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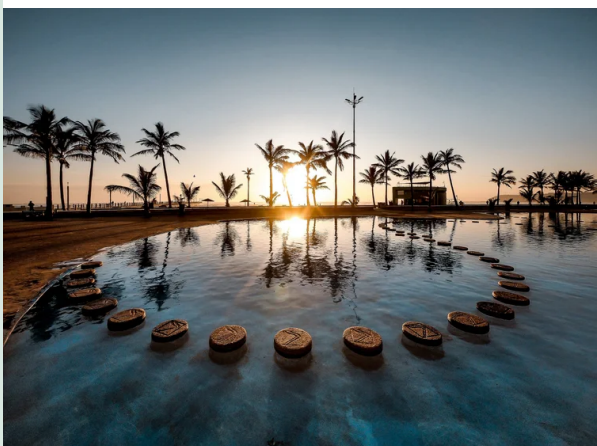
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ICLEI Oceania Virtual Member Corner Event - Your Plans for 2022



Virtual event, Friday 25 February, 12-1:30 AEDT

Connect, learn and share about climate and sustainability priorities in the year ahead 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. If you are not an ICLEI Member but interested to join this event, please reach out to dustin.cutler@iclei.org.

[Register Here](#)

ICLEI World Congress 2021 - 2022: The Malmö Summit



Virtual & in-person events, 11-13 May 2022

Every three years, ICLEI hosts the [ICLEI World Congress](#) to showcase how cities, towns and regions across our network are advancing sustainable urban development worldwide. There is an opportunity for access to limited funding that can support our member councils to send a delegate Please [contact us](#) for more information.

News



Remembering a former ICLEI REXCom member Troy Pickard

It was with great sadness that Troy Pickard passed away earlier this year. Troy was a valued member of the ICLEI Oceania Regional Executive Committee from 2012 and was instrumental in engaging Joondalup WA in ICLEI's climate and biodiversity programs. We offer our condolences to Troy's family and friends.

ICLEI Oceania Mayors plan to accelerate climate action in 2022

ICLEI Oceania and Executive Chair Cr. Amanda Stone hosted a high-level meeting of local government leaders Thursday Feb 3, including the Lord Mayor Sally Capp from CCCLM and ALGA President Cr. Linda Scott to discuss the need for stronger federal government support for councils to accelerate climate action..



CitiesWithNature Action Platform

The **City of Newcastle**, **City of West Torrens** and the **City of Yarra** are some of the first of our members to trial the new CitiesWithNature Action Platform. The CitiesWithNature Action Platform is the place for cities to show what actions they are taking to help achieve global nature goals, today and by 2030. Known as the Global Biodiversity Framework, these goals are set by the Convention on Biological Diversity of the United Nations. The platform will be launched in April 2022. [Find out more](#)



Carbon Neutral Adelaide

"Adelaide is showcasing the uptake of renewable and clean technologies and embracing the economic opportunities of responding to climate change." Lord Mayor of Adelaide, Sandy Verschoor. [Find out how](#) The City of Adelaide is becoming a carbon neutral city.



Global Covenant of Mayors (GCoM) Badges Coming in Early March

GCoM badges acknowledge each city's commitments to ambitious climate actions. As the validation process is still ongoing for many cities, the official Badge awards are expected to be issued in **early March**. Find out more about the award process [here](#).



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