



inner south canberra
community council

How can we plan our suburbs for community wellbeing, prosperity and environmental quality?

Public Forum, 7.00 – 9.00 pm, Thursday 27 March 2014
Eastlake Football Club, 3 Oxley Street, Griffith

According to the ACT Territory Plan, a general principle of *sustainable development* is that planning processes and decisions will focus on achieving economic vitality, community wellbeing, and environmental quality.

- **What does this mean in practical terms in planning for our suburbs?**
- **Are there clear and simple rules that we can use to assess whether proposed developments are sustainable?**
- **How can we include such rules in new local plans for our suburbs (called Precinct Codes)?**

The following panel of speakers will each address these questions for ten minutes, and then we will open up the floor for question and answer, and discussion:

- Barbara Norman, Foundation Chair, Urban and Regional Planning, University of Canberra, Chair of the ACT Government's Climate Change Council
- Andrew MacKenzie, Assistant Professor Landscape Architecture, University of Canberra
- Hamish Sinclair, ACT Board Director, Planning Institute of Australia
- ACT Environment and Sustainable Development Directorate (to be confirmed)

How do you think we should plan for our suburbs to be sustainable? Come and have your say!