

Ministerial Diary Disclosure Form

Ministerial Code of Conduct, s 5.3

Victorian Government

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'Ministers must publish summaries from their diaries on a quarterly basis, detailing scheduled meetings with stakeholders, external organisations, third-party lobbyists, Government Affairs Directors, and external individuals.

Summaries should disclose the meeting date, company or organisation with whom the meeting occurred, meeting attendees, including registered lobbyist details (where applicable), purpose of the meeting and any other additional information required by the Premier.'

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Declaration

Quarterly disclosure period: January 2024 – March 2024

Minister name: Hon Harriet Shing MP

Ministerial portfolio(s): Housing, Water and Equality

Declaration:

I declare that the information provided in the attached summary of my Ministerial diary is true, accurate and complies with my obligations under the Ministerial Code of Conduct at the date of signature.

Signature of Minister: _____



Date: _____

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PORTFOLIOS : Housing, Water and Equality

Subject	Start Date	Description
Flood Discussion	10/01/2024	Attendees: Dan Lewry, Acting Chief of Staff, Ministerial office Senior Adviser, Ministerial office Adviser, Ministerial office Charmaine Quick, Managing Director - Goulburn Murray Water Brad Drust, CEO - North Central Catchment Management Authority Damian Wells, Managing Director - Coliban Water Andrew Fennessy, Acting Deputy Secretary, Water & Catchments Group DEECA Purpose of meeting: Portfolio meeting to discuss floods.
IWM Forum Chairs	10/01/2023	Attendees: Senior Adviser, Ministerial office Rob Skinner, Chair of Werribee IWM Forum and Lead Chair Rohan Henry, Chair of Maribyrnong IWM Forum Chris Chesterfield, Chair of Yarra IWM Forum Lydia Wilson, Chair of Dandenong IWM Forum Gillian Sparkes, Chair of Westernport IWM Forum Cath Botta, Chair of North East IWM Forum Melinda Knapp, Executive Director of CWCT, DEECA Abby Farmer, Acting Director of Resilient Cities and Towns, DEECA Purpose of meeting: Stakeholder meeting with IWM Forum Chairs to discuss Integrated Water Management Forums.

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- Vasey RSL Care 15/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Janna Voloshin, CEO, Vasey RSL Care
Mike O'Meara, Board Chair, Vasey RSL Care
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Cathryn McCarthy, Director Community Housing Partnerships, Homes Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting for Vasey to brief the Minister on social housing projects in their strategic plan.
- Transgender
Victoria 15/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Rochelle Pattison, Chair, Transgender Victoria
Son Vivienne, CEO, Transgender Victoria
Michelle McNamara, Chair of the Advocacy Committee and Treasurer, Transgender Victoria
Helen Kelly, Acting Director Equality, Department of Families, Fairness and Housing
Purpose of meeting:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss various matters.
- Victorian Council of
Social Service 16/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Juanita Pope, Interim CEO, VCOSS
Deborah Fewster, Director, Policy and Advocacy, VCOSS
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Danni de Kretser, Deputy CEO, Homes Victoria
Simon Duell, Acting Director, Social Housing Reform, Strategy Policy and Planning, Homes
Purpose of meeting:
Introductory meeting.

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Community

Housing Industry

Australia

16/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Sarah Toohey, CEO, Community Housing Industry Association

Jason Perdriau, Deputy CEO, Community Housing Industry Association

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Alison Rutherford, Executive Director, Housing Outcomes and Partnerships, Homes Victoria

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss various matters.

Taungurung Land
and Waters Council

17/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Matthew Burns, CEO, Taungurung Land and Waters Council

Matthew Shanks , Director, Cultural Land Management, Taungurung Land and Waters Council

Voytek Lapinski, Aboriginal Water Officer, Taungurung Land and Waters Council

Melinda Knapp, Executive Director, CWCT, DEECA

Lisa Lowe, Acting Director, Environmental Policy and Community Partnerships, DEECA

Purpose of meeting:

Meeting to discuss water portfolio matters.

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Regional
Stakeholders

17/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Geoff Turner, Executive Officer, Murray River Group of Councils
Stuart King, Mayor, Swan Hill Rural City Council
Shane Sali, Mayor, Greater Shepparton Council
Ross Stanton, Mayor/Chair, Gannawarra Shire Council / Murray River Group of Councils 2024
Geoff Dobson, Cr, Greater Shepparton City Council - MDA Region 2 Chair
Andrew Leahy, Chair, VFF Water Council
Emma Germano, President, VFF
Natalie Akers, Water Policy Officer, VFF
Charles Everist, Head of Policy, VFF
David McKenzie, Co-Chair, Goulburn Murray Irrigation District Leadership Group
Suzanna Sheed, Co-Chair, Goulburn Murray Irrigation District Leadership Group
Diane James AM, Chair, Goulburn-Murray Water
Charmaine Quick, Managing Director, Goulburn-Murray Water
Chris Cumming, CEO, Goulburn-Broken CMA
Sarah Parker, Chair, Goulburn-Broken CMA
Brad Drust, DEO, North Central CMA
Lindy Niewenhausen, CEO, Goulburn Broken Regional Water Services Committee
Craig Madden, Member, Goulburn Broken Regional Water Services Committee
Fiona Le Gassick, CEO, Greater Shepparton City Council
Markus Baggs Sargood, Director, Market and Retail Entitlement Reform, DEECA
Lucy Arrowsmith, Acting Director - Intergovernmental, DEECA

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss Murray Darling Basin.

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Goulburn Valley
Environment
Group

17/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
John Pettigrew, President, Goulburn Valley Environment Group
Lucy Arrowsmith, Acting Director Intergovernmental, DEECA

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss local environment issues.

Dinner with Local
Councils /
Goulburn-Murray
Water / Goulburn
Broken Catchment
Management
Authority

17/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Shane Sali, Mayor, Greater Shepparton City Council
Geoff Dobson, Councillor, Greater Shepparton City Council – Murray Darling Association Region 2 Chair
Fiona Le Gassick, CEO, Greater Shepparton City Council
Diane James AM, Chair, Goulburn-Murray Water
Pat McNamara, Deputy Chair, Goulburn-Murray Water
Charmaine Quick, Managing Director, Goulburn-Murray Water
Chris Cumming, CEO, Goulburn Broken Catchment Management Authority
Sarah Parker, Chair, Goulburn Broken Catchment Management Authority
Regan Flanagan, Acting General Manager, Goulburn Valley Water
Andrew Fennessy, Acting Deputy Secretary Water and Catchments, DEECA
Jesse Rose, Co-Executive Director Water Resource Strategy, DEECA

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss local issues in housing and water.

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- Salvation Army Housing 19/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Peter McGrath, Homelessness State Manager Victoria, The Salvation Army Housing
Jed Donoghue, General Manager of Homelessness Services, The Salvation Army Housing
Paul Scarmozzino, Acting Executive Director, Homes Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss various matters.
- Master Builders Association of Victoria 23/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Michaela Lihou, CEO, Master Builders Association of Victoria
Corrie Williams, Executive Director, Collaboration and Innovation, Master Builders Association of Victoria
Anthony Appleyard, Director, Policy, Master Builders Association of Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Introductory meeting.
- Phone call : Anna Brown, OAM, CEO, Equality Australia 24/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Anna Brown OAM, CEO, Equality Australia
Purpose of meeting:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss intersex reform.

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Wombat Housing Support Services 25/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Rebecca Cleaver, CEO, Wombat Housing Support Services
Carmelo Maccarone, Programmes Manager, Wombat Housing Support Services
Paul Scarmozzino, Acting Executive Director, Homes Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Introductory meeting.

Housing for the Aged Action Group Inc 25/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Fiona York, Executive Officer, Housing for the Aged Action Group Inc
Dini Liyanarachchi, Advocacy Officer, Housing for the Aged Action Group Inc
Sherri Bruinhout, Executive Director Homes Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Introductory meeting.

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Committee for Frankston & Mornington Peninsula 30/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Paul Mercurio MP, State Member for Hastings
Joshua Sinclair, Chief Executive Officer, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Peter Beale, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Jade Phelan, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Jackie Prossor, Secretary, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Pippa Hanson, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Angela Cleland, CEO, Mornington Peninsula Regional Tourism Board
Jereome Keating, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Trudy Poole, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Rod Evenden, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Matt McDonald, Board Member, Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula
Purpose of meeting:
Housing briefing for Committee for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula.

TAFE Gippsland 30/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Laura Macpherson, CEO, TAFE Gippsland
Paul Buckley PSM, Board Chair TAFE Gippsland
Sherri Bruinhout, Acting Executive Director, Strategy Policy and Planning, Homes Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss various matters.

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Victoria Police

31/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Matthew Dawson, Chief of Staff, Ministerial Office

Senior Adviser, Minister for Police's office

Chief Commissioner Shane Patton, Victoria Police

Commander Wayne Newman, Chief of Staff, Victoria Police

AC David Clayton, Assistant Commissioner, Victoria Police

Purpose of meeting:

Portfolio meeting in relation to LGBTIQ+ data and LGBTQIA+ event management.

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Institutional
Investment
Advisory Group

31/01/2024 **Attendees:**

Treasurer, Tim Pallas MP [Chair]
Minister for Precincts and Development Victoria, Hon. Colin Brooks MP
Sarah Leighton, Chief of Staff to Hon. Colin Brooks MP
Matt Dawson, Chief of Staff to Hon. Harriet Shing MP
Senior Adviser to the Treasurer
Dee Cakir, Deputy Director of Parliament and Stakeholders, Premier's Office
Paul Donegan, Deputy Secretary, Economic Division, Department of Treasury and Finance
Sharon Oxlade, Executive Director, Economic Division, Department of Treasury and Finance
Danni Jarrett, Deputy Secretary, Industry, Trade and Investment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions
Natalie Reiter, Deputy Secretary, Strategy and Precincts, Department of Transport and Planning
Carolyn Viney, Chief Executive Officer, Super Housing Partnerships
Debby Blakey, Chief Executive Officer, HESTA
Jeff Brunton Head of Portfolio Management HESTA
Kristian Fok, Chief Executive Officer, Cbus Super
John Longo, Head of Property, Cbus Super
Sam Sicilia, Chief Investment Officer, Hostplus
Enrico Burgio, Rest Industry Super
Andrew Lill, Rest Industry Super
Jing Guo, IFM Investors
Sarah Broadbent Associate Director, Stakeholder Relations, IFM Investors
Paul Schroder, Chief Executive Officer, Australian Super
Erin Sales, Senior Manager, Government Relations, Australian Super

Purpose:

Meeting of the Institutional Investment Advisory Group, purpose is to support implementation and delivery of the Government's Housing Statement.

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Victorian Public Tenants Association 31/01/2024 **Attendees:**
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Katelyn Butters, CEO, Victorian Public Tenants Association
Simon Newport, CEO, Homes Victoria
Purpose of meeting:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss various matters.

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Traditional Owners 13/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Corporation

Caucus

Stuart Harradine, Natural Resource Management Support Officer / Spirit Officer, Barengi Gadjin Land Council

Colin Gorton, Manager, Natural Resource Management, Barengi Gadjin Land Council

Jody Irwin, Chief Executive Officer, Bunurong Land Council Aboriginal Corporation

Daniel Miller, Chief Executive Officer, Gunaikurnai Land and Waters Aboriginal Corporation

Levi Lovett, A/Chief Executive Officer, Gunditj Mirring Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation

Kaley Nicholson, Chairperson, Taungurung Land and Waters Council

Matthew Burns, Chief Executive Officer, Taungurung Land and Waters Council

Matthew Smith, Chief Executive Officer, Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation

Greg Robinson, Chairperson, Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation

Damein Bell, A/Chief Executive Officer, Wurundjeri Woi-Wurrung Cultural Heritage Aboriginal Corporation

Jay Whittaker, Manager, Whole of Country, Yorta Yorta Nation Aboriginal Corporation

Rowan Jayasuriya, A/Chief Executive Officer, Yorta Yorta Nation Aboriginal Corporation

Mark Costello, Program Manager, Partnership and Policy, DJAARA

Marcus Clarke, Chief Executive Officer, Eastern Maar Aboriginal Corporation

Kenny Stewart, Government Liaison Officer, First People of the Millewa-Mallee Aboriginal Corporation

Donnella Harradine, A/Chief Executive Officer, First People of the Millewa-Mallee Aboriginal Corporation

Professor. Gregory Phillips, Chief Executive Officer, ABSTARR Consulting Pty Ltd

Indi Clarke, Consultant, ABSTARR Consulting Pty Ltd

Charles Williams, Consultant, ABSTARR Consulting Pty Ltd

Tom Bell, Executive Director First Peoples Self Determination, DEECA

Matthew Dawson, Chief of Staff, Ministerial Office

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss Water portfolio.

LGBTIQA+

Taskforce and
Working Group
Induction

13/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Louise McKinley, Senior Executive Director, Commissioning & System Improvement
Nicola Brown, DJCS Deputy Secretary, People, Safety, Culture and Communications
Kate Berry, Executive Director, Policy & Delivery, Fairer Victoria
Michael West, Director, Equality Unit, DFFH
Adviser, Ministerial office
Adam Bourne, Co-chair, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Alex Potter, Co-chair, Health and Wellbeing Working Group & LGBTIQA+ Taskforce member
Sean Mulcahy, Co-chair, Justice Working Group
Tony Briffa, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce member
Dean Sutton, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce member
Elvis Martin, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce member
Janet Jukes, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce & Justice Working Group member
Karen Bryant, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce member
Margherita Coppolino, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce member
Deb Chumbley, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Jami Jones, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Noushin Barghi, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Ricki Spencer, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Tara Laursen, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Tom Dickson, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Jemma Mead, Health and Wellbeing Working Group member
Aimee Cooper, Justice Working Group member
Jamie Gardiner, Justice Working Group member
Ryan Hsu, Justice Working Group member
Cassandra Martin, Justice Working Group member
Danijel Malbasa, Justice Working Group member

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Jasmine McGowan, Justice Working Group member

Jean Dinco, Justice Working Group member

Mohammad Taha, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce observer

Amelia Bright, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce observer

Adam Ehm, Health and Wellbeing Working Group observer

Annabel Chan, Health and Wellbeing Working Group observer

Clara Conheady, Health and Wellbeing Working Group observer

Dylan McBurney, Health and Wellbeing Working Group observer

Akii Ngo, Justice Working Group observer

Avia Sanders, Justice Working Group observer

Purpose of meeting:

Meeting of the LGBTIQA+ Taskforce.

South Gippsland
Shire Council

20/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Cr Clare Williams, Mayor, South Gippsland Shire Council

Kerryn Ellis, CEO, South Gippsland Shire Council

Tom McIntosh, Member for Eastern Victoria

Electorate Officer

Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss extreme weather event.

Housing and
Homelessness
Ministerial Council

23/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Commonwealth

The Hon Julie Collins MP, Minister for Housing, Homelessness and Small Business

Lisa Mycko, Chief of Staff

Housing Adviser

Housing Adviser

Ray Griggs, Secretary, Department of Social Services

Matt Flavel, Deputy Secretary, Social Security Stream, Department of Social Services

Victoria Anderson, Deputy Secretary, Small Business, Housing, Corporate and Law Group, Treasury

Troy Sloan, Group Manager, Pensions, Housing and Homelessness, Department of Social Services

Kerren Crosthwaite, First Assistant Secretary, Housing Division, Treasury

Vera Holenstein, Assistant Secretary, Housing Finance Branch

Nicholas Dowie, Assistant Secretary, Housing Strategy Branch, Treasury

A/g Branch Manager, Housing and Homelessness Strategy and Data Branch, Department of Social Services

Branch Manager, Housing and Homelessness Policy, Department of Social Services

Branch Manager, Housing and Homelessness Program Development, Department of Social Services

New South Wales

The Hon Rose Jackson MLC, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Water, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast

Mat Campbell, Director, Policy, Office of the Minister for Housing and Minister for Homelessness

Anne Campbell, Deputy Secretary, Strategy, Policy and Commissioning

Rebecca Pinkstone, CEO, Homes NSW

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Queensland

The Hon Meaghan Scanlon MP, Minister for Housing, Local Government and Planning and Minister for Public Works

Clare Manton, Chief of Staff

Danielle McAllister, Deputy Director-General, Policy, Performance and First Nations

Kirstine Harvie, General Manager, Strategic Policy and Intergovernmental Relations

Western Australia

Mr David Scaife MLA, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Planning; Lands; Housing; Homelessness

Policy Adviser – Hon John Carey MLA

Leon McIvor, Deputy Director General, Housing & Assets, Department of Communities

South Australia

The Hon Nat Cook MP, Minister for Human Services

Michael Hicks, Chief of Staff

Michael Buchan, Chief Executive, SA Housing Authority

The Hon Nick Champion MP, Minister for Housing and Urban Development, Minister for Planning, Minister for Trade and Investment

Senior Adviser – Housing and Urban Development

Tasmania

Senior Adviser to the Minister for Housing and Construction

Eleri Morgan-Thomas, CEO, Homes Tasmania

Jessemy Stone, Director, Housing Policy and Programs, Homes Tasmania

ACT

Ms Yvette Berry MLA, Minister for Housing and Suburban Development, Deputy Chief Minister, Minister for Early Childhood Development, Minister for Education and Youth Affairs, Minister for Women, Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence, Minister for Sport and Recreation

Brooke Yates, Executive Branch Manager, Housing and Inclusive Policy, Community Services

Mitch Pirie, Executive Group Manager, Economic and Finance, Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate

Jessica Hillcrest, A/g Senior Director, Affordable Housing Policy Coordination

Northern Territory

The Hon Ngaree Ah Kit MLA, Minister for Urban Housing, Minister for Territory Families, Minister Multicultural Affairs, Minister for Youth, Seniors and Equality, Minister for Disabilities

Senior Policy Adviser – Minister Ah Kit

Housing Advisor – Minister Uibo

Danyelle Jarvis, A/g Deputy CEO Housing, Territory Families, Housing and Communities Jared Collins, Executive Director – Housing Market Reform and Programs, Territory Families, Housing and Communities

Jane Burton, Director, Government Relations, Territory Families, Housing and Communities

Victoria

Senior Adviser – Minister Shing

Adviser – Minister Shing

Dannii de Kretser, Deputy Chief CEO, Homes Victoria

Simon Duell, A/g Director, Social Housing Reform

Purpose of meeting:

Ministerial Council meeting.

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Co-Chair,
LGBTIQA+
Taskforce

27/02/2024 **Attendees:**
Professor Adam Bourne, Co-Chair, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Adviser, Ministerial office
Manager, Equality Policy, Fairer Victoria, Engagement, DFFH

Purpose of meeting:
Introductory meeting.

Australian Services
Union

27/02/2024 **Attendees:**
Lisa Darmanin, Branch Secretary, Australian Services Union
Leon Wiegard, Assistant Branch Secretary, Australian Services Union
Kristy Lee Tyrrell, Australian Services Union
Annabel Moony, Director, Sector Governance and Support, DEECA
Matthew Dawson, Chief of Staff, Ministerial Office

Purpose of meeting:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss various matters.

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Western

28/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Homelessness

Katie Hall MP, Member for Footscray and Parliamentary Secretary for Housing and Chairperson

Action Group

Sonia Chudiak, Director Service Delivery Strategic Engagement, Homes Victoria

Jocelyn Bignold, CEO, McAuley for Women and Children

Deborah Gorsuch, Housing Team Leader, Uniting Wyndham

Rhonda Collins, CEO, Latitude Direction for Young People and Network Chair

Rebecca Cleaver, CEO, Wombat Housing Support Service

Sarah Langmore, Networker, Western Homelessness Network, Wombat Housing

Donna Bennett, CEO, Hope Street

Sue Scott, Operations Manager, Hope Street

Diversity and Engagement Coordinator, Western Bulldogs Football Club

Electorate Officer, Office of Steve McGhie MP

Electorate Officer, Office of Katie Hall MP

Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Stakeholder meeting to discuss homelessness.

Aboriginal Housing

28/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Victoria

Darren Smith, CEO, Aboriginal Housing Victoria

Lisa Briggs, Director Strategy and Performance, Aboriginal Housing Victoria

Jarrold Allen, Senior Policy Officer, Aboriginal Housing Victoria

Matthew Duggan, A/ Executive Director Aboriginal Housing and Homelessness, Homes Victoria

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Introductory meeting.

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- Mind Australia 29/02/2024 **Attendees:**
Gill Callister, CEO, Mind Australia
Katie Larsen, Executive Director, Lived Experience, Mind Australia
Adviser, Ministerial office
Michael West, Director Equality Unit, Fairer Victoria, DFFH
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss LGBTIQ+ Aftercare Program.
- Switchboard 29/02/2024 **Attendees:**
Joe Ball, CEO, Switchboard
Michael West, Director Equality Unit, Fairer Victoria
Adviser, Ministerial office
Purpose of meeting:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss LGBTIQ+ community wellbeing.

LGBTIQA+
Taskforce

29/02/2024 **Attendees:**

Professor Adam Bourne, Co-Chair, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Alex Potter, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Dean Sutton, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Elvis Martin, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Janet Jukes, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Karen Bryant, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Margherita Coppolino, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Sean Mulcahy, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Tony Briffa, Community Member, LGBTIQA+ Taskforce
Louise Perry, Deputy Secretary, DFFH
Nicola Brown, Deputy Secretary, DJCS
Louise McKinlay, Executive Director, Department of Health
Stephen Fraser, Deputy Secretary, Department of Education
Director, Department of Education
Mohammad Taha, Community observer
P J Barker-Lovett, Community observer
Tony Fretton, Community observer
Amelia Bright, Community observer
Principal Adviser to Commissioner for LGBTIQA+ Communities, DFFH
Michael West, Director, Equality Unit, DFFH
Manager, Equality Unit, DFFH
Kate Berry, Executive Director, Policy and Delivery, Fairer Victoria
Senior Policy Officer, DFFH
Adviser, Ministerial office
Purpose
Meeting of the LGBTIQA+ Taskforce.

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Environment Victoria	5/03/2024	Attendees: John Pettigrew, Goulburn Valley Environment Group Jono La Nauze, CEO, Environment Victoria Tyler Rotche, Healthy Rivers Campaigner, Environment Victoria Greg Foyster, Rivers Campaign Manager, Environment Victoria Nikki Gemmill, Director Waterway Programs, DEECA Senior Adviser, Ministerial office Adviser, Ministerial office Purpose of meeting: Stakeholder meeting to discuss matters.
Labor for Housing	7/03/2024	Attendees: Julijana Todorovic, Co-Convenor, Labor for Housing John Weber, Co-Convenor, Labor for Housing Matt Dawson, Chief of Staff, Ministerial office Purpose of meeting: Introductory meeting.
Victoria Police	12/03/2024	Attendees: Deputy Commissioner Robert Hill, Victoria Police Assistant Commissioner David Clayton, Victoria Police Commander Jo Stafford, Victoria Police Advisor, Ministerial office Kate Berry, Executive Director, DFFH Purpose of meeting: Portfolio meeting to discuss LGBTIQ+ events and community safety.

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- GMID Leadership Group 13/03/2024 **Attendees:**
David McKenzie, Co-Chair, GMID Water Leadership Forum
Suzanna Sheed, Co-Chair, GMID Water Leadership Forum
Andrew Fennessy, Executive Director Statewide Infrastructure and Rural Strategy
Mike Jenz, Director Rural Water Policy and Programs, DEECA
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Adviser, Ministerial office
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss various matters.
- Victorian Farmers Federation 13/03/2024 **Attendees:**
Andrew Leahy, Water Council Chair, Victorian Farmers Federation
Natalie Akers, Water Policy Officer, Victorian Farmers Federation
Charles Everist, General Manager – Policy and Advocacy, Victorian Farmers Federation
Andrew Fennessy, Executive Director Statewide Infrastructure and Rural Strategy
Mike Jenz, Director Rural Water Policy and Programs, DEECA
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Adviser, Ministerial office
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss various matters.

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- Goulburn-Murray Water 13/03/2024 **Attendees:**
Charmaine Quick, Managing Director, Goulburn-Murray Water
Diane James, Chair, Goulburn-Murray Water
Andrew Fennessy, Executive Director Statewide Infrastructure and Rural Strategy
Mike Jenz, Director Rural Water Policy and Programs, DEECA
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Adviser, Ministerial office
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss various matters.
- Federal Equality Strategy discussion 13/03/2024 **Attendees:**
Assistant Minister Ged Kearney
Ministerial Adviser, Assistant Minister Kearney's office
Kate Berry, Executive Director, DFFH
Adviser, Ministerial office
Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss Federal Equality Strategy.
- Community Housing Industry Australia 19/03/2024 **Attendees:**
Sarah Toohey, CEO, Community Housing Industry Association
Jason Perdriau, Deputy CEO, Community Housing Industry Association
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office
Adviser, Ministerial office
Alison Rutherford, Executive Director, Housing Outcomes and Partnerships, Homes Victoria
Purpose:
Stakeholder meeting to discuss various matters.

Greater
Shepparton City
Council

19/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Cr Shane Sali, Mayor, Greater Shepparton City Council
Cr Geoff Dobson, Greater Shepparton City Council
Fiona Le Gassick, CEO, Greater Shepparton City Council
Geraldine Christou, Director Sustainable Development, Greater Shepparton City Council
Michael Jensz, Director, Rural Water Policy and Programs, DEECA
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Portfolio meeting to discuss the Murray Darling Basin.

City of Greater
Bendigo

20/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Andrew Cooney, Chief Executive Officer, City of Greater Bendigo
Cr Andrea Metcalf, Mayor, City of Greater Bendigo
Cr Jennifer Alden, Councillor, City of Greater Bendigo
Cr Margaret O'Rourke, Councillor, City of Greater Bendigo
Jessica Howard, Director Corporate Performance, City of Greater Bendigo
Stacy Williams, Director Healthy Communities and Environments, City of Greater Bendigo
Rachel Lee, Director Strategy and Growth, City of Greater Bendigo
Manager Communications, City of Greater Bendigo
Michael Jensz, Director, Rural Water Policy and Programs, DEECA
Cara Bawden, Senior Director, Delivery, Housing Development, Homes Victoria
Senior Adviser Housing, Ministerial Office

Adviser Water, Ministerial Office

Adviser Parliament, Ministerial Office

Purpose of meeting:

Water and Housing Portfolio advocacy meeting

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Murray River
Group of Councils

21/03/2024 **Attendees:**
Cr Ross Stanton, Chair, Murray River Group of Councils and Mayor Gannawarra Shire
Geoff Rollinson Lead CEO, CEO Gannawarra Shire
Cr Rob Amos, Mayor, Campaspe Shire and previous Chair, Murray River Group of Councils
Geoff Turner, Executive Officer, Murray River Group of Councils
Michael Jenz, Director, Rural Water Policy and Programs, DEECA
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss the Murray Darling Basin.

Chair, Homes
Victoria Advisory
Board

25/03/2024 **Attendees:**
Sarah Clarke, Chair, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Senior Adviser Housing, Ministerial Office
Adviser Housing, Ministerial Office

Purpose of meeting:
Portfolio meeting to discuss various matters.

Housing and
Homelessness
Ministerial Council
Meeting

25/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Commonwealth

The Hon Julie Collins MP, Minister for Housing, Homelessness and Small Business

Lisa Myckom Chief of Staff, Minister Collins Office

Senior Housing Adviser, Office of the Hon Julie Collins MP

Senior Housing Adviser, Office of the Hon Julie Collins MP

Ray Griggs, Secretary, Department of Social Services

Matt Flavel, Deputy Secretary, Social Security Stream, Department of Social Services

Victoria Anderson, Deputy Secretary, Small Business, Housing, Corporate and Law Group, Treasury

Troy Sloan, Group Manager, Pensions, Housing and Homelessness, Department of Social Services

Kerren Crosthwaite, First Assistant Secretary, Housing Division, Treasury

Acting Branch Manager, Housing and Homelessness Strategy and Data Branch, Department of Social Services

Kath Paton, Branch Manager, Housing and Homelessness Policy, Department of Social Services

Vera Holenstein, Assistant Secretary, Housing Finance Branch

Nicholas Dowie, Assistant Secretary, Housing Strategy Branch, Treasury

Support Staff - Housing and Homelessness Strategy and Data Branch, Department of Social Services

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NSW

The Hon Rose Jackson MLC, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Water, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast

Mat Campbell, Director, Policy, Office of the Minister for Housing and Minister for Homelessness

Rebecca Pinkstone, CEO, Homes NSW

Victoria

Hon Harriet Shing MP, Minister for Housing, Minister for Water, Minister for Equality

Senior Adviser Housing, Office of Hon Harriet Shing MP

Adviser Housing, Office of Hon Harriet Shing MP

Dannii de Kretser, Deputy CEO, Homes Victoria

Simon Duell, Acting Director, Social Housing Reform

Queensland

The Hon Meaghan Scanlon MP, Minister for Housing, Local Government and Planning and Minister for Public Works

Clare Manton, Chief of Staff, Office of the Hon Meaghan Scanlon MP

Danielle McAllister, Deputy Director-General, Policy, Performance and First Nations

Mark Cridland, Director General, Department of Housing, Local Government, Planning and Public Works

Western Australia

The Hon John Carey MLA, Minister for Planning; Lands; Housing; Homelessness

Claire Comrie, Chief of Staff, Office of the Hon John Carey MLA

Policy Advisor – Office of the Hon John Carey MLA

Leon McIvor, Deputy Director General, Housing & Assets, Department of Communities

South Australia

The Hon Nat Cook MP, Minister for Human Services

Michael Hicks, Chief of Staff, Office of the Minister for Human Services

Michael Buchan, Chief Executive, SA Housing Authority

Catherine Burgess, Director, Chief Executives Office, SA Housing Authority

The Hon Nick Champion MP, Minister for Housing and Urban Development, Minister for Planning, Minister for Trade and Investment

James Agness, Chief of Staff, Office of the Hon Nick Champion MP

Chris Menz, Chief Executive, Renewal SA

Tasmania

Eleri Morgan-Thomas, CEO, Homes Tasmania

ACT

Ms Yvette Berry MLA, Minister for Housing and Suburban Development, Deputy Chief Minister, Minister for Early Childhood Development, Minister for Education and Youth Affairs, Minister for Women, Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence, Minister for Sport and Recreation

Housing Policy Advisor, Office of the Hon Yvette Berry MLA

Brooke Yates, Executive Branch Manager, Housing and Inclusive Policy, Community Services

Stephen Miners, Housing Coordinator-General

Assistant Director, Housing and Inclusive Policy, Community Services Directorate

Northern Territory

Martin Reilly, Chief of Staff, Office of the Hon Ngaree Ah Kit MLA

Housing Adviser –Office of the Hon Selena Uiho MLA

Brent Warren, Deputy Chief Executive, Housing Operations, Department of Territories Families, Housing and Communities

Jared Collins, Executive Director, Department of Territories Families, Housing and Communities

Purpose of meeting:

Housing and Homelessness Ministerial Council meeting.

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Village 21

27/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Keith Waters, Head of Innovation and Partnerships, Kids Under Cover

Jessica Smithett, Senior Program Manager, Victorian Aboriginal Child Care Agency

Taanya Gounas, Executive Director, Bayside Peninsula Area, DFFH
Manager, Strategic Projects, DFFH

Troy Williamson, Director, Aboriginal Partnerships and Practice South Division, DFFH

Tamasin Krakouer, Acting Director, Aboriginal Housing and Homelessness Branch, Homes Victoria
Senior Adviser, Ministerial Office

Purpose of meeting:

Portfolio meeting and visit to site.

Homes Victoria
Advisory Board

27/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Sarah Clarke, Chair, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Danielle Dalby, Member, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Jefa Greenaway, Member, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Lucy Roffey, Member, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Meredith Sussex, Member, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Tony Michele, Member, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Tony Keenan, Member, Homes Victoria Advisory Board
Simon Newport, CEO, Homes Victoria
Sherri Bruinhout, Acting Executive Director, Strategy, Policy and Planning, Homes Victoria
Olivia Kings, Director, People, Strategy & Governance, Homes Victoria
Manager, Corporate Governance & Strategy, Homes Victoria
Senior Adviser, Homes Victoria
Senior Adviser. Ministerial office
Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Homes Victoria Advisory Board meeting.

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Real Deal Geelong 27/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Liz Bonner, CEO, Cloverdale Community Centre, Corio

Noreen Nicholson, St Bernard's Catholic Church

Sally Fisher, Community Organiser, Real Deal Geelong Alliance

Emilie Flynn, Geelong Sustainability

Sherri Bruinhout, Acting Executive Director, Strategy Policy and Planning, Homes Victoria

Christine Couzens MP, Member for Geelong

Ella George MP, Member for Lara

Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Adviser, Ministerial office

Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Portfolio meeting to discuss social housing and homelessness within the Geelong region.

Joy FM

27/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Isabelle James, CEO, Joy FM

Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Introductory meeting.

Djirra

28/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Antoinette Braybrook AM, CEO, Djirra

George Selvanera, Directory Strategy, Djirra

Amy Moore, Strategic Advisor, Djirra

Matthew Duggan, Acting Executive Director, Aboriginal Housing & Homelessness, Homes Victoria
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose of meeting:

Portfolio meeting to discuss various matters relating to Housing.

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Ministerial
Homelessness
Reform Advisory
Group

28/03/2024 **Attendees:**

Deborah Di Natale, Co-Chair and Chief Executive, Council to Homeless Persons
Jane Barnes, Member and Chief Executive Officer, Wintringham
Tania Farha, Member and Chief Executive Officer, Safe and Equal
Dr Michael Fotheringham, Member and Managing Director, Australian Housing and Urban Research Institute
Dr Heather Holst, Member and Commissioner for Residential Tenancies, Residential Tenancies Victoria
Peter McGrath, Member, Salvation Army
Wayne Merritt, Member and Chief Executive Officer, WAYSS
Bevan Warner, Member and Chief Executive Officer, Launch Housing
Darren Smith, Member and Chief Executive Officer, Aboriginal Housing Victoria
Sarah Toohey, Member and Chief Executive Officer, CHIA Victoria
Hang Vo, Member and Chief Executive Officer, Sacred Heart Mission
Peta McCammon, Secretary, DFFH
Simon Newport, Chief Executive Officer, Homes Victoria
Danny O'Kelly, Deputy Secretary, COPL, DFFH
Sonia Chudiak, A/ Executive Director, Homelessness and Housing Support, Homes Victoria
Sherri Bruinhout, A/ Executive Director, Strategy, Policy and Planning, Homes Victoria
Manager, Homelessness Reform, Homes Victoria
Senior Project Officer, Homelessness and Housing First Reform, Homes Victoria
Tom Johnson, Director, Policy and Communications, Council to Homeless Persons
Senior Adviser, Ministerial office

Purpose:

Ministerial Homes Reform Advisory Group meeting.