

Legislative Council Economy and Infrastructure Committee

Camperdown hosts hearing on local government

Members of parliament conducting an inquiry into local government funding and services are travelling to southwest Victoria next week.

The Legislative Council Economy and Infrastructure Committee will hold a public hearing in Camperdown on Wednesday 7 August.

You can <u>watch the live broadcast</u> or attend the Killara Centre at 210-212 Manifold Street from 11 am.

Seven Victorian councils are scheduled to give evidence throughout the day.

Representatives of Swan Hill Rural City, Corangamite Shire, Greater Geelong, Hindmarsh Shire, Pyrenees Shire, Moyne Shire and Warrnambool City will have the opportunity to present and respond to questions from Members of the Committee.

The Upper House inquiry is assessing 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 are also being considered.

The Committee launched the public hearing phase of its inquiry in Melbourne in June.

It is travelling to other regional and suburban areas as part of the probe, which has received 106 public submissions.

For more information, including the inquiry's full terms of reference go to the website.

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