



CLP TEAM Our Plan



for Alice Springs



Reduce Crime



Rebuild the Economy



Restore our Lifestyle



The CLP Team

We Will Rebuild the Territory



**The CLP Team have the real world
and government experience to
Rebuild the Territory.**



Your Team in Alice Springs



The CLP has a Plan for Alice Springs. We are excited and optimistic about the future because we know Alice Springs can be better.

Alice Springs used to be a place where families were free and safe to enjoy our great lifestyle, but recently the Red Centre has been ignored by Labor.

Labor has been in power for 19 of the past 23 years and has been too focussed on Darwin at the expense of the Red Centre.

Crime is out of control, tourism is suffering, house prices are down and businesses are packing up and leaving the Territory. This is not good enough.

Labor is wasting your money on their pet projects like the delayed art gallery that is not in town but instead ripping up Anzac Oval.

Alice Springs deserves better and our strong and experienced Team is ready to make the tough decisions to turn Alice Springs around.

The CLP in Alice will:



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Lia Finocchiaro MLA
Leader of the CLP Team

A blue ink signature that reads "Josh".

Joshua Burgoyne MLA
CLP Member for Braitling

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Bill Yan MLA
CLP Member for Namatjira

Reduce Crime

STARTING WITH YOUTH CRIME



Kids need to be safe, loved and cared for.



ADDRESS ROOT CAUSES

Get kids in Alice Springs back to school and on a better path

We will work with families and truancy officers to get kids to school and make sure they are shown care and value. We'll ensure kids are raised in safe environments away from alcohol abuse and harm. We will invest more in the intervention and treatment of Foetal Alcohol Syndrome.



YOUTH BOOT CAMPS

Working with Indigenous Mentors

While Labor has talked about boot camps for 8 years they've never delivered any. Working with indigenous mentors we will build a youth boot camp in Alice Springs, where kids are provided a safe and structured environment. We will focus on skills training to give kids a future out of crime.

REAL CONSEQUENCES



BRING BACK CONSEQUENCES

The Team in Alice will draw the line on bad behaviour

To stop repeat bad behaviour you must set boundaries. We will ensure that when youth do the wrong thing, there are appropriate consequences, like community service. Under the CLP, youth diversion programs will be mandatory, not optional, like they are now.



EXPAND SCHOOL BASED POLICING

And bring back truancy officers

Truancy officers will work with the families of kids in Alice who regularly skip school. School based constables will keep our students and teachers safe by being present to intervene and stop crime. School counsellors will be on school premises where they need to be, not centralised like they are under Labor.



HOLD PARENTS ACCOUNTABLE

Parents in Alice must get their kids to school and meet basic needs

Education and training is vital to drive down crime. We will get kids to school and hold parents accountable. If parents are not caring for their children's basic needs they will be referred to Commonwealth income management like the basics card.



MOVE YOUTH JUSTICE FROM TERRITORY FAMILIES

So each department can focus on what they do best

Vulnerable children in Alice deserve care and protection and the CLP Team will move youth justice back into Corrections where it belongs. Our Plan will allow each department to do what they do best. Corrections is best placed to change criminal behaviour and this will allow them to focus on what is most needed – protection and care for children.

Fixing the Education System



RAISING SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Under Labor, school attendance in Central Australia continues to go backwards. The CLP will get kids to school and will not be afraid to hold parents accountable for depriving their child of access to education. We will create Truancy Officers with the power to get kids to school.

We will hold parents accountable if they break the law and fail to send their kids to school. That means compulsory case conferences, fines and in extreme cases prosecution. We will also refer families who deprive their child of an education to income management with the Commonwealth. This will ensure money is spent on children's needs such as food, clothing, health and education.

GETTING BACK TO BASICS

For our kids to get the jobs of the future and be competitive, we must improve academic results. Our focus is on boosting literacy and numeracy by getting back to basics. Refocusing on these core competencies is a sensible approach making sure every student gets a good education no matter where they go to school.

KEEPING AND ATTRACTING TEACHERS

We will give teachers financial certainty by moving them off short term contracts into permanent places, so they can have the confidence to put down roots in the Territory. There will be tougher penalties for assaults on teachers so students and staff can feel safe.



Crime and Corrections Plan



Prison Rehabilitation

*A focus on rehabilitation
and skills training*

The CLP Plan for Alice Springs will focus on rehabilitation. We will build a new women's prison in Alice, a new adult prisoner work camp and a new Work in the Community Home Detention program. In Alice, Sentence to a Job will mean offenders serving time will get work skills and come out with a job to go to.



Tackling Alcohol Harm

With more Police and PALIs

We will ensure there is always a Police Auxiliary on bottle shops in Alice. We won't remove alcohol laws overnight like Labor did with Stronger Futures. We will work with communities to ensure there are appropriate alcohol measures in place to stop public drunkenness.



Better powers for Police

So they can do their job

When measures like curfews are called, Police will have clear powers to not just move offenders to the suburbs but ensure they are dealt with appropriately under the law. We will put in place consequences to change behaviour for the long term.



Stronger Bail

*To stop the revolving door
of re-offending*

All serious violent offenders with or without a weapon will start with a position of no bail. Criminals who repeatedly break the law will not be automatically bailed and released back onto the streets to cause more harm to Territorians.



Rebuild our Economy



The CLP will remove payroll tax for small businesses so they can create jobs and grow.

- ✓ Raise the payroll tax-free threshold for the first time in 13 years from \$1.5 million to \$2.5 million.
- ✓ Apprentice and trainee wages will also be exempt from payroll tax as part of the new \$2.5 million threshold, saving businesses thousands of dollars to invest in growing Territory apprenticeships and traineeships.

This will mean the Territory leads the nation with the most generous payroll tax-free threshold.

Making it easier to do business here will help to rebuild the Territory's reputation and move our economy forwards.

Lower taxes for small business benefits all Territorians.

Small businesses in Alice Springs will save tens of thousands of dollars a year on tax under a CLP Government.

There are
2100

**Small Businesses
in Alice Springs**

Source: Industry.nt.gov.au

Lowering your cost of living



THE CLP WILL DOUBLE THE SOLAR FEED IN TARIFF

Many residents in Alice Springs trusted Labor and invested in solar. Then Eva Lawler ripped away the benefits, breaking that promise.

The CLP **will double the solar feed in tariff in peak times**, lowering your energy bills and creating a greener future for our kids.

We'll also double the battery bonus up to \$12,000 so you can store the energy your solar panels produce.

*Saving you money
and helping our
environment.*



**Making it easier for
car and trailer owners.
Saving you time and
money.**

Free Licence



Your drivers licence will be free for one year.

Freezing Rego

FRZ·REGO·BLS
N.T. OUTBACK AUSTRALIA

Territorians can't afford to pay more. Rego under Labor has gone up around \$100, under the CLP you won't pay more this year.

3 year Trailer Renewal



You can save time not lining up at the MVR by choosing to renew your trailer for three years instead of every year.

Playing to our Natural Strengths



● **Tourism** ● **Defence** ● **Agriculture** ● **Gas** ● **Mining**

These industries are the foundation of our wealth. They can create the jobs of the future and real jobs in our remote communities. It is in these industries that all others will build strength from.

The Fraser Institute of Mining Survey ranked the Territory first in the world for mineral potential and we have hundreds of thousands of square kilometres of crop-ready land. These industries also provide unique opportunities for aboriginal jobs on country.

The CLP successfully argued for the removal of Labor's complicated, hybrid mining tax in favour of a simple, streamlined system that ensures Territorians are paid what we deserve for what comes out of the ground.

These industries are vital for our local economy here in the red centre. We'll make sure we continue to promote and grow our producers. This will bring more people to Alice and ensure our kids have secure long term jobs here.



Safe and well regulated Gas Industry

TERRITORY GAS TO GROW THE TERRITORY ECONOMY

Labor has mismanaged our gas supply. They can't even give certainty to keep the lights on in our towns and regions.

The CLP have always stood up for, and supported the Territory's gas industry, and this industry will proceed with certainty under a CLP government.

We have this incredible resource right here and thousands of Territory jobs could be created over the next 20 years. The gas from the Beetaloo is cleaner than fossil fuels and can be used to transition to renewables and create a new clean energy source.

We will ensure the gas industry is well regulated, that our domestic power is secure and the benefits of a strong economy flow to Territorians.

Leading the nation's transition to renewables

Not only will gas grow our local economy but it will help Australia meet its emissions targets.

Gas is the cleaner and cheaper pathway to renewables.

The Territory's gas can provide the solution to the East Coast power shortage and provide economic benefit to Territorians.



**Gas doesn't just keep the lights on and grow the economy,
it is the safe and practical transition to renewable energy.**



WE WILL BRING WASTEFUL SPENDING UNDER CONTROL

We will restore transparency and integrity to Government and put a stop to Labor's wasteful spending on unnecessary projects. We'll bring back accountability to ensure taxpayer funds are spent on priority projects. Departments, programs and organisations receiving Government money will be held accountable for what they spend and for delivering outcomes.

Unlike Labor we won't just build projects in Darwin while Alice Springs misses out.

Under the CLP projects won't just get announced they will be built.

WE WILL:

- **Speed up approvals**, we have the ambitious target to halve approval time frames across government by 50%.
- **Cut Red Tape** to take away unnecessary administrative burdens and make doing business easier.
- **Install the Territory Co-ordinator** which will ensure major projects are fought for, started quickly, and completed on time. It will also be able to intervene on decision-making when government is taking too long to finalise a decision.

We will strengthen the public service:

NO Job Cuts
NO Asset Sales

Community Government Councils

EMPOWERING BUSH COMMUNITIES

The CLP is committed to restoring control of communities to Aboriginal people and strengthening service delivery. Control that Labor took away.

The CLP will work with Aboriginal people to empower communities that want a greater say, fostering self-determination.

This will enable them to have a more active role in community development and decision-making processes. This will not be a 'one size fits all' approach and we won't make changes without community engagement and consultation.

The CLP reforms will support communities with infrastructure and management of local assets. This will foster skill development and create job opportunities.





Restore our Lifestyle

Access to health care in Alice Springs



INVEST IN ALICE SPRINGS HOSPITAL

We will ensure Alice Springs Hospital is prioritised and funded properly. We will tackle alcohol related harm that is increasingly rising in the emergency ward with stronger laws and rehabilitation. This will help relieve the pressure of staff in the emergency ward.

We will work with the Federal Government to increase aged care facilities to help free up hospital beds.

This will also improve the wait times for Territorians on much needed surgeries.

BETTER ACCESS TO CHEAPER MEDICINES

Families will get easier access to cheaper medicines and vaccines.

This will save time and money for families and take pressure off GP waiting rooms.

DISABILITY SERVICES

Improve access to a greater range of disability services and additional special needs schooling.

Attract and keep frontline workers in Alice Springs

Growing our red centre economy and making our community safe will mean we can attract and keep skilled workers.

We will move key workers like teachers from rolling contracts to permanent so they can have job security.

We will also be strong advocates for federal tax breaks and migration exemptions including changes to the zone tax offset and Designated Area Migration Agreement (DAMA). This will give greater access to migrants and streamline processes for people wanting to live and stay in Northern Australia.

Skilled workers for Alice Springs

The CLP will promote jobs and opportunities across the Territory not just in Darwin.

Those who move to our regional and remote areas will have access to incentives to help them settle and stay.



Kids and communities first with better sporting infrastructure

We recognise sport plays a critical role in people's lives and can help provide kids with the right role models they need in their formative years.

The CLP will provide better facilities at local and community sporting grounds including better changerooms, lighting and parking to encourage greater participation for all ages.

With a focus on growing female sport we are investing in more change facilities for women right across the Territory.

Supporting Multicultural Communities

Alice Springs will receive its first ever Multicultural Centre under a \$5 million plan by the CLP.

There are 26 multicultural groups in Alice with more than 4500 members and the new state-of-the art centre will help celebrate Alice Springs' thriving multicultural community.



Major Events will stay in Alice Springs

Major events are a key driver of tourism in the Red Centre.

We will stand up for the tourism sector and fully support key events like The Henley on Todd, Alice Springs Masters Games and Red Centre Nats to firmly cement Alice as a must visit destination for tourists.

CLP Member for Braitling when he competed in the Finke Desert Race.

New \$15 Million Sports Complex



The CLP Team has committed \$15 million for a new multi sports precinct to rebuild Alice Springs' reputation and put it back on the map.

The precinct will span 1500sqm of unused land at Centralian Middle School running from Rosenbaum Street along Memorial Avenue and encompass Jim McConville Oval.

It will include four fields for training and a new ground suitable for first grade competition, as well as a new grandstand, children's playground, car parking and areas for dining and entertainment.



PROTECTING OUR NATURAL ASSETS



Action on Buffel Grass

The CLP will get the balance right when it comes to managing Buffel Grass.

We will work with property owners to control the spread of Buffel Grass and reduce fire risk.

We will also work with our cattle growers to ensure Buffel Grass can continue to be used as feedstock where it is needed.



Sustainable Management

Our parks and ranges are not only a key part of our lifestyle but our biggest tourist attraction.

By not wasting money on pet projects, we will be able to invest more in facilities, toilets, park rangers and upkeep. We can eliminate pests and promote native species of flora and fauna.

Working with aboriginal rangers we will ensure our parks and waterways are local and tourist friendly.

The CLP won't charge locals park entry fees.



Protecting our water is key to both sustainable communities and the environment

We will ensure remote and regional communities have continued access to the water they need to live, work and run their properties.

The failure to properly maintain service lines, bores and mains has seen a breakdown in access to safe drinking water for remote communities.

The CLP will prioritise reliable water infrastructure for safe drinking and ensure it is properly maintained into the future.

Our approach is a sensible plan for the future.



GROWING TOURISM



Bringing Tourists back to Alice Springs

A strong tourism industry is vital to help create jobs and grow businesses in Alice. Our natural beauty is renowned around the globe.

Our priority is to make Alice Springs safe and restore the Red Centre's reputation. This will bring back tourists, fill our hotels, restaurants and pubs and give our tour businesses the work they need.

Alice has been let down by our major airlines. We need more flights and the CLP will take the fight to airline companies to deliver more flights to the Red Centre.

The CLP's Plan will ensure people visiting the Territory can more easily find and experience our major tourism attractions. Better signage, promotion and digital marketing will give our local operators every advantage to show off our great attractions.





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Rebuild the Territory**

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