

Waste Delivery Plan - Program Development Timeline

Scope
 Design and Consult
 Release and Monitor



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1	Diverting organics from landfill	Regulation	Design and Consult Release draft regulations for public consultation March 2022											Release 2022	
		Programs	Design and Consult Begin targeted consultation on organics investment and education program design and mandates August 2021					Early 2022 - Release organics investment program guidelines - Release funding to support food recovery - Begin targeted consultation on expanded monitoring and data collection systems Publish local government organics collection support guidelines May 2022					Commence scoping and development of guidelines for new organics processing facilities in 2022 and publish in 2023 Publish public processing infrastructure investment program guidelines 2023		
2	Increasing uptake of landfill gas capture and waste-derived biogas	Regulation and program	Design and Consult Initiate review August 2021-February 2022 Begin targeted consultation April 2022											Finalise policy and regulatory framework 2022 Release draft legislation 2023 Release program guidelines and new requirements 2023 Release new regulations 2024	
3	Building waste sector resilience to climate change	Partnership	Scope					Initiate consultation mid-2022 Design 2023							
4	Creating a carbon-negative waste sector	Carbon-abatement cost curves	Scope				Publish cost curves and list of emerging resource recovery markets								
		Carbon Recycling and Abatement Fund	Design and Consult Begin targeted consultation October 2021					Release							
5	Leveraging government purchasing power to stimulate a local circular economy	Government procurement and Circular Innovation Fund	Design and Consult Commence targeted consultation January 2022					Release program and publish directory of recycled material 2022 Adopt NABERS 2026							
6	Review our regulatory settings to enable the circular economy	Review waste levy	Targeted consultation 2022 Review 2023 Release findings of review 2024												
		Resource recovery framework	Scope Commence targeted consultation on the framework September 2021		Design and Consult Conclude review and initiate targeted consultation on proposed reforms March 2022										Implement changes 2023
7	Building on our success: Business Recycling	Program	Design and Consult Targeted consultation February/March 2022											Release 2022	
8	Strategic infrastructure planning and investment	Strategic Infrastructure Investment Fund	Scope					Design and Consult Begin targeted consultation April 2022					Release 2022		

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9	Avoiding plastic waste	Regulation	Design and Consult On proposed legislation June 2021 Commence investigating extended producer responsibility schemes September 2021								Commence education and engagement campaigns leading up to Stage 1 phase-out			Stage 1 phase-out commences at least 6 months after passage of legislation Commence education and engagement campaigns leading up to Stage 2 phase-out 2022 Stage 2 phase-outs commence within 12 months after the passage of legislation Consider Stage 3 phase-outs 2024	
		Circular Materials Fund & Plastics Research Partnership	Design and Consult Commence targeted consultation August 2021											Release	
10	Building on our success: Litter prevention	Program	Scope and Consult Commence targeted consultation August 2021							Release Data Framework			Review and consult on 'Tosser' 2022 Release strategy 2022 Release funding 2022		
11	Building on our success: Preventing illegal dumping and strengthening the way we regulate waste crime	Regulation	Scope				Design and Consult Commence consultation on high-priority legislative reforms April 2022					Commence consultation on other legislative reforms 2022 Release 2022 and 2023			
		Program	Funding is on-going	Design and Consult Commence targeted consultation October 2021							Release new illegal dumping prevention plan for 2022-27 Release funding 2022				
12	Building on our success: Hazardous and household problem wastes	Program	Scope											Commence targeted consultation mid-2022 Commence expanding and completing the network of CRCs and continue Chemical CleanOut collection events July 2022	
13	Creating a nationally consistent hazardous waste tracking system	Regulation			Scope				Design and Consult Commence consultation on draft amendment regulation March-June 2022		Release				
		Program	Scope Design and Consult Commence targeted consultation August 2021					Development and testing					Release 2022		
14	Building on our success: NSW Asbestos Coordination Committee	Program	Scope Design	Design and Consult Release Asbestos in NSW: Setting the Direction 2021 and 2022 in November 2021 Commence wide consultation on longer-term strategic agenda February 2022							Launch NSW asbestos behaviour change program mid-2022 Release longer-term strategic agenda 2022				
15	Facilitating joint council procurement of waste services	Program	Scope			Design and Consult Release options paper for targeted consultation October 2021						Release			
16	Building on our success: Local government waste and resource recovery	Program	Design and Consult Begin working with regional waste groups and local government partners August 2021 Release Better Waste Recycling funding September 2021 Release guidance on regional waste strategies November 2021											Release 2022	
17	Building on our success: Waste in Aboriginal communities	Program							Design and Consult Commence work with our partners from early 2022					Release 2022	
18	Building on our success: Continue the Landfill Consolidation and Environment Improvements Program	Program	Design and Consult Begin targeted consultation August 2021 Initiate review of E-RAMP August 2021											Release 2022	