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Consultation Committee  
Climate Change Issues.

Below are some suggestions for tackling climate change and effects of climate change.

I feel State Government could do a lot to minimize effects of climate change without big financial commitment.

1. Encourage uptake of electric and hybrid vehicles by more electric charging outlets, a reduction in Stamp duty on new vehicles or on license fees. Note RAC has a low emissions rebate on car insurance.
2. More tree planting in suburbs and the countryside. Farmers to be supplied with trees and salt tolerant plants and some incentive to maintain remnant bush on property.
3. Note the example in South Australia with high degree of renewables and now the support from Federal Liberal and State Liberal governments to support 50% increase in the Tesla battery storage after rediculing State Labor for initiating the battery storage scheme. Now it is possible to have a stable energy source with solar, wind and battery.  
i.e. is Colliie coal necessary?

4. Encourage Eco friendly housing with insulation, eaves and reflective roofs.
5. Support solar panels in State Government offices, schools and public housing.
6. A sophisticated programme of early spotting of fires especially in South West of W.A. and expand prescribed burning and fuel reduction programme.
7. More funds now available so can State Government approach ~~Federal~~ Federal Clean Energy fund to support clean energy projects here in W.A.

Finally renewables, clean energy and a sense of tackling climate change must be a plus now politically.

Yours faithfully  
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