



# Media release

## Legislative Council Economy and Infrastructure Committee

### Inquiry probes local government funding and services

Local government funding and service delivery is set to be scrutinised by the Legislative Council Economy and Infrastructure Committee.

The Upper House probe will assess local governments' ability to deliver core services and the effects of cost shifting from state and federal governments to local council.

The sustainability of current revenue structures and alternative funding models for local governments will also be considered.

As part of the inquiry, public submissions have opened and are being accepted online.

“This is a chance for all Victorians to have their say on local government funding and service delivery,” Committee Chair Georgie Purcell said.

“Please [make a submission via our website](#) by Friday 28 June 2024.”

The Committee intends to hold public hearings and is expected to report to parliament by 28 November 2024.

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