

# Climate Action Info Session

## Agenda

**Date:** Tuesday, 20 August, 2024  
**Time:** 9 am - 10.30 am  
**Venue:** WALGA Boardroom, Level 1, ONE70 Railway Parade, West Leederville

### Overview

This session will provide an overview of new and evolving WA and Federal climate policies and initiatives related to Local Government. A Zoom link will be sent to regional Local Governments who cannot attend in person and would like to join online.

Networking and informal discussions will follow, and morning tea will be provided.

### Program

9:00 am	<b>Welcome and introduction</b> Rebecca Brown, Policy Manager Environment and Waste, WALGA
9:10 am	<b>Australian Climate Policy update</b> Dr Danielle Thomson, Department of Climate Change, Energy, Environment and Water (DCCEEW)
9:25 am	<b>Western Australian Climate Policy update</b> James Duggie, Emily Gifford, Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER)
9:40 am	<b>WALGA renewable energy policy</b> Daniel Thompson, Policy Manager Economics, WALGA
9:45 am	<b>Renewable energy challenges and opportunities for Local Government</b> Nils Hay, CEO Mid West Development Commission
10 am	<b>WALGA Sustainable Energy Project update and carbon reporting tool</b> Sara Monteleone, Contract Manager Commercial Development, WALGA
10.15 am	<b>Regional Climate Alliances</b> Niki Curtis, Senior Policy Advisor Environment, WALGA and Regional Climate Alliance Coordinator, GVROC
10.25 am	<b>Meeting close</b>
10.30 am	<b>Morning Tea</b>