



Council Member Training and Conference Report Form

Name of Council Member: Mayor Glenn Docherty

Name of Training/Conference: ACLG and ALGA NGA Assembly

Date(s) of Training/Conference: 22/06/2026 to 25/06/2026

Was this a group training session? Yes ☐ No ☒

Was the training provided by the LGA or ALGA? Yes ☒ No ☐

Please provide a brief overview of the issues discussed at the training/conference:

Australia Council of Local Government

Met with Mayors across Australia for sessions with the following Federal Ministers

The Hon Clare O'Neil MP, Minister for Housing and Homelessness

Senator the Hon Murray Watt, Minister for the Environment and Water

Senator the Hon Katy Gallagher, Minister for Finance, Minister for Women and Minister for the Public Service

The Hon Catherine King MP, Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government

The Hon Kristy McBain MP, Minister for Regional Development, Local Government and Territories and Minister for Emergency Management

Assistant Minister Matt Thistlethwaite MP, Assistant Minister for Immigration and Assistant Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade

Urban Forum

Discussed matters ranging from the state of our cities – population growth and demographics.

Precinct Building. I presented to the Urban Forum on the City of Playford's role as being the lead driver for the Health and Wellbeing Precinct.

Emergency Management and roll out of Aus alert and presentations from Emergency Management Australia.

Opportunities and challenges of decarbonization in Higher density Living in our Cities

A session on community cohesion in Fast Growing Centre's

National General Assembly

Had the President Address

Various Addresses from Ministers and Shadow Ministers

Financial Suitability

Launch of the new Disability Inclusion Guide, where I presented on an NGA Panel on Community Inclusion in Action in relation to the Kawanta Pirku-itya / Belonging in the North Project.

Debates on Motions

Sessions on practicable tools and programs for the Modern Council

Please provide a brief overview of any information you received at the training or conference that may be of assistance to the Council:

Council has received copies of the following

[2026-NGA-Business-Papers.pdf](#)

[2026-UrbanForumHandbook-WEB.pdf](#)

[2026-NGA-Handbook-WEB.pdf](#)

[2026-Discussion-Paper-Website-1-1.pdf](#)

In light of the training you received, do you believe there are steps that the council may undertake to advance the Playford Community Vision 2043 and/or Council Strategic Plan? If so, what steps?

See the information links above.

Signature: 

Date: 28 / 7 / 2026

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