



2020 State Election State-wide Report Card Advancing First Nations



The LGAQ acknowledges the Government's recent indexation of SFGA and notes its commitments to review SFGA and consider a further funding round of the Indigenous Councils Critical Infrastructure Program in June 2022. However, the LGAQ is disappointed in the lack of clear and specific commitments to these important priorities. The Government has failed to provide additional funding support for Indigenous Knowledge Centres beyond the current program, nor has it committed to providing funding support for the redevelopment of regional waste plans to achieve the targets of the indigenous waste strategy.



This mark acknowledges the LNP's commitment to several key initiatives to support First Nations People including a commitment to develop local waste management plans to achieve resource recovery targets under a new waste strategy.



KAP have confirmed their support for all of the LGAQ's priorities for advancing First Nations councils and committed to advocating for these funding requests should they hold the balance of power following the October 31 poll.



The Greens have responded to our 2020 State Election priorities advising they are "generally supportive" of the LGAQ's platform, however, they cite the need to consider "an enormous list of competing priorities" should they be in a balance of power scenario after the 31 October. Further, The Greens have advised the final decision on what is supported will be made by "the party as a whole". The LGAQ appreciates The Greens' general statement of the broad alignment with our priorities and their indications of support for our key priorities. However, the LGAQ requires more specific commitments from The Greens as to where our 2020 election priorities sit within The Greens' "enormous list of priorities" should they hold the balance of power after the election.



One Nation has indicated support for all four aspects of the LGAQ's priorities for Advancing First Nations councils. However, they have refrained from making an explicit commitment to advocate, and vote for funding for our priorities should they hold the balance of power after the October 31 poll.



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