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NEWSLETTER

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**Meet &
Greet**



My visit to Ison Village in Werribee.

On the 15.02.2024 I was invited to visit a village in Werribee.

I was enthusiastically greeted by around thirty residents and had a great day.

After the meeting they kindly put on a lovely lunch. Some residents stayed and we were able to have long chats and heartfelt conversation about their issues and ideas, so it was good to hear directly from residents themselves.



Being invited to a village to meet up with residents is one of the nicest feelings in the world. However, it can be hard to find the right way to say **thank you for your hospitality**, so I am just going to say **thank you for supporting the MHOA** and I enjoyed meeting you all.

thank you

MHOA is consistently writing to Members of Parliament, we are gathering pace and becoming well known. I have just been informed that several MPs will be meeting up this week to brainstorm on their strategies regarding the issues raised by the MHOA.

We will continue to write to the members of parliament who have not yet responded to our campaign letters. We must keep the pressure on and the momentum going as its true that someone who complains or is persistent is more likely to receive attention than someone who stays quiet.

The MHOA has had another productive month. We have had zoom meetings with the following MPs



05.02.2024

Mathew stated that he would meet up with Gabrielle Williams (Minister for Consumer Affairs Victoria) and put our case directly to her.

He also said as MHOA has grown so quickly that we should canvas our members for anyone with legal expertise OR secretarial skills that could assist the MHOA.

So, if you have the skills and can volunteer, please contact us.

Mr Mathew Hilakari MP for Point Cook

09.02.2024

Darren also agreed to contact Gabrielle Williams

He stated- I will do what I said I was going to do and add my voice and I would encourage you to contact MPs and get them to add their voices to it and with all that information collectively we have some chance of moving the dial and getting some legal rights that are accessible to everyone.



Mr Darren Cheeseman MP- South Barwon



26.02.2024

She stated—It was lovely to meet with you. Keep up what you are doing. It is always challenging being a volunteer when you advocate for change but change is needed.

I will certainly be following up with the Minister.

Ms Maree Edwards MP for Bendigo West

Letter 05.02.2024

My electorate office team have been in contact with Sarah Connolly's office to receive a briefing on their meeting with Minister Williams in her capacity of Minister for Consumer Affairs. In addition, I have contacted Minister Williams' office to raise these issues with her directly.

Ms Mary-Anne Thomas MP for Macedon



27.02.2024

We had discussions with the assistant to Gabrielle de Vietri Greens State Member for Richmond, who was extremely interested in what MHOA is advocating for.

A Note from our President - Judy Duff

We are improving our odds of obtaining changes with the assistance of MPs that actually seem to care. We need to show that we want it hard enough to fight for it. We also need to convince them of our need for protections, not only in our legislation but also in the policing of that legislation.

Let's aim high and try to achieve great things together. Let's be determined, ambitious, useful, and compassionate. We are doing it for you all, so join us in our campaign to improve all our lives.

