



Listening Tour

Renew Australia For All has been sitting down with our communities across our cities, suburbs and regions since April. We've heard the challenges, hopes and ideas on how we can deliver a fairer, more sustainable and secure future for us all.

People told us of grappling with inundated homes from floods, and sweltering through summer. We heard about jobs changing and communities wanting to ensure young people could be trained in new skills. But overwhelmingly people reported making difficult decisions like whether to buy groceries or keep their home warm during winter and cool over summer.

They see how those households which have taken back control of their energy bills using rooftop solar have been better off. They want a plan to make sure all of us - no matter our bank balance, whether we rent, own our own home, or live in a house or apartment - can share in the same benefits.



By the numbers

- 974** attendees
- 27** events
- 27** locations



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Last winter our electricity bill was \$750 for the quarter, and we are still freezing. The wind will blow outside and our hair ruffles inside. We asked the landlord to fix it. They said no. This is a climate, cost of living and liveability issue.

SOPHIE

Wollongong, NSW



I'm a single parent. Heating is a problem and I can't keep it going. I have a good wage but can't keep up with increasing living costs. No help is on the horizon.

ANGELA

Geelong, VIC



Standing up an export scale green iron industry in Western Australia will safeguard the future of the Pilbara, create tens of thousands of secure union jobs, and significantly reduce global emissions.

DARCY

Perth, WA



After the cyclone there were boarded up windows. It took a mental health toll on my son, who asked 'What's the point of going on when the world is messed up mum?'

ROBYN

Townsville, QLD



I'm really worried about younger and more vulnerable communities. New housing is being build in floodplains and exempt from standards like energy efficiency. We're creating areas of long term disadvantage.

MALVINA

Adelaide, SA



Our home insurance premium is going up 30% each year - with the trajectory being it is uninsurable. We talk seriously about leaving. In recent floods we used community batteries. We need more adaptation like this.

SHAREE

Hobart, TAS