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I strongly believe that it is the responsibility of the Victorian government to establish and maintain a coherent, efficient and environmentally responsible approach to solid waste management across the state. We need to take the lead on creating a circular economy and ensure that resources are being reused where possible, then recycled, and only as a last resort heading to landfill or incineration. We are on the brink of climate catastrophe and a biodiversity crisis of epic proportions, and it is the responsibility of the government to do everything it can to ensure we are acting as sustainably as possible in our waste management practices. Not only is ensuring that our recycling capabilities are restored the best practice for the environment, but it will also create local jobs and ensure our independence from the whims of other countries policies. Let's step it up and show the rest of Australia how close we can get to a zero-waste, circular economy in Victoria!

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