

# Year in review



## **Towards a better housing system**

This year we initiated the development of a ten year Housing Strategy for all Queenslanders to create a housing system that is accessible and affordable, builds sustainable communities and provides opportunities for growth. We consulted broadly with Queenslanders through a mix of forums, surveys and formal submissions.

## **Towards a fairer building industry**

The building and construction industry employed around 220,000 Queenslanders in 2015–16 and contributed approximately \$44 billion to the state's economy. This year we focussed on fairness in the building industry by investigating security of payment for subcontractors to help ensure people are paid for the work they do. We are consulting widely with stakeholders across the state.

## **Towards better government procurement**

Government procurement of goods, services and infrastructure is worth billions of dollars to Queensland businesses. This year we finalised a whole of government review of procurement policy and practices, analysing previous reviews and leading public and private sector procurement practices and consulting widely with departments, industry and peak union bodies.