

PETITION

BURNSIDE COUNCIL INVESTIGATION

To the Honourable the President and the Members of the Legislative Council in this Parliament assembled –

The humble petition of the undersigned residents South Australia respectfully sheweth that:

To ensure the South Australian Public have confidence that Local Government bodies continue to be accountable and responsive to community views and are free of inappropriate political or other influences, the Investigation into the City of Burnside by Mr Ken MacPherson must be completed as required by his appointment under s 272 of the *Local Government Act 1999*. The Final Report from this Investigation must be made public to provide openness and transparency in relation to a publicly funded local authority and any breaches of the *Local Government Act 1999* or the *Criminal Law Consolidation Act 1935* be prosecuted in accordance with the laws of this State.

Your petitioners therefore pray that your Honourable House will call on the Minister for State/Local Government Relations to **immediately resume the investigation into the City of Burnside pursuant to s 272 of the *Local Government Act 1999* by Mr Ken MacPherson and, upon completion, publicly release the final report** and your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

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ON PRESENTATION TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL THIS PETITION WILL BECOME A PUBLIC DOCUMENT

PLEASE RETURN SIGNED PETITIONS TO THE **HON ANN BRESSINGTON MLC**,
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