

Town Overview

Welcome to Roma! The Capital of the Western Downs

Roma is a vibrant and thriving Queensland country town located 490km west of the State's capital, Brisbane.

Regarded as the "Capital of the Western Downs", Roma is the second largest urban community in Western Queensland. It covers an area of 78 square kilometres, has a population of 6,500 people in the town with an additional 20,000 residents in the surrounding region.

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Roma is a leading industrial and service centre. The Town is home to the rich oil and gas industry, many strong performing value adding industries, a comprehensive public service sector and diversified retail and service businesses.

Tourism

Tourism is another industry that is doing well and has enormous development potential.

Visitors to Roma's many attractions from the Big Rig Interpretive Centre which showcases the rich history of the Oil and Gas industry, Queensland's oldest winery and the Roma Courthouse, through to the many historical walks and tours around the Town have contributed to the development of motels, restaurants and cafes in and around Roma.

In addition to the local attractions, tourists also visit and stay in Roma because of its location at the doorstep of some of Queensland's premier National Parks, including Carnarvon Gorge National Park and Mount Moffitt National Park, just two hours drive north of the town.

Facilities

Roma has an easygoing lifestyle for

residents with its high standard of living, education, sporting and recreation facilities, as well as access to quality housing within the Township.

Roma offers immense investment potential for domestic, interstate and international businesses. The Town has substantial industrial land available that is fully serviced by Roma Town Council. All land is competitively priced and has quick and easy access to rail, road and air transport facilities.

Climate

Another benefit of choosing Roma as a place to live is its idyllic climate. With an annual rainfall of 600mm per year and a temperature range from an average 27.9 (C) in summer to 12.8 (C) in winter, Roma really is a smart choice for family, business and lifestyle.



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