

FILMING PLATFORM GUIDE



INFRASTRUCTURE



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INTRODUCTION

Football Queensland has created this Guide to provide clubs and local councils with filming platform standards for football facilities.

All clubs involved in Premier competitions (National Premier Leagues Queensland and Football Queensland Premier League 1 & 2 competitions) must have a permitted filming structure prior to the start of the 2023 competition.

Community clubs are encouraged to use this Guide to ensure all existing permanently fixed filming structures meet the requirements, and that the requirements are met when installing a filming platform prior to the club's promotion to Premier competitions.

All clubs must obtain landowner's consent for new and existing filming structures.

REQUIREMENTS

There are two types of filming structures – permanent and temporary.

A temporary structure is not permanently fixed and is temporarily constructed or erected for the purpose of a viewing platform or filming of football.

A permanent structure is fixed at all times.

Filming platforms that are permanently fixed and meet the criteria in this Guide are permitted for use and covered by insurance with Football Queensland.

All other temporary structures used as filming platforms that are not permanently fixed are **not insured** for any claim arising out of third-party injury and/or property damage by Football Queensland.

Clubs may utilise the services of a third party to provide and erect a temporary structure that meets the requirements of this Guide, however clubs must ensure they sight and retain a copy of the provider's insurance and Certificate of Currency.

Premier Clubs

Specific structural requirements of permitted permanent and temporary filming structures:

- Must be easily accessible.
- Access to the platform must accommodate one person with necessary gear to navigate through safely, while the platform itself should accommodate two people and the necessary camera and live streaming equipment.
- Minimum height of 1.5m (recommended height is 4.3m or 2 storeys).
- Minimum distance from the sideline and any other object is 3m.
- Minimum standard dimensions of a platform are 2400mm x 1200mm.
- Shelter (and all structural poles) must not obstruct the view of the entire field (including near-side corners).
- Filming platform must have adequate shelter to keep filming equipment and personnel protected from weather.
- Be located within 50m of the main power sources in a safe location. Power must meet AS/NZS 3112 standard. Fixed power sources within the filming platform are preferred.

Community Clubs

Clubs that do not participate in Premier Competitions are not required to have a filming platform.

Filming platforms that meet the requirements in this Guide and are fully certified, compliant, and covered by insurance are permitted for use.

FQ encourages aspirational clubs to explore funding opportunities to invest in a filming structure to meet the requirements for Premier competitions.

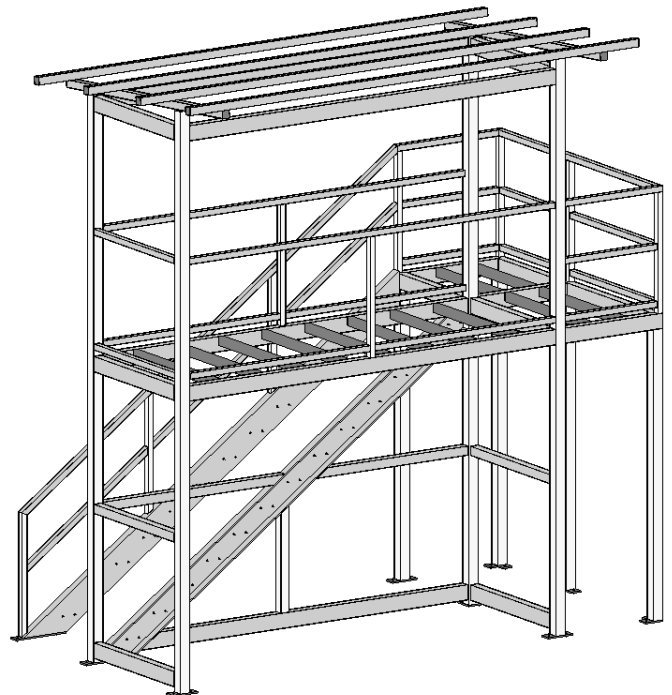
PLATFORM SOLUTION

Football Queensland's Official Modular Facilities Partner, Ausco Modular has designed a filming platform for clubs that complies with all requirements.

Custom Fabricated Filming Platform

A fully enclosed, protected, and approved platform with the following inclusions:

- Colorbond steel roofing
- Fabricated Australian Steel sections (painted)
- Steel sheeting and perforated steel shade screens
- Deliver to site from manufacturing centre
- Installation on site per agreed scope of works



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