

18/572 - Age-Friendly Canberra - a Vision for Our City

Summary of Impacts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Age-Friendly Canberra - a Vision for Our City</i> is expected to contribute to the government's commitment to build Canberra as an inclusive and welcoming city for all.

Key to impacts: Red – negative, Blue - neutral and Green - positive.

Social

Access to social networks and community activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Articulates key principles to support ongoing work to foster Canberra as an age-friendly city in which older people are connected, included and have access to opportunities to participate in the community.
Impacts on different age groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Articulates key principles for work to impact positively on older people.
Community and individual health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Articulates key principles to improve social inclusion and access to services for older people. These factors have associated health benefits.
Access to services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies older people's access to information and support as an area of priority.
Housing and affordable housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies older people's access to affordable and accessible housing as an area of priority.
Indigenous and multicultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies celebrating diversity and providing culturally appropriate means to address needs as an area of priority.
Human rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies safeguarding older people's human rights as an area of priority.
Justice and rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Articulates key principles to support the Government's ongoing work for Canberra as an age-friendly city. These principles highlight the importance of safeguarding the rights, including the full and equal participation, of older people, consistent with the Human Rights Act 2004 (ACT) and the Discrimination Act 1991 (ACT).

Economic

ACT Government Budget	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does not have a direct impact on the ACT Government Budget. All initiatives to implement the policy will be undertaken within existing resources or will be required to undergo individual budget assessments as per the accepted process as required.
Productivity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies reducing age discrimination and increasing inclusion for older people as priority areas of work. These factors impact on older people's participation in the workforce.
Investment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies supporting the social and economic participation of older Canberrans as a priority area.

Environmental

Nil impact.