

PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA Environment and Planning Committee

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## Hearing with councils on rate capping

Three city councils will present their views to the Victorian Parliament's Environment and Planning Committee at a public hearing in Melbourne on Tuesday 12 April for the inquiry into the Victorian Government's rate capping policy.

The public hearing will commence at 12 noon in the Knight Kerr Room at Parliament House and will involve the following city councils: Maribyrnong; Moreland; and Darebin.

The inquiry is examining the outcome of the Victorian Government's rate capping policy on councils' viability, service impacts on local communities and impacts on the provision of local infrastructure.

Further public hearings will be held in Ballarat on 28 April, Bendigo on 29 April and Melbourne on 3 May.

More details on the inquiry are available from the Committee's website.

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