



## **St Vincent de Paul secures funding for Inala Family Support Centre**

Volunteers at St Vincent de Paul Society Queensland's Inala Support Centre will soon be able to undertake their work in air conditioned comfort after Vinnies secured \$14,547.50 in funding towards a \$32,757 project as part of the federal government's Stronger Communities program.

The Inala Support Centre which provides emergency relief for vulnerable members of the community, will also build a car port as well as install air conditioning from the third round of the funding from the stronger communities program, as part of a matched funding initiative to upgrade the centre.

St Vincent de Paul Society's Family Support Coordinator Liza Dykstra who is based at the Inala centre said the funding will make a real difference to those who use the facility.

"The car port will provide suitable protection for vehicles from environmental damage and the air conditioning will ensure the centre itself is maintained at comfortable temperatures for our volunteers, clients and staff, particularly in the summer months," she said.

"Being able to help people in comfort will allow us to work more efficiently and effectively and our clients can also get some respite from the heat during summer when they visit in search of support.

"We are very thankful to have received this funding as it will of great benefit to the whole community."

The charity organisation has secured quotes from two locally based suppliers to undertake the works which should begin from next month.

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