

Involving South Australians in decisions that matter

Strong engagement helps the Government of South Australia design policies, programs and services that genuinely reflect community needs. It builds trust, encourages open conversations, sparks new ideas and solutions, and supports better use of public resources.



Supporting community engagement

The Department of the Premier and Cabinet (DPC) supports South Australian public sector agencies to plan, deliver and evaluate community engagement activities. This includes access to tools and support about Better Together and YourSAy.

Better Together

The Better Together engagement framework has six principles that shape the government's engagement systems.

- 1 We know why we are engaging
- 2 We know who to engage
- 3 We know the history
- 4 We start together
- 5 We are genuine
- 6 We are relevant and engaging

yourSAy

YourSAy is the government's online hub for community consultation. It allows agencies to share information, host discussions, run surveys and polls, and communicate project goals and timelines.

Agencies can manage their consultations through the YourSAy Agency Portal.

Consultations on YourSAy are also promoted through the YourSAy social channels and regular e-newsletters sent to subscribers and the broader public sector.

Additional resources

- [Templates and checklists for planning and reporting](#)
- [Engagement tools and case studies](#)
- [Advice on engaging underrepresented groups, including co design with First Nations people](#)

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