

Housing

| Initiative suggested | Date | What we heard | What's happened so far |
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| Advocate for increased or improved public transport to increase access to housing | 26/2 | It's difficult to get around the Macleay without a car, more public transport would make additional areas accessible | - |
| Provide a one-stop shop for housing support | 26/2 | A one-stop-shop for support, identify a range of businesses supporting people who are in need of housing, it takes a whole community | - |
| Map the industry for supported living in the transition from home ownership and assisted living | 26/2 | Better understand what support is available in the transition from living at home to supported living | - |
| Create a campaign to support downsizing and increase in over-50 gated communities | 26/2 | Support downsizing to alleviate more large homes in the community | - |
| Establish a program to engage young people to rebuild burnt out houses | 26/2 | When a young person is paired with a mentor they learn both work and life skills | - |
| Identify a range of alternate accommodation options for key target groups (e.g. youth) | 26/2 | We need a range of options e.g. YP Space caravan park, potential use of spare room in nursing home | - |
| Provide mentors to support accommodation service with long-term funding and partner with mentors with experience | 26/2 | Mentors support people to gain and maintain accommodation | - |
| Create rent to own programs | 26/2 | Develop a localised program to support home ownership | - |
| Provide incentives, funding, and planning for more places to accommodate tourism and temporary visitors (eg., caravan parks and cabins) to decrease pressure on use of existing homes | 26/2 | Increase access to tourism accommodation to alleviate homes currently used as Air BNB etc. | - |

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| Location of new housing or relocation to avoid flood risk | 26/2 | Ensure new DAs are not exposed to flood risk | - |
| Advocate for legislative changes to make land and housing more accessible | 26/2 | Advocate for changes that are currently roadblocks to share accommodation and building additional housing | - |
| Create a program to promote the use of vacant housing | 26/2 | Leverage empty housing to create more supply in the marketplace | - |
| Collective ownership of land and leasing home builds from the collective | 26/2 | Land trust or similar | - |
| Tell good stories | 26/2 | Share good stories about housing solutions | - |
| App to register those looking for a room | 26/2 | Source and promote an app to make it easier to share housing | Flatmates.com already exists and has partnered with Social Impact in the Regions conference |
| Billeting program | 29/2 | Implement billeting program for SIITR24 | Contacted local service groups to support5 |