

BUILDING A COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

NDC KITCHEN TABLE (KTC) CONVERSATION QUESTIONS

The Climate Reality Project Australia & Pacific has embarked on a civic engagement project to understand what people in communities across the region care most about when it comes to the climate crisis. The aim is to identify opportunities for collective action.

The information provided during this KTC will be treated anonymously and will be compiled into a report, summarising community views to be compiled by The Climate Reality Project Australia & Pacific, and distributed on a variety of communication channels.

CONVERSATION GUIDELINES

- Accept that everyone is entitled to have a say
- Actively listen to one another
- Respect everyone's right to their opinion, even if we disagree
- Always try to be constructive
- Respond to the question being asked
- There is no need to share who you vote for
- Consensus does not need to be reached

KTC QUESTION GUIDE

Living in your community

1. What do you value most about the natural environment where you live? (E.g., how is it a part of your lives, livelihoods, enjoyment, employment, health, and wellbeing?)

Issues and concerns

2. What climate issues affect your community most? (E.g., clean water, jobs, youth opportunities, health risks, impacts on women or people with disabilities.)

3. What is your vision for more ambitious climate action in your community?

4. What kinds of projects does your community need to adapt to current and anticipated impacts of climate change?

5. What actions would you like to see governments and/or decision makers take to address these climate concerns and make your community vision a reality?

Facilitation tips:

- Relay back and check understanding.
- Use follow up questions: "Can you give some examples?", "Can you say more?"
- Summarise the group's answers.
- Stay mindful of including people who have spoken less: "_____, do you have any reflections you'd like to share?"