

**First Name**

Lorraine

**Last Name**

Bull

**What organisation are you from?**

Latrobe Valley Sustainability Group

**What do you think are the best value actions listed in the statement that are likely to help improve future air quality?**

1. Stricter emission controls on coal fired power stations by requiring best practice filters  
2. Energy efficient homes will reduce the need for electricity generation by either coal or gas.  
3. Assist businesses to produce and store their own energy, for emission and bill reduction  
4. Reduction in permitted vehicle emissions and government incentives for electric vehicle purchases  
5. Make air quality data readily available eg regular reporting in news and print

**How would you build on or vary these actions?****Do you have any suggestions for further actions?**

1. Ensure that breaches of environmental legislation are followed up, including odour and landfill problems.

**Are there any air quality actions you believe should be avoided? Why?****Are there particular areas of air quality (either pollution sources or geographic regions) you think the government should target for improvement? Why?**

1. Latrobe Valley, due to its topography and concentration of coal and gas fired generators  
2. Burn off smoke is offensive for many weeks in autumn, and causes breathing problems  
3. Vehicle emissions

**Are you able to provide any data or information that will help government assess the feasibility and cost-effectiveness of air quality management actions?****Do you have other suggestions on how to secure a clean air future?**