

Chigwell Community Garden

Ms BURNET question to MINISTER for COMMUNITY and MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS

My question is from members of the Chigwell Community Garden and playgroup in our electorate of Clark. Last Friday, these members of the community attended the garden's last day of operation of the Chigwell Community Garden. Our community garden and playgroup deliver untold benefits and avoid longer term budget costs. It improves health, education, learning opportunities, inclusion and so much more.

The garden and outdoor playgroup is set to close because of a lack of funding for two part-time positions needed to keep these grassroots services going. The Chigwell community is devastated. Minister, will you fund the positions needed to keep this critical community service open?