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We are now in a climate change emergency whether people accept it or not and the Victorian Government needs to do more starting with our recycling crisis.

I am deeply angered by the Victorian governments lack of action regarding the recycling crisis and demand that they start taking action and use the funding they have built up to address the issue

Here are some ways we can address this .

* we need to make it easier for everyone to generate less waste in the first place, recycle more and produce less landfill. We need a container deposit scheme to encourage recycling and reduce pollution of our environment.

•We need to reduce land fill waste by having more support and palaces to recycle soft plastic recycling as well as having a collecting system for food waste from homes and businesses to generate compost that can be managed by council and used by the public and council , inline with that a ban Victoria wide on food waste for all hospitality businesses and supermarkets and groceries and education in correct food waste management for the these businesses .

* We need to Ban ALL single use plastics in Victoria including plastic bottles , take way coffee cups, straws,plastic take way containers , plastic bags , ear buds and stirrers and ban ALL plastic packaging on fresh fruit and vegetables and make it illegal for all supermarkets to package their food this way and include heavy fines if supermarkets break this rules as well as showing super markets and other food related businesses with more environmentally friendly ways to package their products . Everyone wins, jobs will be created, business' of the future will grow and gain momentum, it will put our name in history as a progressive state that lead the way to help avert the worst impacts of climate change and the environmental crisis.

Our future is your responsibility and we are relying on you to think big and be bold!

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