



The CEHL Board has identified the need to consider the potential risks associated with climate change and our ability to respond.

CEHL has engaged a consultant to help us understand what our actual risks are and a best-practice approach for determining the responses we should take. The work will consider potential impacts such as:

- bushfires and air quality,
- extreme heat and cold,
- storms and hail,

The work will consider these risks across the 10 climate zones of Victoria and provide CEHL with a framework and time frames for actions that need to be taken to manage or mitigate the risks associated with climate change.

Following the initial phase of the project, during 2020 we will identify ways we can work with co-ops to incorporate consideration of climate risk into planning for the future.

Regular updates on the progress of this project will be published in Co-operatively Speaking.

## CLIMATE CHANGE RISK ASSESSMENT PROJECT

CEHL has identified the need to consider the potential risks and our ability to respond to climate variance and governance responsibilities in relation to management of properties.

CEHL have engaged a consultant to help us understand what our risks are and what a best-practice approach would be, to determine the responses we should take, and the time frames for planning purposes.

Following this initial phase of the project, in 2020 we will identify ways we can work with co-ops to incorporate consideration of climate risk into planning for the future.

Look out for further updates down the track!

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