



Statement of Commitment on Gambling

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Recognising that gambling, and specifically electronic gaming machines, can cause significant harm to individuals, families and the broader community, and that the strongest risk factor for gambling harm is electronic gaming machine play, Glenorchy City Council will work closely with our residents, government, community organisations and businesses to implement the following commitment:

Glenorchy City Council will

Advocate for the removal of electronic gaming machines from hotels and clubs in the City through a managed reduction over time.

Partner with organisations and/or service providers to advocate for increased harm minimisation and consumer protection measures, including reducing hours of operation, reducing the maximum bet to \$1 and greater targeting of social programs for the community.

Engage with community, community organisations, service providers, businesses, government and social researchers to gather and share information about the use and impact of electronic gaming machines.

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