

# The Vision for Australia Together

The **Vision for Australia Together** is currently in draft. It contains:

- 17 statements about the life we wish to be able to lead in 2050; and
- 57 Direction statements of the preferred and safe routes toward the Vision.

**Read the  
Vision**

## The Vision for Australia Together

**By 2050, we and our children and  
grandchildren will be living a fulfilling life in  
an Australia where**



**We are safe**

**We are reconciled with and celebrate our First Nations peoples and their cultures**

**Everyone is welcome to participate positively in community life**

**We are inspired and able to renew our physical and spiritual wellbeing**

**We act together as a compassionate society**

**Equality is valued as enriching human community, cultural harmony and social progress**

**Diversity is positively appreciated as a basis for a successful society**

**Everyone can realise their full potential in life, as individuals, members of a family and citizens through unlimited opportunities in education and employment of choice**

**Vital services are fully accessible**

**Scarce resources are conserved and fairly shared**

**National wealth is fairly shared**

**Our economy is sustainable and supports rewarding opportunities and continuous improvements in living standards for everyone**

**As a nation we have the courage to take a leading place in achieving the environmental aims of a global society**

**Stewardship of ecology is affirmed as fundamental to planetary and human survival**

**Strong democracy is assured by a well informed and engaged community**

**We are confident our leaders will reflect thoughtfully on our views and best interests when making decisions for our future**

**We take pride in Australia as a responsible international citizen, active in building a safer, more peaceful and united world**

**These are the aspirations of our hopeful generation. We commit to this  
Vision for Australia Together so that we can pass the gifts we have  
inherited to our children, and they to theirs.**



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## The 57 Directions of Australia Together

Australians are able to work together to map out the safe routes to the Vision, using a signpost system. This map contains:

- 16 signposts showing the inclusive, equitable and intelligent directions we can take to build our **society**,
- 19 signposts for creating a sustainable **environment**,
- 9 signposts to a fair and resilient **economy**, and
- 13 signposts taking us towards a strong, open and ethical **governance**.



### Read the Directions for our society



#### Directions in Our Society

Map location	In our society	.....	Australia becomes:
Soc 1	Safety	.....	A safe home
Soc 2	Indigenous heart	.....	A land with an Indigenous heart
Soc 3	Belonging & inclusion	.....	Inclusive, welcoming & enabling
Soc 4	Health & wellbeing	.....	A place of optimal health & wellbeing
Soc 5	Education	.....	A model of educational opportunity
Soc 6	Equality	.....	A society of equals
Soc 7	Diversity	.....	A success because of its diversity
Soc 8	Women & LGBTIQ+	.....	A success because of gender equality
Soc 9	Housing	.....	A land without homelessness & with decent affordable housing for all
Soc 10	Family cohesion & community services	.....	A place of supportive familial & other connections & without domestic abuse
Soc 11	Early childhood care	.....	A land without child disadvantage
Soc 12	Aged care & disability services	.....	A sure provider of lifelong dignity
Soc 13	Arts & culture	.....	A wellspring of inspiration & creativity
Soc 14	Police services	.....	A model of community service & responsible exercise of authority in policing
Soc 15	Justice	.....	Confident of justice for all
Soc 16	Emergency services	.....	A society prepared & resilient in times of disaster

## Read the Directions for our environment

19 directions for our environment



### Directions in our Environment

Map location	In our environment	.....	Australia becomes:
Env 1	Environmental advocacy	.....	A leading global advocate for action on climate change
Env 2	Climate change prevention	.....	A net zero emissions nation
Env 3	Climate change adaptation	.....	A proactive planner of climate change adaptation
Env 4	Environmental regulation & approvals	.....	A nation that puts the environment before unsustainable consumption
Env 5	Environmental education	.....	An environmentally educated community
Env 6	Energy	.....	A renewable energy superpower
Env 7	Transport	.....	Efficiently connected through low emissions transport
Env 8	Agriculture & fisheries	.....	Environmentally & economically sustainable in agriculture & fisheries
Env 9	Fresh water supply	.....	Confident of safety & security of its water supplies
Env 10	Biodiversity	.....	A biodiversity haven
Env 11	Vegetation	.....	A replanted & reforested land
Env 12	Land & resource conservation	.....	A protector of scarce resources
Env 13	Parks & open space	.....	A provider of accessible national & urban parkland
Env 14	Air & water quality	.....	A pollution free biosphere
Env 15	Marine protection	.....	A marine wildlife haven
Env 16	Waste reduction & recycling	.....	Regenerative by design in consumption & production
Env 17	Architectural & cultural site heritage	.....	A conservator of cultural & built heritage
Env 18	Cities planning	.....	Multi-central in its cities, efficiently connecting people with jobs, health, education & recreation
Env 19	Regional planning	.....	A land of thriving self-supporting regions

## Read the Directions for our economy

9 directions for our economy



### Directions in Our Economy

Map location	In our economy	.....	Australia becomes:
Econ 1	Economic planning, growth & transition	.....	A model of transition from excessive consumption to sustainability
Econ 2	Employment planning & industry transition	.....	A model of employment planning & justice in industry transition
Econ 3	Equitable improvement in living standards	.....	A country where economic opportunity, growth & prosperity are equitably shared & living standards improve continuously for all



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## Directions in Our Economy

Map location	In our economy	.....	Australia becomes:
Econ 4	National wealth generation & sharing	.....	A nation fairly raising & sharing its wealth
Econ 5	Market regulation & competition policy	.....	A strong regulator of fairness in markets, creating confidence for investors
Econ 6	Government competitive business participation	.....	An economy with competitive & profitable public sector participation
Econ 7	Science, research, innovation & collaboration	.....	A collaborative, intelligent nation
Econ 8	Technology development & digitisation	.....	Enabled in meeting the communication & information demands of the future
Econ 9	International economic engagement & trade	.....	Productive and prosperous through fair & ethical trade agreements, labour hire & procurement

**Read the Directions for our governance**

13 directions for our governance



## Directions in Our Governance

Map location	In our governance	.....	Australia becomes:
Gov 1	Strength of democracy	.....	A proactive participatory democracy
Gov 2	National values & identity	.....	A nation knowing & affirming decency
Gov 3	Human & other rights	.....	A nation with avowed rights for all
Gov 4	Constitutional reform	.....	A free, self-governing, modern nation
Gov 5	Transparency, openness & accountability	.....	Open, transparent & accountable in its governments & institutions
Gov 6	Government ethics	.....	A world benchmark in leaders' conduct
Gov 7	Public service independence & excellence	.....	Committed to public service independence & excellence
Gov 8	Electoral system & funding reform	.....	Protected from undue sectional influence in elections
Gov 9	Corporate & NGO responsibility	.....	A nation outlawing corporate greed & encouraging private sector ethics & community partnership
Gov 10	Free communications policy & regulation	.....	A guardian of freedom & accountability in political discourse, news media & the wider information market
Gov 11	International participation & global justice	.....	A just participant on the global stage
Gov 12	Peace & security	.....	A nation assured of enduring peace
Gov 13	Humanitarian effort	.....	A nation leading in empathy & global cohesion

**Read the latest draft of the plan to deliver this Vision at <https://www.austcfp.com.au/australia-together>**