

# THIS VIC ELECTION

who backs **CLEAN ENERGY**

**NOT DIRTY COAL?**

Find out below 



**The Liberals** plan to scrap our renewable energy target and build a new coal or gas power station.



**Labor** plans to install solar on 650,000 homes and reach 40% renewable energy by 2025.



**The Greens** want 100% renewable energy by 2030, with publicly owned wind and solar farms.

Turn over for details 

# Where the parties stand on

## clean energy and climate change

### THIS ELECTION

#### ✓ LABOR

- ✓ 40% renewable energy by 2025 and 50% by 2030 under Victorian Renewable Energy Target
- ✓ Half-price solar panels for 650,000 homes, and half-price battery storage for 10,000 homes
- ✓ Funding for 50,000 rental homes to receive solar panels
- ✓ \$1000 off solar hot water systems for 60,000 homes
- ✓ Increased feed-in tariffs so homes with solar get a fairer price for electricity they provide to the grid
- ✓ Strengthened Victoria's Climate Change Act and passed a law for zero emissions by 2050
- ✓ Banned fracking and unconventional gas extraction
- ✗ Have encouraged offshore gas drilling and a coal-to-hydrogen project
- ✗ Welcomed AGL's plan to build a damaging gas import terminal in Westernport Bay

#### ✓ GREENS

- ✓ 100% renewable energy by 2030, including \$9 billion worth of publicly owned large-scale renewable energy
- ✓ Want to increase the Victorian Renewable Energy Target
- ✓ Plan to help renters, public housing tenants and apartment dwellers access solar and energy efficiency
- ✓ All new homes required to have solar panels or solar hot water systems
- ✓ Solar panels and batteries on Victoria's 1531 public schools
- ✓ Voted for Victoria's Climate Change Act
- ✓ Supported the ban on fracking and would extend ban to all new gas projects, including offshore
- ✓ Clear timeline to close Victoria's remaining coal-burning power stations
- ✓ Opposed AGL's proposal to build a damaging gas import terminal

#### ✗ LIBERALS

- ✗ Plan to scrap the Victorian Renewable Energy Target, sabotaging local clean energy jobs and increasing pollution
- ✗ Voted against an increase to the solar feed-in tariff and would scrap half-price solar for 650,000 homes
- ✗ Want to build a new polluting coal or gas power station
- ✗ Vowed to keep polluting coal-burning power stations open
- ✓ \$10,000 grants to help 700 Victorian state schools install solar
- ✗ Voted against Victoria's Climate Change Act
- ✓ Supported the ban on fracking and unconventional gas extraction
- ✗ Promised to speed up onshore and offshore gas drilling
- ? No clear position on AGL's proposal to build a damaging gas import terminal, though local MP opposed

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