2022 SNAPSHOT OF ICLEI OCEANIA

Who we are
ICALI Local Governments for Sustainability (ICLEI Oceania) supports local governments across Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific to inspire and accelerate sustainable urban development. ICLEI Oceania is a member organisation part of the global ICLEI network of more than 2500 local and regional governments worldwide.

What we do
Sustainable urban development that is:

- Nature-based
- Low emissions
- Resilient
- Circular
- Equitable & people-centred

How we do it
We provide a platform for local governments to achieve their climate and sustainability goals:

- Advocacy and knowledge sharing
- Capacity building
- Globally connected

Member benefits

- Leadership recognition
- Peer-to-peer connection
- Collective action
Advocacy and knowledge sharing

ICLEI Oceania supports its members and those who want to take greater action to work together to learn, share and take collective action connected to regional and global outcomes.

Member Corner

Who: ICLEI Members - Staff
When: bi-annual, virtual
These virtual forums bring together ICLEI Oceania members to connect, learn and share about climate and sustainability priorities with like-minded colleagues. You can share what you are working on, ask for help and shape the direction of ICLEI Oceania as we work together toward a climate safe and sustainable future. The forum opens opportunities for collective action and local to global impact.

Mayoral Roundtables

Who: ICLEI Members - Mayors and elected members
When: Twice annually, needs based
ICLEI Oceania convenes Mayors and elected members to provide guidance to ICLEI and partners on how to take collective action and advocacy on critical issues facing local governments such as on climate change. In 2022, several roundtables will be co-hosted with partners to help local government leaders to work together to accelerate climate action by making clear the vital role local governments play in meeting national emissions targets, and to help Federal Governments to deliver ambitious 2030 targets at COP27 Sharm El-Sheikh as per the Glasgow Pact.

Local Government Solutions Exchange

Who: Local government staff, practitioners or anyone interested
When: quarterly, virtual
The Solutions Exchanges are for representatives of local governments to connect, learn and share about what is working and what isn’t in sustainability solutions. The Exchanges are thematically based on issues from climate action to local implementation of the UN 2030 Sustainable Development Goals as guided by our members. The forums use breakout groups to encourage peer to peer sharing.
Capacity Building Programs

Offered free of charge or discounted to our ICLEI Oceania members, our programs use globally proven, locally tailored methodologies to help local governments take action without reinventing the wheel. ICLEI Oceania provides tailored training, facilitated workshops and technical advice to help you on your sustainability journey.

Green Climate Cities (In development)

Green Climate Cities offers cities a proven process methodology for walking step-by-step toward climate neutrality. This program combines ICLEI’s international Climate Neutrality Framework and integrated climate planning guide with locally tailored tools, events and partner programs.

Cities with Nature

Cities with Nature is a global program that helps councils to bring nature back to our cities. Participating councils demonstrate their commitment to nature-based solutions by registering on the global platform, populating the new Actions Platform and becoming part of the knowledge-exchange network. The Actions Platform provides an easy means of generating reports for your internal requirements. Sign up to get involved in the tailored webinars, make best use of the global platform and in accessing tools and guides.

SDGs Cities Challenge (In development)

Open to any local government in Oceania | 12 month program to launch in 2022
The SDGs Cities Challenge provides a peer knowledge-sharing process to guide participating cities and regions as they develop solutions to their sustainable development issues, and how to align this to the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Goals within their local context. The program provides the basis for a Voluntary Local Review (VLR) — the United Nations’ supported framework for local actors to report progress towards the 2030 Agenda. Email jessica.robbins@iclei.org to express your interest.

Pacific Islands Resilience

Pacific Island towns and cities can join ICLEI or become beneficiaries
Australian and New Zealand councils can contribute mentoring and technical assistance
ICLEI Oceania supports Pacific Island towns and cities to become more resilient to global shocks, particularly through disaster risk reduction, low emissions development and climate adaptation. ICLEI Oceania partners with organisations and networks in the Pacific including the Pacific Partnership New Urban Agenda - a consortium of international partners dedicated to sustainable urban development as well as with the Global Island Partnership and Local2030 Islands Network.
Globally connected

ICLEI Oceania helps local governments commit, act and track their locally relevant progress toward global goals to show the momentum for change from communities. ICLEI Oceania is focused on impact on the Paris Agreement on climate change, the UN 2030 Sustainable Development Goals and the Sendai Framework on Disaster Risk Reduction. ICLEI is the Local Government and Municipal Authority Focal Point to the UNFCCC and ICLEI Oceania is the Regional Secretariat of the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy.

Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy

ICLEI Oceania is the Regional Secretariat of the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy. This global alliance of cities and local governments supports an action-oriented approach to climate change for the transition to low-emission and resilient societies. ICLEI Oceania helps committed mayors and local governments from across the region work in alliance with partners to accelerate ambitious, measurable climate and energy initiatives and connect this effort in the global race to zero with the more than 10,500 cities making change.

To get involved

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# Benefits of Membership

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✔️ *ICLEI Oceania wants to help you achieve your climate and sustainability goals.

Non-members are welcomed to join any event to get a feel for what we do but membership is encouraged.