1. As part of the 2015–16 State Budget, the Queensland Government committed $5 million over three years for a committee to strengthen social cohesion and address issues that lead to anti-social behaviours, including extremism.
2. In June 2016, the Queensland Government established the Queensland Social Cohesion Implementation Committee (QSCIC) as a step towards enhancing social cohesion in our communities.
3. The QSCIC was tasked with developing an action plan, with priorities and related strategies that:
* promote the benefits of diversity in Queensland
* strengthen community cohesion and resilience
* reduce marginalisation
* address anti-social behaviour and behaviour that may lead to violence or physical harm to others.
1. *Cohesive Communities: An Action Plan for Queensland 2016-18* has been developed, informed by community consultation and research support. The Action Plan focuses on the four key areas:
* Pathways for Queenslanders
* Family Connections
* Community Connections and Strength
* Collaborative Services.
1. Cabinet endorsed the action plan titled *Cohesive Communities: An Action Plan for Queensland 2016-18*.
2. *Attachments*
* [*Cohesive Communities: An Action Plan for Queensland 2016-18*](Attachments/Plan.PDF)