



STATEMENT

“We Say Yes” to a Price on Carbon Pollution

Climate change is already affecting our country, our communities, and the survival of the world’s poor. This year, we have an opportunity to tackle climate change through a price on carbon pollution.

To reduce pollution and embrace a cleaner and healthier future Australia urgently needs to put a fair price on pollution. It’s reasonable to ask the big polluters to pay a fair amount per tonne of carbon they emit so they have an incentive to pollute less.

We say yes to embracing a cleaner and healthier future by placing a fair price on pollution. We say yes to rewarding businesses who do the right thing, and giving other businesses a reason to clean up their act.

Saying yes to a price on pollution means saying yes to investment, innovation, and new jobs based on renewable energy that never runs out. In a country abundant with sun and wind, these industries have waited years to flourish while Australia has delayed.

Putting a price on pollution will release billions of dollars that will be used to support low income households, protect jobs, drive innovation in adaptation and clean energy projects and technologies, and support Australian farmers who want to protect the land for future generations.

We say YES to a price on pollution and renewable energy investment, YES to jobs and YES to protecting our ecosystems, health and environment before it’s too late. Will you join us?

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1 million women	Communities Combating Climate Crisis, Healesville
350.org Australia	Community Environment Network, Lake Macquarie Planning Committee
Adam Kilgour, Board Member, The Climate Institute	Conservation Council of South Australia
Alternative Technology Association	Conservation Council of Western Australia
Ann Kantor, Philanthropist	Cool Melbourne
Ararat Greenhouse Action Group Inc	Corinne Grant, comedian and writer
Assoc. Prof. Grant Blashki, Nossal Institute of Health, University of Melbourne	Dandenong Ranges Renewable Energy Association Inc.
Association for Berowra Creek	Darebin Climate Action Now
Australia Tibet Council	David Pocock, Australian Wallabies and Western Force rugby union player
Australian Conservation Foundation	David Shelmerdine, Deputy Chair, ClimateWorks Australia, philanthropist
Australian Council of Social Service	Doctors for the Environment
Australian Council of Trade Unions	Dr Richard Charlesworth AM, Olympian, Australian hockey coach
Australian Religious Response to Climate Change	Dr. Chris Riedy, Research Director, Institute for Sustainable Futures
Australian Solar Energy Society	Dr. Denis Saunders AM
Australian Youth Climate Coalition	Dr. John Hewson, former leader of the Liberal Party
Ballarat Renewable Energy and Zero Emissions Inc. (BREAZE)	Dr. Rosemary Stanton OAM, nutritionist
Ban Uranium Mining Permanently	Dylan Lewis, entertainer
Benalla Sustainable Future Group	EarthSong
Bishop Patrick P. Power, Bishop of Canberra and Goulburn	Edmund Rice Centre
Blue King Brown	Environment Centre Northern Territory
Chelsea Heights EarthCarers	Environment Victoria
CHOICE	Environmental Farmers Network
Christine Manfield - Australian chef, author, food writer	Eva Cox AO, writer and social commentator
Climate Action Sydney Eastern Suburbs	Felix Riebl, musician
Climate Change Balmain-Rozelle	Fr. Bob Maguire AM
Clare Martin, former NT Chief Minister, former CEO ACOSS	GetUp!
Climate Action Burwood Ashfield	Good Shepherd Australia New Zealand
Climate Action Network Australia	Great Lakes Environment Association
Climate Action Newcastle	GreenCoast Catalysts
Climate Action Newtown	Greenpeace Australia Pacific
Climate Action Tomaree	Healesville Environment Watch Inc
Climate and Health Alliance*	Ian Lowe, Emeritus Professor, Griffith University
Climate Change Australia Clarence	Ian Robertson, Secretary, DEPA and Chair, Investment Committee LGS
Climate Change Australia Hastings	Janine Allis, founder Boost Juice Bars
Climate Change: Our Future (Glen Eira & Monash)	Jon Dee, Founder & Chairman, Do Something!
Climate Emergency Network	
ClimateWorks Australia	
Colong Foundation for Wilderness	

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John Thwaites, Chairman, Monash Sustainability Institute, Monash University
Julian Burnside AO QC
Katie Noonan, entertainer
Katoomba Area Climate Action Now
Ken Done AM, artist
Kevin Dupé, CEO and Director
Lighter Footprints
Locals Into Victoria's Environment (LIVE)
Malcolm Fraser, former Prime Minister of Australia
Moonee Valley Climate Action
Moreland Energy Foundation
Mosman Clean Energy for Eternity
Mount Alexander Sustainability Group
National Parks Association of Queensland
National Parks Australia Council
Nature Conservation Council of NSW
Nicholas Gruen, CEO Lateral Economics
Nick Earls, author
North Shore Climate Action
Oxfam Australia
Pacific Calling Partnership
Parramatta Climate Action Network
Peter Doherty PhD AC FAA FAS, Nobel Laureate
Peter Martin, Founder, Hamer/Martin Environment Fund
Phillip Adams AO, writer and broadcaster
Plug-in Australia
Portland Sustainability Group
Prof. Dave Griggs, Director, Monash Sustainability Institute
Prof. David Karoly, University of Melbourne
Prof. Jeffrey Sheen, Macquarie University
Prof. Ove Hoegh-Guldberg, Global Change Institute, University of Queensland
Prof. P.N. (Raja) Junankar, University of New South Wales
Prof. Patrick Dodson, Indigenous Leader

Prof. Tony McMichael, The Australian National University
Public Health Association of Australia
Public Transport Users Association
Queensland Conservation Council
Rebecca Gibney, actor
Rob Gell, Director and former television weather presenter
Robert Purves AM, Purves Environmental Fund
Samah Hadid, former Australian Youth Ambassador to UN
Sara Gipton, CEO Greenfleet
SEARCH Foundation
Sisters of Mercy Earth Link
Sisters of Mercy Grafton
St Johns Wood Sustainability
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Suzie Wilks, television personality
Sydney Youth Climate Action Network
TEAR Australia
Ted Egan AO, former Administrator of the Northern Territory
The Climate Institute
The Hon. Bob Carr
The Hon. Dr. Barry Jones AO
Tilman A. Ruff, Chair, International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons Australia
Tim Winton, author
Tom Long, actor
Total Environment Centre
Transition Town Kenmore
Uniting Justice Australia
UQ Climate for Change (University of Queensland)
Warrandyte Climate Action Now
Western Climate Action Now
Wodonga & Albury Towards Climate Health
Women's Environment Network Australia
WWF-Australia
Yarra Climate Action Now

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