 million for maintenance and capital works projects for schools in the Sunshine Coast and Moreton Bay region.
4. Cabinet noted an update on economic conditions and key achievements in the Sunshine Coast region.
5. *Attachments*
* Nil.