



Ministerial Diary Disclosure Form

Ministerial Code of Conduct, s 5.3

Victorian Government

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Summaries should disclose the meeting date, company or organisation with whom the meeting occurred, meeting attendees, including registered lobbyist details (where applicable), purpose of the meeting and any other additional information required by the Premier.’

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Declaration

Quarterly disclosure period: January to March 2025

Minister name: The Hon Gayle Tierney MP

Ministerial portfolio(s): Minister for Skills and TAFE, Minister for Water

Declaration:

I declare that the information provided in the attached summary of my Ministerial diary is true, accurate and complies with my obligations under the Ministerial Code of Conduct at the date of signature.

Signature of Minister:  _____ Date: 11/04/2025

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Portfolios: Skills and TAFE, and Water

Ai Group	29/1/25	<p>Attendees: Timothy Piper AM, Head of Victoria, Ai Group Caroline Smith, Head of the Centre for Education and Training, Ai Group Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Industry engagement on VET</p>
Master Builders Victoria (MBV)	29/1/25	<p>Attendees: Michaela Lihou, CEO, Master Builders Victoria (MBV) Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Industry engagement on VET</p>
Victorian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (VCCI)	29/1/25	<p>Attendees: Paul Guerra, CEO, Victorian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (VCCI) Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Industry engagement on VET</p>
Christine Forster AM	1/2/25	<p>Attendees: Christine Forster AM, Chair, Central and Gippsland Sustainable Water Strategy Consultative Committee Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Water</p>
Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE Collingwood Campus	3/2/25	<p>Attendees: Frances Coppolillo, CEO, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE Gabriel Solorzano Torres, Executive Director Commercial, Sustainability and Infrastructure, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE Lill Healy, Deputy Secretary, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of Building Better TAFEs Fund project</p>
Housing Industry Association (HIA)	3/2/25	<p>Attendees: Fiona Nield, Chief Executive, Business Services, Housing Industry Association (HIA) Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Industry engagement on VET</p>

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The Hon Lisa Neville	7/2/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>The Hon Lisa Neville, former Minister for Water Electorate Office Manager, Office of the Hon Gayle Tierney MP Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Water</p>
GOTAFE and Wodonga TAFE Board Chairs	11/2/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Candy Broad, Chair, GOTAFE Allison Jenvey OAM, Chair, Wodonga TAFE Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE</p>
La Trobe University	11/2/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Professor Theo Farrell, Vice Chancellor, La Trobe University Ashley McInnes, Director, Government Relations and Stakeholder Engagement, La Trobe University https://gads.lobbyistsregister.vic.gov.au/index.php?option=com_gads&view=profile&Itemid=122&id=300 Laura Lo Bianco-Smith, Executive Director, Adult Community and Further Education, Higher Education and Workforce (AHEW), Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Regular university stakeholder engagement</p>
Australian Dairy Farmers (ADF), Victorian Farmers Federation (VFF) and United Dairy Farmers of Victoria (UDV)	11/2/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Ben Bennett, President, Australian Dairy Farmers (ADF) Brett Hosking, President, Victorian Farmers Federation (VFF) Bernie Free, President, United Dairy Farmers of Victoria (UDV) Steve Sheridan, CEO, Australian Dairy Farmers (ADF) Andrew Leahy, Water Council President, Victorian Farmers Federation (VFF) Natalie Akers, Governance, Victorian Farmers Federation (VFF) Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Introductory meeting with water industry stakeholders</p>
Bass Coast VET Training Stakeholders	12/2/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Jordan Crugnale MP, Member for Bass Coast Stephen Varty, CEO, Chisholm TAFE Laura Mcpherson, CEO, Gippsland TAFE Christine Henderson, Executive Director, People & Culture, and Acute Clinical Services, Bass Coast Health Service</p>

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David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Training provision in the Bass Coast region

Bass Coast Adult Learning (BCAL) Wonthaggi

12/2/25

Attendees:

Jordan Crugnale MP, Member for Bass Coast
Stephen Varty, CEO, Chisholm TAFE
Graeme Charles, Chair, Bass Coast Adult Learning (BCAL) Committee of Management
Maddy Harford, Secretary, Bass Coast Adult Learning (BCAL) Committee of Management
James Goldsmith, General Manager, Coldon Homes
Peter Sheerin, General Manager, Capeview Building Products
Centre Manager, Bass Coast Adult Learning (BCAL)
Partnerships Coordinator and IPN Coordinator, Bass Coast Adult Learning (BCAL)
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Regional Manager, South East Victoria, Adult Community and Further Education and Higher Education and Workforce (AHEW), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to adult learning

Chisholm TAFE Frankston Campus

12/2/25

Attendees:

Paul Edbrooke MP, Member for Frankston, Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasurer, Parliamentary Secretary for Mental Health and Suicide Prevention
Stephen Varty, CEO, Chisholm TAFE
Conor Mullan, Chief of Education, Chisholm TAFE
Jess Corbet, Chief of Strategy and Risk, Interim Chief of Campus Operations and Technology, Chisolm Institute
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of Infrastructure Planning Acceleration Fund (IPAF) project

BKI TAFE Health and Community Centre of Excellence (HACCOE)

13/2/25

Attendees:

Kathleen Matthews-Ward MP, Member for Broadmeadows
Sally Curtain, CEO, BKI TAFE
Professor Hal Swerissen, Deputy Board Chair, BKI TAFE
Anne Brosnan, Board Member, BKI TAFE
Elizabeth Joldeski, Board Member, BKI TAFE
Katrina Lai, Board Member, BKI TAFE
Cheryl Woollard, Board Member, BKI TAFE
Jamie Driscoll, Board Member, BKI TAFE
Craig Niemann, Board Member, BKI TAFE
Rudi Pavani, Board Member, BKI TAFE

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		<div>Tracey Limpens, Chief of Staff, BKI TAFE</div> <div>Michelle Johnston, Chief Operating Officer, BKI TAFE</div> <div>Annie Scott, Executive Director Campus Transformation, BKI TAFE</div> <div>Melissa Tinetti, Campus Director, Broadmeadows, BKI TAFE</div> <div>Ruth Barnes, Director Health and Community Centre of Excellence, BKI TAFE</div> <div>Tracy Pearce, Head of Health and Community Centre of Excellence Broadmeadows, BKI TAFE</div> <div>Chief Industry and Education Officer, BKI TAFE</div> <div>David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)</div> <div>Susan Thomas, Executive Director, TAFE Partnerships and Implementation, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of Victorian Government funded project
Electrical Trades Union (ETU)	17/2/25	Attendees: <div>Troy Gray, Branch Secretary, Electrical Trades Union (ETU) Victoria</div> <div>Political Officer, Electrical Trades Union (ETU) Victoria</div> <div>Craig Robertson, CEO, Victorian Skills Authority (VSA)</div> <div>James Montgomery, Executive Director, Apprenticeships Victoria (AV)</div> <div>Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to electrical and renewable energy training needs
Professor Peter Dawkins AO	18/2/25	Attendees: <div>Professor Peter Dawkins AO, Consultant, Jobs and Skills Australia</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE
Melbourne Water	24/2/25	Attendees: <div>John Lister MP, Member for Werribee</div> <div>Greg Wilson, Chair, Melbourne Water</div> <div>Dr Nerina Di Lorenzo, Managing Director, Melbourne Water</div> <div>Sue Jackman, Executive General Manager, Melbourne Water</div> <div>Jess Walker, Head of Western Treatment Plant and Sewerage Transfer, Melbourne Water</div> <div>Senior Manager Western Treatment Plant, Process and Integration, Melbourne Water</div> <div>Simon Furey, Strategic Government Lead, Melbourne Water</div> <div>Deb Brown, Executive Director, Water Sector Strategy and Partnerships, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div>

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Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Regular stakeholder engagement

National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER)

25/2/25

Attendees:

John King, Managing Director, National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER)

Peter Daly, Director and Board Liaison Officer, National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER)

James Montgomery, A/Deputy Secretary, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Teresa Fels, Executive Director, Policy and Strategy, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on VET sector key data indicators

Barwon Water

25/2/25

Attendees:

Jo Plummer, Chair, Barwon Water

Peta Maddy, Deputy Chair, Barwon Water/Chair, Barwon Asset Solutions

Shaun Cumming, Managing Director, Barwon Water

Anna Murray, General Manager, Barwon Asset Solutions

Senior Adviser, Barwon Water

Josh Rhodes, Land Management Officer, Barwon Asset Solutions

Simone McGeorge, Apprentice Electrician, Barwon Asset Solutions

Deb Brown, Executive Director, Water Sector Strategy and Partnerships, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)

Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Water

Black Rock Water Reclamation Plant

25/2/25

Attendees:

Jo Plummer, Chair, Barwon Water

Peta Maddy, Chair, Barwon Asset Solutions/Deputy Chair, Barwon Water

Shaun Cumming, Managing Director, Barwon Water

Kate Vallence, Senior Adviser, Barwon Water

Deb Brown, Executive Director, Water Sector Strategy and Partnerships, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)

Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of key water grid infrastructure

GOTAFE Archer Street Campus

28/2/25

Attendees:

The Hon Candy Broad, Board Chair, GOTAFE

Daniel Gardner, Staff Elected Board Member, GOTAFE

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Kristie O'Brien, CEO, GOTAFE
Luke Surace, Executive Director Education, GOTAFE
Laura Baker, Executive Director Student Experience, GOTAFE
Michael Robinson, Executive Director People and Culture, GOTAFE
James Hargreaves, Executive Director Operations, GOTAFE
Teresa Paris, Chief Financial Officer, GOTAFE
Chief Education Delivery Officer, Trade Industries, GOTAFE
Manager Construction and Plumbing, GOTAFE
Chief Attraction and Marketing Officer, GOTAFE
Team Leader Communications and Engagement, GOTAFE
Media and PR Advisor, GOTAFE
Events and Partnerships Lead, GOTAFE
Team Leader Communications and Engagement, GOTAFE
GOTAFE plumbing students, trainers, employers and industry representatives
Manager, Moretto Building
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of government funded GOTAFE Archer Street Campus Stage 2 Redevelopment Project

Goulburn-Murray Water (GMW)

28/2/25

Attendees:

Charmaine Quick, Managing Director, Goulburn-Murray Water (GMW)
Warren Blyth, General Manager Water Delivery Services, Goulburn-Murray Water (GMW)
Customer Service Manager, Goulburn-Murray Water (GMW)
Kirsten Shelly, Deputy Secretary, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Michael Jensz, A/Executive Director, Water Security and Resilience, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on local water matters

Goulburn-Murray Irrigation District (GMID) Leadership Group

28/2/25

Attendees:

Andrew Mann, Co-Chair, Goulburn-Murray Irrigation District (GMID) Leadership Group
David McKenzie, Former Co-Chair, Goulburn-Murray Irrigation District (GMID) Leadership Group
Lindy Nieuwenhuizen, CEO, Committee for Greater Shepparton
Kirsten Shelly, Deputy Secretary, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Michael Jensz, A/Executive Director, Water Security and Resilience, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on local irrigation matters

Murray River Group of Councils

28/2/25

Attendees:

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Cr Dan Straub, Mayor, Loddon Shire Council/Chair, Murray River Group of Councils
Lincoln Fitzgerald, CEO, Loddon Shire Council
Geoff Turner, Executive Officer, Murray River Group of Councils
Kirsten Shelly, Deputy Secretary, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Michael Jensz, A/Executive Director, Water Security and Resilience, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on Murray River matters

Greater Shepparton City Council

28/2/25

Attendees:

Cr Shane Sali, Mayor, Greater Shepparton City Council
Fiona Le Gassick, CEO, Greater Shepparton City Council
Kirsten Shelly, Deputy Secretary, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Michael Jensz, A/Executive Director, Water Security and Resilience, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)
Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Regular stakeholder engagement

Chisholm TAFE Frankston Campus

12/3/25

Attendees:

The Hon Andrew Giles MP, Minister for Skills and Training – Commonwealth
Paul Edbrooke MP, Member for Frankston
Paul Mercurio MP, Member for Hastings
Jodie Belya MP, Member for Dunkley
Cr Nathan Butler, Councillor, Frankston City Council
Nathan Upson, A/Director Customer Innovation and Arts, Frankston City Council
Ben Allit, Dean, Higher Education College, Chisholm TAFE
Michelle Hall, Associate Director Health, Chisholm TAFE
Natalie Daniel, Associate Director Education and Professional Services, Chisholm TAFE
Lisa Speakman, Head of Campus Services and Infrastructure, Chisholm TAFE
Ben Hellier, Chief Financial Officer, Chisholm TAFE
Conor Mullan, Chief of Education, Chisholm TAFE
Jess Corbett, Chief of Strategy and Risk, Chisholm TAFE
Jane McLennan, Chief of Student Success and Support, Chisholm TAFE
Liam Freeman, Chief of Academic Excellence and Innovation, Chisholm TAFE
Lisa Norman, Board Member, Chisholm TAFE
George Lekakis, Board Member, Chisholm TAFE
Monica Mariasingarayan, Head of Technology Services, Chisholm TAFE
Manager, Community and Social Services, Chisholm TAFE
Manager, Art and Design, Chisholm TAFE
Head of Student Support and Engagement, Chisholm TAFE
Head of Student Enquiry and Enrolment Services, Chisholm TAFE
Course Coordinator, Psychology, Chisholm TAFE

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Chisholm TAFE students
David Willersdorf, Board Chair, Caroline Chisholm Education Foundation
Angela Byatt, Executive Officer, Frankston Mornington Peninsula LLEN
Property Manager, Quest Frankston
Mark Freeman, Partner, Gray Puksand
Nick Ockleshaw, General Manager, TSA Riley
Construction Manager, Kane Constructions
Contract Manager, Kane Constructions
Melissa Rodgers, Divisional Commander and A/Superintendent, Frankston Police Station
Senior Sergeant, Frankston Police Station
Business Development and Marketing Manager, NetfocusIT
Co-Founder and Executive Producer, Barnacle Studios
Co-Founder and Executive Producer, Barnacle Studios
Artist/Retired Chisholm Teacher
Artist/Retired Chisholm Teacher
Operation Manager, Bayside Centre Frankston
James Montgomery, Executive Director, Apprenticeships Victoria (AV)
Craig Robertson, CEO, Victorian Skills Authority (VSA)
Laura Lo Bianco-Smith, General Manager, Adult Community and Further Education (ACFE)
Lill Healy, Deputy Secretary, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Susan Thomas, Executive Director, TAFE Partnerships and Implementation, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Project Officer, Infrastructure Delivery, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Project Officer, Infrastructure Delivery, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD) Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Advisor to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of government funded Chisholm TAFE Frankston Campus Stage 2 Redevelopment Project

Chisholm TAFE Cranbourne Campus

12/3/25

Attendees:

Pauline Richards MP, Member for Cranbourne
Conor Mullan, Chief of Education, Chisholm TAFE
Lisa Speakman, Head of Campus Services and Infrastructure, Chisholm TAFE
Board Committee and Executive Projects Officer, Chisholm TAFE
Chisholm TAFE students
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Advisor to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Engagement with TAFE students

Urban Development Institute of Australia (UDIA)

12/3/25

Attendees:

Linda Allison, CEO, Urban Development Institute of Australia (UDIA)

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		<div>Jack Vaughn, Director of Policy, Urban Development Institute of Australia (UDIA)</div> <div>Sean Pinan, Director, Catalyst Development Services and Vice President, Urban Development Institute of Australia (UDIA) Victoria</div> <div>Kirsten Shelly, Deputy Secretary, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)</div> <div>Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</div> <div>Adviser to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Water
Wodonga TAFE Trades Training Centre	13/3/25	Attendees: <div>Allison Jenvey OAM, Chair, Wodonga TAFE</div> <div>Phil Paterson, CEO, Wodonga TAFE</div> <div>Wodonga TAFE Trades Training Centre students</div> <div>David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)</div> <div>Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Site tour and discussion of portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE
Wodonga TAFE Chair and CEO	13/3/25	Attendees: <div>Allison Jenvey OAM, Chair, Wodonga TAFE</div> <div>Phil Paterson, CEO, Wodonga TAFE</div> <div>Wodonga TAFE students</div> <div>David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)</div> <div>Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE
North East Water	13/3/25	Attendees: <div>Stephen Brown, Chair, North East Water</div> <div>Jo Murdoch, Managing Director, North East Water</div> <div>John day, General Manager, Environment, Systems and Operations, North East Water</div> <div>Nicholas Moore, General Manager, Corporate Strategy and Performance, North East Water</div> <div>Leader Strategic Investments, North East Water</div> <div>Communications and Engagement Coordinator, North East Water</div> <div>Deb Brown, Executive Director, Water Sector Strategy and Partnerships, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)</div> <div>Grant Breheny, Director Portfolio Governance and Compliance, Regions, Environment, Climate Action and First Peoples, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)</div> <div>Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of capital works on Wodonga Wastewater Treatment Plant

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Albury Wodonga Volunteer Resource Bureau (AWVRB)	13/3/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Debra Hargrave, Board Chair, Albury Wodonga Volunteer Resource Bureau (AWVRB) Renee Wilson, General Manager, Albury Wodonga Volunteer Resource Bureau (AWVRB) Pam McCorriston, Secretary and Public Officer of the Board, Albury Wodonga Volunteer Resource Bureau (AWVRB) Operations and HR Manager, Albury Wodonga Volunteer Resource Bureau (AWVRB) Albury Wodonga Volunteer Resource Bureau (AWVRB) students Manager, Community Engagement, Wodonga TAFE David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) Regional Manager, North East Victoria, Adult Community and Further Education and Higher Education and Workforce (AHEW), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on Learn Local training in Wodonga</p>
North East Water (NEW), North East Catchment Management Authority (CMA) and Duduroa Dhargal	13/3/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Stephen Brown, Chair, North East Water (NEW) Jo Murdoch, Managing Director, North East Water (NEW) Katie Warner, CEO, North East Catchment Management Authority John Day, General Manager, Environment, systems and Operations, North East Water (NEW) Nicholas Moore, General Manager, Corporate Strategy and Performance, North East Water (NEW) Uncle Allan Murray, Elder, Duduroa Dhargal Uncle Phil Murray, Elder, Duduroa Dhargal Aunty Valda Murray, Elder, Duduroa Dhargal Communications and Engagement Coordinator, North East Water (NEW) Deb Brown, Executive Director, Water Sector Strategy and Partnerships, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA) Grant Breheny, Director Portfolio Governance and Compliance, Regions, Environment, Climate Action and First Peoples, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA) Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on funded water reclamation project at Ryan’s Lagoon</p>
One Gippsland	18/3/25	<p>Attendees:</p> <p>Cr Nathan Hersey, Councillor, South Gippsland Shire Council/Chair, One Gippsland Cr Rochelle Halstead, Mayor, Bass Coast Shire Council/Deputy Chair, One Gippsland Cr Kate Wilson, Councillor, Baw Baw Shire Council Barry Rogers, Chair, Food & Fibre Gippsland Jan Fitzgerald, Chair, Destination Gippsland Greg Box, CEO, Bass Coast Shire Council Allison Jones, Interim CEO, South Gippsland Shire Council Cohen Van De Velde, Interim CEO, Baw Baw Shire Council Paul Buckley, Board Chair, TAFE Gippsland Laura Macpherson, CEO, TAFE Gippsland Jaime de Ano, Executive Director, Government Relations and Public Policy, Federation University</p>

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Rachael Sweeney, Manager and Secretariat, Collective Position Group, Representing One Gippsland

<https://www.lobbyists.vic.gov.au/search-the-register/collective-position-group-pty-ltd>

Kirsten Shelly, Deputy Secretary, Water and Catchments, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Jackson Stiles, Chief of Staff to Minister Tierney

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Gippsland priorities in relation to Skills and TAFE and Water

Warrnambool City Council

18/3/25

Attendees:

Cr Ben Blain, Mayor, Warrnambool City Council

Cr Vicki Jellie, Deputy Mayor, Warrnambool City Council

Cr Debbie Arnott, Councillor, Warrnambool City Council

Cr Willy Benter, Councillor, Warrnambool City Council

Cr Billy Edis, Councillor, Warrnambool City Council

Cr Richard Ziegeler, Councillor, Warrnambool City Council

Andrew Mason, CEO, Warrnambool City Council

Luke Coughlan, Director City Futures, Warrnambool City Council

David Leahy, Director City Infrastructure and Environment, Warrnambool City Council

Manager Governance, Warrnambool City Council

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE

Federation University

20/3/25

Attendees:

Professor Duncan Bentley, Vice Chancellor and President, Federation University

Jaime de Ano, Executive Director, Government Relations and Public Policy, Federation University

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE

State Electricity Commission (SEC)

24/3/25

Attendees:

Minister Lily D'Ambrosio, Minister for Climate Action, Minister for Energy & Resources, Minister for State Electricity Commission

Chris Miller, CEO, State Electricity Commission (SEC)

Nadia Bonato, Chief of Staff, Strategy and Performance, State Electricity Commission (SEC)

Lill Healy, Deputy Secretary, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Meena Naidu, Executive Director, Strategic Skills Projects, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

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Vanya Kumar, Executive Director, Innovation, Commercial and Investment Attraction, Energy, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)

Adviser to Minister D'Ambrosio

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of meeting: Joint ministerial briefing to discuss State Electricity Commission (SEC) matters and progress regarding the SEC Centre of Training Excellence

Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE Preston Campus

25/3/25

Attendees:

Nathan Lambert MP, Member for Preston, Parliamentary Secretary for Children

Frances Coppolillo, CEO, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

Helen Clarke, Board Chair, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

Meagan Wilson, Director, Vocational Education and Training, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

Program Leader, Visual Arts, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

Program Leader, Early Years Education, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

A/Program Leader, Hair and Barbering, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

Senior Executive Assistant to the CEO, Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE

Melbourne Polytechnic TAFE students

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Meeting with TAFE students

Women's Health in the South East (WHISE)

25/3/25

Attendees:

Kit McMahon, CEO, Women's Health in the South East (WHISE)

Megan Lilly, Deputy Commissioner, Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA)

Dr Lisa Heap, Senior Researcher, the Australia Institute

Jacquie O'Brien, Director, Communications and Community Change, Respect Victoria

Craig Robertson, CEO, Victorian Skills Authority (VSA)

James Montgomery, Executive Director, Apprenticeships Victoria (AV)

Additional attendees from Boxhill TAFE, Chisholm TAFE, The Gordon TAFE, GOTAFE, Holmesglen TAFE, Melbourne

Polytechnic TAFE, South West TAFE, TAFE Gippsland, William Angliss Institute, TAFE South Australia (TAFE SA), Victorian

TAFE Association (VTA), Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA), Victoria University (VU), University of Canberra (UC), Department of

Training and Workforce Development – Western Australia, Independent Tertiary Education Council Australia (ITECA),

Brotherhood of St Laurence, Jesuit Social Services, Manufacturing Industry Skills Alliance, National Electrical and

Communications Association (NECA), Women's Health Goulburn North East, Women's Health in the South East (WHISE),

Worksafe, Access Studio, Consent Labs, Flexible Training Solutions, Hays International College, IVET Education, LWA,

Orygen, Our Watch, Polaron, Telecom Sector Skill Council, Watsonia Neighbourhood House, Workplace Training Strategies

Susan Thomas Executive Director, TAFE Partnerships and Implementation, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD),

Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Additional attendees from the Department of Jobs Skills Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Sector engagement on respect and equality in VET training

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SuniTAFE Chair and CEO	26/3/25	<p>Attendees: Neth Hinton, Chair, SuniTAFE Brett Millington, CEO, SuniTAFE David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE</p>
Mallee Regional Innovation Centre	26/3/25	<p>Attendees: Professor Angus Webb, Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology, University of Melbourne/Centre Director and Steering Board Member, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Professor Ashley Frank, Pro Vice Chancellor, Research and Capability, La Trobe University/Co-Director and Steering Board Member, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Brett Millington, CEO, SuniTAFE/Steering Board Member, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Wayne Ketchen, General Manager of Education Delivery, SuniTAFE/Co-Director and Steering Board Member, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Rebecca Wells, CEO, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Agriculture Manager, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Business Support Coordinator, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Project Officer, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Mildura Hub Manager, One Basin Cooperative Research Centre (CRC) Post Doctoral Researcher, University of Melbourne University of Melbourne PhD Candidates David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR) Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</p> <p>Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE</p>
SuniTAFE SMART Farm	26/3/25	<p>Attendees: Neth Hinton, Chair, SuniTAFE Brett Millington, CEO, SuniTAFE Sharyn Wright, General Manager Student Experience, SuniTAFE Di Schmidt, General Manager Corporate Services, SuniTAFE Wayne Ketchen, General Manager of Education Delivery, SuniTAFE/Co-Director and Steering Board Member, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre Chelsea Garraway, Head of Governance, SuniTAFE David Cofield, Staff Elected Director and Education Delivery Manager, Licensed Trades, SuniTAFE Ross Humphreys, Senior Manager Mildura Campus, SuniTAFE Matt Wilson, Senior Manager SMART Farm Campus, SuniTAFE David Cleary, EDM Primary Industries, SuniTAFE Katrina Watt, Senior Manager Education Delivery, SuniTAFE Geoff Dea, former CEO, SuniTAFE</p>

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Professor Ashley Franks, Pro Vice Chancellor, La Trobe University/Board Director/Mallee Regional Innovation Centre
Rebecca Wells, CEO, Mallee Regional Innovation Centre
Peter O'Donnell, Executive Director, Southern Cross Farms
Anne Mansell, Chair, Northern Mallee LLEN
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney
Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Site inspection of Victorian Government funded project

SuniTAFE Student Placement

26/3/25

Attendees:

Neth Hinton, Chair, SuniTAFE
Brett Millington, CEO, SuniTAFE
Frank Piscioneri, Board Chair, Mildura Base Public Hospital
Matthew Jukes, A/CEO, Mildura Base Public Hospital
Tim DeBoo, Director Clinical Learning and Development, Mildura Base Public Hospital
Dawn Gobbo, Director Inpatient Services, Mildura Base Public Hospital
Ward 2 Nurse Unit Manager, Mildura Base Public Hospital
SuniTAFE Graduate, Mildura Base Public Hospital
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE

Christie Centre

26/3/25

Attendees:

Brett Millington, CEO, SuniTAFE
Dr Teresa De Fazio OAM, Chair, Adult, Community and Further Education (ACFE) Board
Florence Davidson, CEO, Christie Centre
Coordinator of People and Culture, Christie Centre
Learn Local Facilitator, Christie Centre
Support Worker, Christie Centre
Current and former Christie Centre students
Paul Frye, A/Regional Manager, Adult Community and Further Education (ACFE)
David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE

MADEC

26/3/25

Attendees:

State Training Manager, MADEC
Receptionist, MADEC
Dr Teresa De Fazio OAM, Chair, Adult, Community and Further Education (ACFE) Board
Paul Frye, A/Regional Manager, Adult Community and Further Education (ACFE)

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MADEC students

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Portfolio matters in relation to Skills and TAFE

Zoe Support Australia

26/3/25

Attendees:

Merinda Robertson, CEO, Zoe Support Australia

Program Manager, Zoe Support Australia

Zoe Support Australia students

Dr Teresa De Fazio OAM, Chair, Adult, Community and Further Education (ACFE) Board

Paul Frye, A/Regional Manager, Adult Community and Further Education (ACFE)

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on Learn Local training in the region

Sunraysia Mallee Ethnic Community Council (SMECC)

26/3/25

Attendees:

Ian Japp, President, Sunraysia Mallee Ethnic Community Council (SMECC)

Akesa Kei, Executive Officer, Sunraysia Mallee Ethnic Community Council (SMECC)

Sunraysia Mallee Ethnic Community Council (SMECC) students and teachers

Dr Teresa De Fazio OAM, Chair, Adult, Community and Further Education (ACFE) Board

Paul Frye, A/Regional Manager, Adult Community and Further Education (ACFE)

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on Learn Local training in the region

La Trobe University Mildura Campus

26/3/25

Attendees:

Sandy Connor, Head of Campus, La Trobe University

Cr Bec Crossling, Councillor, Mildura Rural City Council/Senior Engagement Coordinator, La Trobe University

La Trobe University Mildura Campus students

David Miller, CEO, Office of TAFE Coordination and Delivery (OTCD), Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)

Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

Purpose of Meeting: Site visit and student engagement

Trail of Lights

26/3/25

Attendees:

Bruce Munro, Artist

Jade Benham MP, Member for Mildura

Cr Helen Healy, Mayor, Mildura Rural City Council

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		<div>Cr Ali Cupper, Deputy Mayor, Mildura Rural City Council</div> <div>Cr Daniel Linklater, Mayor, Wentworth Shire Council</div> <div>Cr Peter Crisp, Deputy Mayor, Wentworth Shire Council</div> <div>Martin Hawson, CEO, Mildura Rural City Council</div> <div>Peter Alexander, General Manager Strategy and Growth, Mildura Rural City Council</div> <div>Additional attendees from Goulburn Murray Water (GMW), Lower Murray Water (LMW), Mallee Catchment Management Authority (CMA), Murray Regional Tourism Board, former Mildura Regional Development Board members and staff, Mallee Regional Partnership, Mildura Airport, Mildura City Heart and Mildura Rural City Council’s Ngiwa Yarna Committee</div> <div>Kirsty Reidy, Director, Tourism Infrastructure and Facilitation, Tourism and Events</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div> <div>Adviser to Minister Tierney</div>
		Purpose of Meeting: Site visit to government funded project
Lower Murray Water (LMW)	27/3/25	Attendees: <div>Paul Northey, Managing Director, Lower Murray Water (LMW)</div> <div>Michael Jensz, A/Executive Director, Water Security and Resilience, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)</div> <div>Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney</div> <div>Adviser to Minister Tierney</div> Purpose of Meeting: Briefing on Water portfolio matters
Mallee Catchment Management Authority (CMA), Lower Murray Water (LMW) and Victorian Murray Floodplain Restoration Project (VMFRP)	27/3/25	Attendees: <div>Jenny Collins, CEO, Malle Catchment Management Authority (CMA)</div> <div>James Kellerman, Chief Operating Officer, Malle Catchment Management Authority (CMA)</div> <div>Asha Sutton, Project Director, Victorian Murray Floodplain Restoration Project (VMFRP)</div> <div>Coordinator Environmental Water, Lower Murray Water (LMW)</div> <div>Michael Jensz, A/Executive Director, Water Security and Resilience, Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA)</div> <div>Adviser to Minister Tierney</div> Purpose of Meeting: Murray Darling Basin stakeholder engagement
Vice Chancellors of Victorian Universities	31/3/25	Attendees: <div>Professor Pascale Quester, Vice Chancellor and President, Swinburne University of Technology</div> <div>Professor Iain Martin, Vice Chancellor, Deakin University</div> <div>Professor Adam Shoemaker, Vice Chancellor and President, Victoria University</div> <div>Professor Emma Johnston AO, Vice Chancellor, University of Melbourne</div> <div>Professor Sharon Pickering, Vice Chancellor and President, Monash University</div> <div>Professor Duncan Bentley, Vice Chancellor and President, Federation University</div> <div>Professor Alec Cameron, Vice Chancellor and President, RMIT University</div> <div>Professor James McLaren, Vice Chancellor, University of Divinity</div>

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Kelly Humphrey, Pro Vice Chancellor (Indigenous), Australian Catholic University
Sarah Bendall, First Assistant Ombudsman, National Student Ombudsman
Laura Lo Bianco-Smith, General Manager, Adult Community and Further Education (ACFE)
Matt Carrick, Secretary, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Lill Healy, Deputy Secretary, Skills and Employment, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Fiona Letos, Executive Director, Trade Global Engagement and International Education, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Dr Simon Lindsay, Director, Higher Education and Workforce Skills Response, Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (DJSIR)
Senior Adviser to Minister Tierney

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Purpose of Meeting: Regular Ministerial Vice Chancellors Forum