

YOUR CLIMATE CHANGE CHECKLIST



TRANSPORT

WALK whenever possible. Or jump on a Lime Bike!

OFFSET carbon on any flights

CONDENSE your business and personal travels. Consolidate your calendar and minimize jet fuel emissions

INVEST into an electric car ASAP

- Mercedes-benz
- Mitsubishi
- Hyundai
- Tesla



RENEWABLE ENERGY

By switching to greener electricity providers, together we can force dirty coal and gas out of the grid and bring more renewable electricity in, sending a clear message to electricity companies that it's time to get serious about tackling climate change.

Check out greenelectricityguide.org.au

Install solar panels (and adjoining battery to store power) to your workplace and home if possible. Ethical solar specialist Shine hub are incredible.



LIVESTOCK



REDUCE your animal intake. Methane is responsible for 15% of global warming.

LOVE your steak? Eat grass fed wherever possible. This assists agriculturally by improving soil to reduce methane. A positive little loophole.

SUSTAINABILITY

ACT consciously. Every little bit counts. For example, what is your favourite designer doing to combat landfill?



THREE WAYS TO USE YOUR POWER TO SOLVE THE CLIMATE CRISIS



SOCIAL POWER

People-powered social movements have been the basis of all significant social change throughout history.

- Join a climate change group or set one up with your own network. Cana.net.au
- Share content from The Climate Council on social media
- Talk to one new person every day about climate change and why it matters to you.

FINANCIAL POWER

Bank wisely. Investigate the practices of your banking institution, insurance provider and where your super is being invested via marketforces.org.au

I highly recommend Bank Australia & Bendigo Bank for banking. Future Super & Australian Ethical for Super. It is one of the most powerful changes **YOU** can make. And to make the transition even easier brokers can assist with the whole process!

* Paloma's broker is great, Ben Braysich
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Here is a snapshot of our 4 dirtiest banks. These banks have loaned these total amounts (below) to the fossil fuel industry. Yes, they are using your money to fund this dirty industry. Australia is the 3rd biggest exporter for fossil fuels. And #1 for coal.

ANZ

\$7390M

NAB

\$3700M

COMM

\$7240M

WESTPAC **\$2660M**

POLITICAL POWER

We have all of the technical solutions already to solve the climate crisis, so all we need now is political leaders with the courage to step up and implement these solutions. But politicians only aim as high as their constituents demands.

- Email your Council/ Mayor to ask if they are a member of the Climate Council's "City Power Partnership" so they can join with other councils, share knowledge and expertise, and be a stronger force for change.
- Write a letter to your local State and Federal Member of Parliament to let them know climate change will influence who you vote for.

