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#### Release of draft Tasmania Housing Strategy to help deliver 20-year vision

*The Rockliff Liberal Government is committed to safe and secure housing for all Tasmanians which is why we are delivering the most ambitious housing plan in the State's history.*

*To guide our record investment of \$1.5 billion to deliver 10,000 social and affordable homes, we are developing Tasmania's first 20-year vision to improve the sustainability of our entire housing system.*

*"Today, I'm proud to release our draft 20-Year Housing Strategy for Tasmania, which will contribute to shaping our housing future," Minister Barnett said.*

*"Our vision is for a well-functioning, viable housing system that provides safe, appropriate and affordable housing for all Tasmanians.*

*"To achieve this, we must be innovative and deliver more diverse types of housing that supports improved social and economic outcomes and considers our changing population and demographic needs into the future.*

*"Homes Tasmania has led the development of the draft Strategy, shaped by input from many of our stakeholder partners and the Tasmanian community on their housing priorities, the challenges they face, and the solutions they believe can improve the lives of all Tasmanians.*

*"This draft Strategy has been built on feedback from a Discussion Paper released in 2022, meetings with Tasmanian councils, the Housing Reference Group, focus groups with people with lived experience and engagement with the Aboriginal Tasmanian community.*

*"The final 20-Year Tasmanian Housing Strategy will be supported by a series of action plans that ensure our responses to Tasmania's housing challenges are agile and evolve just as our State's housing needs will change and evolve," Minister Barnett said.*

*Tasmanians are invited to provide feedback on the draft Tasmanian Housing Strategy by visiting the Tasmanian Housing Strategy website: <https://tashousingstrategy.homestasmania.com.au/>. Consultation is now open until Sunday 2 July 2023.*