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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **Hundreds of Motorhome Travellers welcomed to Rockhampton**

Over 750 motor homes are set to arrive in Rockhampton over the weekend to join in the 45th annual National Motorhome Rally. The rally is based at the Rockhampton Show Grounds and will run from Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September and conclude on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October.

Chairman of Capricorn Tourism, Grand Cassidy, said, "Many of the attendees will be visiting Rockhampton for approximately 7 days and will enjoy the friendly hospitality that Central Queensland is renowned for. Capricorn Holidays has compiled a detailed tour program to the local attractions and will be encouraging all participants to not only enjoy the region's sights, but also visit our local restaurants, cafes and retail outlets".

"Caravanning and Motor homes are one of the largest markets for our regions tourism industry and we are very pleased that Rockhampton has been able to host the rally and showcase what the region has to offer", Mr Cassidy said.

The 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Motorhome Rally is set to be a great week for everyone involved and if any of our local community happen to see any Rally participants over the next week, be sure to give them a friendly Rockhampton welcome.

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