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1. Do you agree with the proposed vision and goals for the action plan? Which goals are you most supportive of? Are there any other goals that should be considered?

There needs to be major reduction in emissions from across all sectors and this needs to be reflected greater in the vision and goals. The reductions are not enough to make real impact on climate change. Native forest logging is the highest emitting sector in the state, yet this has not been addressed. We need to protect our native forests and let them store the carbon.

2. Will the three priority areas -
  - (1) information and knowledge
  - (2) transition and innovation and
  - (3) adaptation and resilience, help Tasmania achieve its legislated 2030 emissions reduction target, and its vision for action on climate change? Are there other issues not covered by the three priority areas?

I hope so, but they need to be strong actions, not weak and meaningless.

3. Will the key actions under Priority area 1 help support decision making for you and your community or organisation? What types of projects should be supported under the final action plan?

More education and research is important. Just ensure that it is in the right areas and that enough emphasis is put onto educating the public

4. Will the key actions under Priority area 2 support Tasmania to achieve its 2030 emissions reduction target and continued emissions reduction across Tasmania? What types of projects should be supported under the final action plan?

The main focus needs to be on rapid emissions reductions. Developing plans for emissions reductions in key industries is good but it needs to be dramatic cuts - and real cuts to emissions, not 'net' emissions that can be bought through carbon credits. The final action plan needs to commit to ending native forest logging considering it is the highest emitting sector in the state. The plan also needs to commit to no new fossil fuel developments.

5. Will the key actions under Priority area 3 build resilience and support adaptation planning across Tasmania? What types of projects should be supported under the final action plan?

For Tasmania, bushfire is the number one impact to our state. I am deeply concerned that Tasmania is under resourced for dealing with fires. We need much greater investment into fire fighting equipment and resources, as well as investment in waterbombing aircraft. But far our ecologically-sensitive alpine areas are the most at threat to fire. We need to give these areas the upmost priority over buildings and infrastructure. These areas cannot be replaced or rebuilt.

6. Are there other ways the government could make its action on climate change, and progress towards meeting its targets, more transparent and accessible?

We need to end native forest logging. We need to commit to no new fossil fuels. We need strong commitments over all sectors for emissions reduction.

7. If you have any further questions or feedback please add it here

8. Please provide your full name, or the name of your organisation \*

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9. Please provide your email address (optional)

10. Do you give permission for the Climate Change Office to publish your submission? \*

Yes

No