



MT BULLER STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE (SCC) MEETING #2 – 21 April 2026

The following topics were discussed at the April meeting of the Mt Buller Stakeholder Consultative Committee.

ARV Discussion Points

Alpine Resorts Planning Scheme

DTP provided an update on the Alpine Resorts Planning Scheme Review, noting preparation of a 2026 Addendum to be implemented through Amendment C30 to reflect recent permit activity, VCAT decisions and State planning policy changes. Key elements include policy neutral updates, translation of Comprehensive Development Zones to Special Use Zones, modernisation of Design and Development Overlays, updates to Environmental Significance Overlays, and identification of a forward strategic work program, with further engagement and public exhibition to follow.

Mt Buller Discussion Points

Mt Buller Operations Update

Operational updates noted:

- Boggy Creek dam water levels are tracking well ahead of the 1 May pumping licence start.
- ARV will shortly launch a trial of Find, Foto, Fix, a new maintenance reporting tool for residents and businesses.
- Green season amenity works, include Village Square paving improvements, with further works subject to funding and a Tidy Towns grant application.

Mt Buller Ratepayers Association Strategy & Advocacy

The Mt Buller Ratepayers Association outlined its role representing Mt Buller leaseholders, key policy focus areas, and 2025–26 priorities centred on affordability, fair charging, infrastructure and funding advocacy, lodge viability, water security, and strategic planning certainty.

Integrated Water Management Plan Actions Update

An update was provided on the Integrated Water Management Plan, noting progress on short-term efficiency measures and groundwater investigations, with ARV confirming water security, licence advocacy and alternative supply options remain priorities.

Mt Buller Resort Management Plan

Development of the Mt Buller Resort Management Plan has commenced, with the SCC undertaking early collaborative work on the vision statement, environmental values and environmental priorities using an online engagement tool. Outcomes will inform wider consultation and further refinement in subsequent sessions.

Project Pipeline

The SCC reviewed and prioritised the project pipeline, noting the need to distinguish shovel ready projects from advocacy or operational actions, and to clarify project scope and delivery responsibility.

The next meeting of the Mt Buller Stakeholder Consultative Committee will be 25 June 2026.