



# Legislative Council Legal and Social Issues Committee

**Inquiry:** Inquiry into the Rental and Housing Affordability Crisis in Victoria

**Hearing Date:** 10 October 2023

**Question[s] taken on notice**

**Directed to:** YIMBY Melbourne, Jonathan O'Brien

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1. **Matthew BACH, page 35**

**Question Asked:**

I think it was the team from Grattan that referenced the fact that you have just released a new report, *Melbourne's Missing Middle*. Now, given timelines, obviously we have not had a chance to have a look at that, but I would love it if you could please send a copy through to the committee.

**Response:**

See Attachment 1

2. **Supplemental information in response to Mr Ryan Batchelor MLC's question on the impact of local government structures on housing approvals. page 33**

**Question Asked:**

One of the other interesting things in the report was the link between the structure of council wards and attitudes towards planning and development and a more conservative bias for single-member wards. What evidence do you have to back up that argument? And can you explain what the consequences of this are?

**Response:**

See Attachment 2