

Media release

Legislative Council Economy and Infrastructure Committee

Local government inquiry to hear from councils in Melbourne's north

Melbourne's outer suburbs are the focus of the next series of public hearings for the parliamentary inquiry into local government funding and services.

Peri-urban councils are scheduled to appear before the Legislative Council Economy and Infrastructure Committee at Broadmeadows on Thursday 19 September.

You can <u>watch the live broadcast</u> of the public hearing online or attend the Broadmeadows Town Hall at 10 Dimboola Road in Broadmeadows from 10 am.

Brimbank City, Murrindindi Shire, Moonee Valley City, Hume City and Merri-bek City are due to give evidence throughout the day.

Indigo Community Voice, a group of residents who advocate on behalf of ratepayers and the local community will also be represented.

The Committee intends to hold further hearings at Rosebud in late September and Melton in early October.

Half of the state's 48 regional and rural councils presented to the Committee throughout August and September in sessions at Camperdown, Bendigo and Traralgon.

See full schedules and transcripts related to the hearings on the Committee's <u>website</u>.

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