



ACT
Government

MULTI HAZARD ADVISORY COUNCIL

2022
EXPRESSION
OF INTEREST



Formerly the ACT Bushfire Council, the newly established ACT Multi Hazard Advisory Council is seeking expressions of interest to fill three vacancies, with a focus on storm and flood events.

ABOUT THE COUNCIL

The ACT Multi Hazard Advisory Council is established by the Emergencies Act 2004 and has the function of advising the Minister for Police and Emergency Services on matters relating to natural disasters and all-hazards across the emergency management spectrum.

The ACT Emergency Services Agency Commissioner seeks council advice before exercising functions related to bushfire: members provide advice to the Minister on the levels of preparedness across the ACT before each high-risk weather season, proposals for new or ongoing mitigation measures and any other relevant emergency management matters.

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INTEREST AREAS



Fire management including fire science, land planning, urban and rural firefighting.



Indigenous land management, rural land management or representation of community interest in the environment.



Emergency management including natural hazard planning and response.



Storm and flood events and the response of the ACT Emergency Services and agencies.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS



RESIDENCY

Applicants must be ACT residents; work, study or volunteer in the ACT; or demonstrate another significant connection and commitment to the ACT. Applicants from NSW regional areas surrounding ACT may be considered under exceptional circumstances and dependent on their connection and commitment to the ACT.



SKILLS & EXPERIENCE

Skills and experience across all interest areas will be considered. Highly desirable experience includes:

- emergency management and response around hazards from the natural environment
- Indigenous land management
- people who demonstrate the community's interest in the natural environment



COMMITMENTS

The Council meets at ACT Government office locations (generally 220 London Circuit) once a month, and has the opportunity to participate in several field visits throughout the year.

Council Members are remunerated as per the ACT Remuneration Tribunal Determination for Advisory Bodies.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE 3 JUNE

EOI's outlining relevant skills and experience should be forwarded with a copy of your resume with two referees to the Secretariat of the ACT Multi Hazard Advisory Council by COB 3 June 2022

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