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Consultation on future council structures

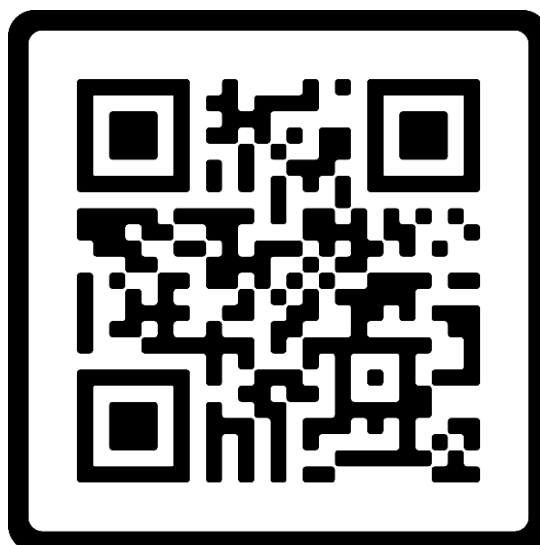
COMMUNITY MEMBERS, COUNCIL STAFF AND ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES ARE INVITED TO HAVE YOUR SAY ON A FUTURE COUNCIL STRUCTURE FOR YOUR LOCAL AREA

The Local Government Board wants to hear how you want to see local councils structured in your local area. The Board has released a range of ideas and scenarios to inform a community conversation about what the future of your local council might look like. Now we want to hear from you.

Answer our quick Community Catchment Survey by following the link in this QR code.

Community members and council staff who complete a survey will go into the draw to win an iPad!

Survey closes Midnight 6 July 2023.



More details overleaf....

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The Local Government Board believes Tasmania needs to make some big changes to how our local councils work so that they can support what our communities need in the future. We've now developed and published a range of ideas and scenarios to inform a community conversation about what that might look like.

This is the eleventh in a series of newsletters which will provide periodic updates on the Local Government Board's [Future of Local Government in Tasmania Review](#). These newsletters also provide updates and information on key engagement opportunities to ensure you understand how to have your say on local government in Tasmania.

The Board has recently published nine Information Packs that put forward several different scenarios for new local government boundaries and service delivery models that could build scale and capability to improve services, while also better reflecting the way Tasmanians live and work. The nine Information Packs each align with the Community Catchments published in our Stage 2 Interim Report.

These potential boundary changes are only one part of the reforms being considered by the Local Government Board. To help people think creatively about the future, we have also prepared Supporting Papers on issues including **shared services and partnerships, options to improve local services and keep jobs in local communities, and new models of engagement and representation.**

NEW COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Board has launched a quick Community Catchment Survey to allow community members, council staff and elected representatives to easily comment on the proposed boundary scenarios in the Information Packs. Community members and council staff who complete a survey will go into the draw to win a prize – follow the QR Code overleaf.

This survey is in addition to the other engagement mechanisms previously announced, which include:

- Making a written submission
- Participating in a local government sector workshop.

The Board will shortly announce the dates and locations for its formal hearings, where all councils will be invited to make presentations, and community members will also have opportunities to participate. To keep up to date with all current information and engagement opportunities, visit www.futurelocal.tas.gov.au.

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