

New investment in community safety

Community safety is at the core of the government's response to youth crime.

New funding is supporting more police resources and high-visibility police patrols. This is in addition to the 12,000 police officers already on the beat protecting community safety.

We'll also do more to directly help Queenslanders with crime prevention, while also being there to support victims of crime in their time of need.

More resources to help seniors secure their homes

- › \$15 million to assist seniors improve their home security.
- › The program will subsidise practical home security improvements such as installing CCTV cameras, upgrading window locks, strengthening shutters, and addressing design issues that enable ease of access.
- › The program will be trialled in three locations.

Increasing assistance for victims of crime

- › \$9 million in new funding to better respond to victims of property crime where violence or threats of violence have occurred.
- › This includes \$3 million to increase counselling services and boost funding for community support services.
- › Victims of crime can access support by searching victim support Queensland or phoning 1300 546 587.

Subsidising vehicle immobilisers to help prevent car theft

- › \$10 million to subsidise the cost of fitting vehicle immobilisers.
- › Vehicle immobilisers prevent cars from starting without the correct unique code.
- › The program will run in Townsville, Cairns and Mt Isa and commence by mid-2023.

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