Policy Greenhouse: Project Brief

A framework for best practice community engagement for major infrastructure projects: community co-design

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Policy Context

Australia is undergoing its most intensive period of infrastructure delivery. Communities are experiencing the consequent benefits and frustrations of major construction. Governments recognise that the systems in place to monitor and mitigate negative social impacts of major projects are limited. Despite such intensive delivery, few lessons are shared and the qualities of what constitutes ‘best practice’ community engagement remain vague.

Project

This project will engage policy makers and the community on development of a best practice framework for engaging communities on major infrastructure projects. The project will include development of a scorecard for assessing future performance.

Expected outcomes

More effective community engagement on major infrastructure project design and delivery.