



## Ministerial Diary<sup>1</sup>

### Minister for Local Government and Water and Minister for Fire, Disaster Recovery and Volunteers

#### The Hon Ann Leahy MP

1 January 2026 – 31 January 2026

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
1 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
2 January 2026	Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations  Hon Dan Purdie MP Minister for Police and Emergency Services  Ministerial staff	Ministerial and Portfolio Matters
5 January 2026	Cathy White Mayor Winton Shire Council  Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland  Winton Shire Council staff  Ministerial and departmental staff	Site Visit Flood Inspections Winton

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<sup>1</sup> Does not include personal, electorate or party-political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

5 January 2026	<p>Winton Local Disaster Management Group (LDMG) members</p> <p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>Winton Shire Council members</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Meeting Local Disaster Management Group
5 January 2026	<p>Cathy White Mayor Winton Shire Council</p> <p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>Winton Shire Council staff</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Site Visit Flood Inspections Winton Businesses and Homes
5 January 2026	<p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Site Visit QFD Winton
5 January 2026	<p>Cathy White Mayor Winton Shire Council</p> <p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>Winton Shire Council staff</p> <p>Invited guests</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Winton Shire Council Dinner
6 January 2026	<p>Julia Creek Disaster Management Group (LDMG) members</p> <p>Janene Fegan Mayor McKinlay Shire Council</p>	Meeting Local Disaster Management Group

	<p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>McKinlay Shire Council staff</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	
6 January 2026	Invited members	Emergency Management Coordination Command Members BOM Briefing
6 January 2026	<p>Janene Fegan Mayor McKinlay Shire Council</p> <p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>McKinlay Shire Council staff</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Site Visit Flood Inspection Julia Creek
6 January 2026	<p>Janene Fegan Mayor McKinlay Shire Council</p> <p>Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland</p> <p>McKinlay Councillors</p> <p>McKinlay Shire Council staff</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Meeting Primary Producers and Business owners Julia Creek
6 January 2026	Hon Kristy McBain MP Minister for Emergency Management Minister for Regional Development, Local Government and Territories	Meeting Portfolio Matters
7 January 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff meeting
8 January 2026	<p>Commissioner Queensland Fire Department</p> <p>Ministerial and department staff</p>	Meeting Portfolio Matters
8 January 2026	Director-General Department of Local Government, Water and Volunteers	Meeting Portfolio Matters

	Ministerial staff	
8 January 2026	Chief Executive Officer Queensland Reconstruction Authority	Meeting Portfolio Matters
9 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
9 January 2026	Director-General Department of Local Government, Water and Volunteers  Cairns City Council staff  John Basnjak Queensland Police Service  Ministerial and departmental staff	Meeting Water
9 January 2026	Ministerial staff	Meeting staff
10 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
11 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
12 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
13 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
13 January 2026	Commissioner Queensland Fire Department	Meeting Portfolio Matters

	Ministerial and department staff	
13 January 2026	Chief Executive Officer Queensland Reconstruction Authority  Ministerial and departmental staff	Meeting Portfolio Matters
13 January 2026	Director-General Department of Local Government, Water and Volunteers  Ministerial staff	Meeting Portfolio Matters
13 January 2026	Ministerial staff	Meeting staff
14 January 2026	Queensland Disaster Management Committee (QDMC) members  Support Staff from Queensland Disaster Management Centre  Ministerial staff	Meeting Queensland Disaster Management Committee
14 January 2026	Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council  Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff  Glen Kelly Member for Mirani  Ministerial and departmental staff	Meeting Local Government
14 January 2026	Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council  Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff  Glen Kelly Member for Mirani  Ministerial and departmental staff	Site Visit Mackay Waterfront
14 January 2026	Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council  Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff  Glen Kelly Member for Mirani  Ministerial and departmental staff	Site Visit Gargett

14 January 2026	<p>Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council</p> <p>Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Glen Kelly Member for Mirani</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Site Visit Finch Hatton Police Station
14 January 2026	<p>Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council</p> <p>Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Glen Kelly Member for Mirani</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Site Visit Finch Hatton Showgrounds
14 January 2026	<p>Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council</p> <p>Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Glen Kelly Member for Mirani</p> <p>Members of the Public</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Site Visit Eungella Range and Eungella Township
14 January 2026	<p>Greg Williamson Mayor Mackay Regional Council</p> <p>Mackay Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Glen Kelly Member for Mirani</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Dinner with Local Member, Mayor and Council
15 January 2026	<p>Michelle Wright Deputy Mayor Whitsunday Regional Council</p> <p>Whitsunday Regional Councillors and staff</p> <p>Ministerial departmental staff</p>	Meeting Local Government

15 January 2026	Michelle Wright Deputy Mayor Whitsunday Regional Council  Whitsunday Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff  Ministerial and departmental staff	Site Visit Hamilton Plains – new pump station
15 January 2026	Michelle Wright Deputy Mayor Whitsunday Regional Council  Whitsunday Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff  Craig Longmuir Regional Harbour Master  Ministerial and departmental staff	Site Visit Cannonvale Beach
15 January 2026	Michelle Wright Deputy Mayor Whitsunday Regional Council  Whitsunday Regional Council Chief Executive Officer and staff  Ministerial and departmental staff	Site Visit Airlie Beach – Lagoon to Sailing Club
19 January 2026	Director-General Department of Local Government, Water and Volunteers  Commissioner Queensland Fire Department  Ministerial and departmental staff	Pre-Cabinet Brief
19 January 2026	Commissioner Queensland Fire Department  Ministerial and departmental staff	Meeting Fire
19 January 2026	Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet meeting
20 January 2026	Invited members	Emergency Management Coordination Command Members BOM Briefing
21 January 2026	Nigel Hutton MP Member for Keppel  Donna Kirkland MP Member for Rockhampton Assistant Minister for Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Treatment, Families and Seniors and Centre Queensland	Site Visit – State Emergency Service Staging Area

	Ministerial and department staff	
21 January 2026	<p>Nigel Hutton MP Member for Keppel</p> <p>Donna Kirkland MP Member for Rockhampton Assistant Minister for Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Treatment, Families and Seniors and Centre Queensland</p> <p>Ministerial and department staff</p>	Site Visit – Rockhampton Incident Control Centre
21 January 2026	<p>Nigel Hutton MP Member for Keppel</p> <p>Donna Kirkland MP Member for Rockhampton Assistant Minister for Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Treatment, Families and Seniors and Centre Queensland</p> <p>Ministerial and department staff</p>	Site Visit – State Emergency Service Emergency Operations Centre
21 January 2026	<p>Donna Kirkland MP Member for Rockhampton Assistant Minister for Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Treatment, Families and Seniors and Centre Queensland</p> <p>Ministerial and department staff</p>	Rockhampton Flood Tour - Lakes Creek Flood Barrier
21 January 2026	<p>Donna Kirkland MP Member for Rockhampton Assistant Minister for Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Treatment, Families and Seniors and Centre Queensland</p> <p>Nigel Hutton MP Member for Keppel</p> <p>Rockhampton Regional Council staff</p> <p>Ministerial and department staff</p>	Inspection Fitzroy River and Rookwood Weir
21 January 2026	<p>Donna Kirkland MP Member for Rockhampton Assistant Minister for Mental Health, Drug and Alcohol Treatment, Families and Seniors and Centre Queensland</p> <p>Tony Williams Mayor</p>	Meeting Local Government

	<p>Rockhampton Regional Council</p> <p>Rockhampton Regional Council staff</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	
22 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Ministerial Staff</p>	Observe Minute Silence for International Day of Mourning
22 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Ben Hall Mayor Quilpie Shire Council</p> <p>Quilpie Shire Council Councillors and staff</p> <p>Ministerial staff</p>	Dinner
23 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Tractor Ferguson Mayor Bulloo Shire Council</p> <p>Bulloo Shire Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Ministerial staff</p>	Meeting Portfolio Matters
23 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Tractor Ferguson Mayor Bulloo Shire Council</p> <p>Bulloo Shire Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Ministerial staff</p>	Flood Impacted Social Housing Site Visit
23 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Tractor Ferguson Mayor Bulloo Shire Council</p> <p>Bulloo Shire Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Ministerial staff</p>	Foodworks Thargomindah Site Visit

23 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Tractor Ferguson Mayor Bulloo Shire Council</p> <p>Bulloo Shire Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Ministerial staff</p>	Thargomindah Council Chambers Site Visit
23 January 2026	<p>Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans</p> <p>Tractor Ferguson Mayor Bulloo Shire Council</p> <p>Bulloo Shire Council Chief Executive Officer and staff</p> <p>Ministerial staff</p>	Levy Bank Inspection Site Visit
26 January 2026	<p>Wendy Taylor Mayor Maranoa Regional Council</p> <p>Maranoa Regional Council Councillors</p>	Volunteer Awards and Citizenship Ceremony
27 January 2026	<p>Director-General Department of Local Government, Water and Volunteers</p> <p>Commissioner Queensland Fire Department</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Pre-Cabinet Brief
27 January 2026	<p>Commissioner Queensland Fire Department</p> <p>Ministerial and departmental staff</p>	Meeting Fire
27 January 2026	Ministerial staff	Meeting staff
27 January 2026	Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet meeting
27 January 2026	Ministerial staff	Meeting staff
28 January 2026	<p>Emma Thomas Chief Executive Officer Seqwater</p> <p>John McEvoy Chairperson Seqwater</p> <p>Amanda Cooper</p>	Meeting Water

	Board Member Seqwater	
29 January 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans  Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland  Chris Stream State Disaster Coordinator  Ministerial staff	Meeting Portfolio Matters
29 January 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans  Cr Barry Hughes Mayor Etheridge Shire Council  Sean Dillon MP Member for Gregory Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland  Ministerial staff	Meeting Portfolio Matters
29 January 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP Premier, Minister for Veterans  Einasleyh Pub Owners	Meeting Portfolio Matters
30 January 2026	Brett Boatfield President Stanthorpe Agricultural Society  Invited guests  Ministerial staff	Event – 2026 Stanthorpe Show
30 January 2026	Vic Pennisi Local Government Grants Commissioner  Stephen Tancred Local Agronomist and businessman	Meeting Water
30 January 2026	David Littleproud Federal Member for Maranoa  James Lister MP Member for Southern Downs  Brett Boatfield	Event - Show Society Official Lunch

	President Stanthorpe Agricultural Society  Invited guests  Ministerial staff	
30 January 2026	David Littleproud Federal Member for Maranoa James Lister MP Member for Southern Downs  Invited guests  Ministerial staff	Event - Official Opening 2026 Stanthorpe Show

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