

ANZAC Day March – Fees

Mr BAYLEY question to MINISTER for VETERANS' AFFAIRS

One of my constituents in a local RSL branch is concerned that their ANZAC Day march is under some doubt because of the introduction of expensive new fees for their small branch for police support for a dawn march. Why are small community groups being burdened with red tape and new costs for a cultural event which has strong support for the community and very low risk? So many community groups are burdened in this way, particularly local RSL branches. What can your government do to fix this situation, and will you do it?