



## Parliamentary National Party of Australia (WA)

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Misty Farquhar  
Interim Chair  
Rainbow Futures WA



Dear Mx Farquhar

### 2021 STATE ELECTION: RAINBOW FUTURES WA

Thank you for your correspondence to Hon Mia Davies MLA received 23 February 2021 on behalf of the Rainbow Futures WA. The Nationals WA appreciate your advocacy in relation to LGBTQIA+ legislation and the need for reform.

One of the founding principles of The Nationals WA is that regional West Australians deserve access to relevant support services and protections against discrimination, regardless of their postcode. As you would be aware the day-to-day issues faced by LGBTQIA+ people are often exacerbated by remoteness and isolation from services and support networks.

If legislation to resolve the issues raised was introduced to Parliament, voting on it would be a matter of conscience for members of The Nationals WA team. I encourage you to send the questions and survey results to each local candidate for their individual responses. Their contact details are available on the Our Team section of The Nationals WA website.

Although not specific to LGBTQIA+ individuals and families, The Nationals WA have made a number of election commitments that may be of interest to your organisation. Some of these include access to affordable housing, community legal services, significant funding for regional community mental health and a range of other specialist health support services.

Further detail on these and other election commitments can be found on our website [www.nationalswa.com](http://www.nationalswa.com). Thank you again for taking the time to share your pre-election survey.

Yours sincerely \*

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**CHIEF OF STAFF**

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Leader of The Nationals WA

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