

# Parliament of Victoria

## Inquiry into the conduct of the 2022 Victorian state election

### Electoral Matters Committee

#### Have your say

The Electoral Matters Committee wants to hear about your experiences at the 2022 Victorian state election and your views on how the election was conducted. The Committee would also like to know about any changes that you believe would improve future elections.

You can send a written submission to the Committee discussing any matter related to the 2022 Victorian election, including:

- voters' experience enrolling and casting their votes
- the behaviour of parties, candidates and campaigners during the election period
- the way the Victorian Electoral Commission managed the election
- candidates' and parties' experience standing for election
- possible improvements to Victoria's electoral system, including changes to the Upper House voting system
- any other matters related to the conduct of the election.

The inquiry will consider the 2022 Victorian State election and the 2023 Narracan District supplementary election.

Any person or organisation can make a submission to the Committee.

#### Making a submission

Submissions add to the Committee's knowledge and understanding of the issues and may influence the Committee's recommendations. By making a submission you are providing important input into the work of the Parliament of Victoria.

Your submission might include relevant experiences, facts or suggested solutions to the issues the Committee is considering. Submissions can be made by email, post or through our online e-submission form.

Submissions are public documents unless you request confidentiality. Requests for confidentiality will be considered but cannot be determined in advance.

#### Closing date

**Our closing date for submissions is 19 June 2023.** This date may be subject to change, so please check our website to confirm.

#### Public hearings

Some individuals and groups will be invited to talk with us at public hearings later this year. Anybody is welcome to be in the audience at a public hearing.

Dates and times will be published on our website as they become available.

#### Report

The Committee will table a report in Parliament at the end of the inquiry. **The report is due by 1 May 2024.**

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### What should I include in my submission and how should I format it?

Your submission should include facts, opinions, recommendations or suggested solutions.

You can make a submission online via the e-submission form on our website, or send us a letter, report, presentation or simply an email.

#### Submission tips:

- make your submission brief, clear and readable
- include additional material if appropriate
- make it clear who the submission is from.

### About the Committee

The Electoral Matters Committee is responsible for looking into and reporting on:

- state parliamentary elections and referendums in Victoria
- local government elections
- any other issue relating to electoral matters.

The Committee consists of nine members from five different political parties.

### Other inquiries

Other inquiries previously conducted by the Electoral Matters Committee include:

- Inquiry into whether Victoria should participate in a national electoral roll platform
- Inquiry into the impact of social media on elections and electoral administration
- Inquiry into civics and electoral participation in Victorian state parliamentary elections
- Inquiry into electronic voting.

### Contact us

For up-to-date information about this inquiry, please scan the QR code below to view the inquiry web page or visit our website and follow the links.



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