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Via email: stuart.hobley@cunderdin.wa.gov.au

Stuart Hobley
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Dear Stuart,

National inquiry into Local Government sustainability

As shared recently in the WALGA LG Direct newsletter, The House of Representatives Standing Committee on Regional Development, Infrastructure and Transport will examine Local Government sustainability in a new inquiry announced at the end of March.

I encourage all Local Governments to make a submission by the due date of Friday, 3 May 2024 and provide recommendations relating to any or all of the inquiry's terms of reference.

I understand the deadline is tight, however I hope you appreciate the importance of the inquiry for the long-term sustainability of the sector. WALGA is preparing a submission which will be shared with the sector in due course. Should your Local Government provide a submission to the Inquiry, it would be appreciated if you could share it with WALGA.

Please note, WALGA has requested an extension of the deadline until 31 May 2024. Further communications will be shared if this deadline extension is approved.

More information can be found at [Inquiry into local government sustainability – Parliament of Australia \(aph.gov.au\)](https://aph.gov.au/inquiry-into-local-government-sustainability)

Yours Sincerely,



Nick Sloan
CEO