

Triple Bottom Line (TBL) Assessment Summary

The Triple Bottom Line Assessment is required to be published in accordance with Part 4, section 23 (1)(b) of the Freedom of Information Act 2016

19/716 Wellbeing Indicators for the ACT – Finalisation of Framework

Summary of impacts:

The ACT Wellbeing Framework will allow the Government and community to consider objective and subjective indicator measures of wellbeing in each of the proposed twelve domain areas, with the indicators and their reporting being a potential basis for shaping Government priorities. The framework will give government the ability to measure many of the factors listed below and will provide a basis for monitoring the Territory's progress across a range of social, economic and environmental areas.

Level of impact **Positive Negative Neutral**

Social			
Level of impact	Impact	Summary	
Neutral	Health (community and mental health)	• Health will be a domain in the framework, with progress in this area being monitored on physical and mental health and other indicators.	
		 The Framework is also related to the Preventative Health Plan. 	
Neutral	Access to services	• The Framework will monitor progress or changes primarily through "Access to services" and "Access to health services" indicators. The Framework will provide further information and data to the Government and community service providers on where support is needed the most.	
Neutral	Housing and affordable housing	 The Framework will monitor progress and change through the "Housing and Home" domain. 	
Neutral	Homelessness support	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "homelessness" indicator, within the Housing and home domain.	
Neutral	Access to social inclusion/participation and community activities	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the Social connection and the Identity and belonging domains.	
Neutral	Human rights	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "Human rights" indicator within the Governance and institutions domain.	

Neutral	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	•	The wellbeing of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people will be explored through the Framework's consideration of sub-population data, which will disaggregate information, where possible, to provide a more detailed picture regarding quality of life. The Wellbeing Framework will align with key priority areas from the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Agreement and outcomes framework.
Neutral	Multicultural	٠	The wellbeing of culturally and linguistically diverse people will be explored through the Framework's consideration of sub-population data, which will disaggregate information, where possible, to provide a more detailed picture regarding quality of life this group. The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "support for multiculturalism" indicator in the identity and belonging Domain.
Neutral	Gender equality		Many of the domain and indicator areas will provide gender disaggregated data.
Neutral	Impacts on different age groups		Disaggregated data will be available for different age groups from some indicator areas to examine the wellbeing outcomes across the community.
Neutral	Disability		Some of the indicators will provide valuable insights for the Office for Disability and community peak bodies representing people with disabilities. Data may also be able to be disaggregated to better understand wellbeing for people with a disability in the ACT.
Neutral	Justice and crime		The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "Safety" domain.

Economic			
Neutral	ACT Government Budget	• Once finalised and embedded, the Framework will have consequences for the budget through its use as a policy development, decision-making, and investment tool.	
Neutral	Productivity	 The Framework will not monitor productivity specifically but will measure factors like economic performance and business conditions and economic diversity. 	
Neutral	Innovation	 Levels of innovation will be measured within the Framework, through the Economy domain. 	
Neutral	Employment and labour force	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "Employment" indicator within the Economy domain.	
Neutral	Small business impact	 Some aspects of Small Business Impacts will be monitored through the "Business conditions and economic diversity" indicator. 	

Neutral	Skills	• The Framework will not directly measure change from a skills perspective but will measure some aspects of skills via the "lifelong learning" indicator.
Neutral	Education	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "Education" domain.
Neutral	Investment and economic growth	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the "Economic performance" indicator within the Economy domain.
Neutral	Cost of living	 Cost of living impacts will be measured through a cost of living" indicator within the living standards domain.
Neutral	Procurement	• The Framework has the potential to positively impact on ACT Government social procurement practices.

Environmental		
Neutral	Biodiversity	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Landscape changes	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Heritage	 Heritage will be a factor within the "connection to nature" and "arts and culture" indicators.
Neutral	Environmental quality	• The Framework will monitor progress and change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Climate change mitigation	• The Framework will monitor progress and change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Climate change adaptation	• The Framework will monitor progress and change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Water	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Urban heat	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the Environment and Climate domain.
Neutral	Visual quality	• The Framework will monitor progress/change through the Environment and Climate domain.