## Response: LNP John-Paul Langbroek

Dear Dom,

I write in response to your recent email regarding the LNP's election position on Outdoors Queensland's recreation policy.

I would first like to highlight that the LNP has a bold vision to make Queensland the economic powerhouse of Australia once again; the best place to get a job and get ahead. An LNP government will implement our economic plan for a decade of secure jobs, to get Queenslanders working again and drag Queensland out of the recession by stimulating the economy.

Unlike the Palaszczuk Labor Government, the LNP has a plan to boost Queensland's economy. While it is true that economic uncertainty has never been so widespread in Queensland, it should not be forgotten that Queensland had the nation's highest unemployment, most bankruptcies and lowest business confidence prior to COVID-19.

2020 has brought many challenges for Queensland, and indeed the nation. COVID-19 has placed many Queenslanders under various forms of stress, and as a result we've seen a rise in mental health impacts, as recorded by various organisations. The importance of sport and being outdoors are both widely recognised for physical and mental health benefits, and consequently have been very important to many people this year, as they strive to deal with unprecedented pressures.

Outdoors Queensland has an important role to play in the continued development of outdoor spaces and activities for Queenslanders, and I wish you every success for your work. The LNP, in a Deb Frecklington LNP Government, would value your contributions and policy input.

Kind Regards,

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