

Priorities for strengthening volunteering in Victoria

Vision

Volunteers are engaged, supported and valued, and undertake their roles in a volunteering community that is effective, sustainable and valuable to all Victorians.

Outcomes

Victorians will benefit from more effective volunteering effort.

Victorian volunteering programs and organisations will be more sustainable.

Victorians can participate in volunteering across all sectors of the Victorian community.

Barriers for Victorians to access volunteering will be reduced.

Enablers

Leadership and governance

Strategic recognition and support, and best practice management approaches.

Innovation and technology

Continuous adaption to new technology and modern volunteer expectations.

Collaboration and partnerships

Effective partnerships and sharing strengths to maximise impact.

Priority areas

Diversity and inclusion

Harnessing diverse perspectives and experiences.

Ensuring all people have equitable access to participate and lead.

Supporting social cohesion and community resilience through volunteering.

Volunteering for all ages

Providing skills of the future and pathways to employment.

Promoting a culture of volunteering throughout the life journey.

Providing meaning and purpose during industry transition or retirement.

Quality volunteer experiences

Reciprocal benefits are realised through safe and rewarding experiences.

Improving pathways into volunteering and transferability of skills between organisations.

The value and impact of volunteering is realised and celebrated.