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To whom it may concern,

I believe in a sustainable Australia. I know that Australia is not doing enough, i know the government is not working at full capacity to fix these issues. When i was a in grade 7 i remember being a volunteer for a clean up Australia program of some sorts. They spent the day talking to us about the importance of recycling. 15 odd years later we are still having the same argument "discussion" about recycling.

When will the conversation finish and action be taken? I'm writing to you today with the slightest bit of hope that maybe this will lead to change? We received notice that our recycling was being dumped into landfills as apparently the system could not process our recycling anymore. How could things be allowed to get this bad?

I'm a small buisness owner and i don't pretend to know the solutions to these problems. But with a small about of research on google I've seen wonderful outlines of things that can make a difference. More education programs in schools, banning single use plastic and replacing them with composting materials. Community composting bins, container deposit schemes and funding into sustainable buisness.

I feel a huge sense of the "me me me" ideal in this country. People often just want to think about themselves and how things effect them personally and not collectively. Creating a sense of community responsibility is so important but this needs to start at the top.

I highly reccomend some homework to those in parliament. Go home and watch the movie WALL-E. Yes it is a heart warming childrens story about a robot in love, but the deeper message is so very clear. We need to do more now whilst the earth is worth saving.

Just imagine being the government to implement life changing legislation that will benifit our economy, our lives and our environment for generations to come?

Be the change we need!

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