



Media Release: Number of Tasmanian social homes managed by Mission Australia set to double

Mission Australia is pleased to announce that the number of social homes that we manage in Tasmania is set to double.

Mission Australia Regional Manager Simon Duffy said:

“From 2 November 2021, 681 social homes will come under Mission Australia’s management along with the construction of 47 new homes. This is in addition to the current 500 homes already being managed by Mission Australia in Tasmania.”

“Mission Australia is proud to be delivering more social homes for Tasmanians in need. As a Tier One community housing provider, this transfer will mean that we’ll be able to provide quality tenancy support to more local residents, link them with local services based on their individual needs and assist them to maintain their tenancies.

“The high cost of rent has pushed far too many Tasmanians into rental stress, placing people in precarious housing situations or even pushing them into homelessness. We are pleased to be able to continue our partnership with the Tasmanian Government and other community housing providers to ensure people can access and experience safe, supported and secure housing across the State.

“It is important that any strategy to address the Tasmania’s housing affordability and homelessness crisis involves the increase in availability and quality of social and affordable homes, and the collaboration of government and community housing providers to best ensure people can experience safe, supported and secure housing.

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