

Question on Notice

No. 390

Asked on 29 April 2025

DR B O'SHEA asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations (HON J BLEIJIE) –

QUESTION:

With reference to the Queensland Government's 2032 Delivery Plan—Will the Deputy Premier advise, for the Athlete Villages in Brisbane, the Sunshine Coast, Rockhampton and the Gold Coast, (a) the total number of beds, (b) the total number of rooms and/or self-contained units, (c) the forecast number of rooms and/or self-contained units to be allocated for social and affordable housing post-event and (d) the forecast number of rooms and/or self-contained units to be allocated for Government Employee Housing?

ANSWER:

The Government's 2032 Delivery Plan sets the course for delivering an Olympic and Paralympic Games (Games) that all Queenslanders can be proud of. The Queensland Government is committed to maximising long-term benefits to support economic development, tourism and delivering lasting community benefits.

The Athlete Villages for the Brisbane 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games will be home to approximately 16,000 athletes and team officials during the Olympic Games, and 8,000 during the Paralympic Games.

Final allocation of athletes and team officials to specific villages will be completed after the sport program for Brisbane 2032 is confirmed.

Athlete accommodation in Brisbane, Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast, will ultimately transition to a legacy of over 2,000 dwellings after 2032, with a range of accommodation types after the Games. In collaboration with the site owners and associated development partners, detailed planning for these sites for the Games period and beyond is underway.

As announced in the 2032 Delivery Plan, opportunities to unlock athlete accommodation in Rockhampton is already underway.

The Government will consider a range of ways to boost housing supply, such as working with community housing providers to provide safe and secure housing for Queenslanders, including essential workers and vulnerable Queenslanders.