

## Public Facilities



### Mackay Convention Centre

**Client:** Mackay Regional Council

**Construction completed:** 2009

**Construction costs:** \$22 million

This iconic development has been designed by highly credentialed architects, Cox Rayner. The building houses a convention hall, concourse, amenities and function facilities. The construction of the project includes onsite prefabricated tilt-up panels and a mix of coloured off-form concrete, recycled timber and feature glazing. The building is one of the most significant cultural assets in central Queensland.

**Client Comment:** *"The construction of the MECC is a credit to all involved and certainly leaves a lasting legacy. It's a facility that plays a pivotal role in enhancing the region's economic, entertainment and cultural tourism prospects."*

*It's a centre built by locals for the enjoyment of locals and will become the focal meeting point for future generations. Your passion and unrelenting commitment to the project was greatly appreciated and I trust you have a great sense of pride in the centre and what it will deliver for the Mackay region.*

*We are always faced with challenges – and this project was no different. Your patience, guidance and willingness to deliver the project was outstanding and you can be justifiably proud of what the team achieved".*

Col Meng, Mackay Mayor

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