

Rainbow Advisory Committee Meeting Summary



Rainbow
Yarra



Date/Time	Tuesday 29 April 2025, 1.30pm – 2:30pm
Location	Collingwood Town Hall / Microsoft Teams
Chair	Renee Thompson – LGBTIQ+ Partnerships Officer
1. Actions from previous meeting minutes – Discussed accessibility at Major Pride Events further	
2. IDAHOBIT flag raising and film screening – Planning and promotion	
3. Rainbow Strategy 2026-2030 Update – Community consultation is complete, draft underway and will be open to public exhibition in August/September 2025	
4. Somewhere Sober – Yarra's upcoming event in partnership with VicHealth to create more sober spaces for the LGBTIQ+ community on 3 July	
5. LGBTIQ+ Memorial Update – 3 local queer artists were selected and submitted their concepts for the project working group to choose from. The project is still in scoping stages.	
6. Rainbow Dad's Naarm playgroup – Launches for IDAHOBIT	
7. Yarra's advisory committee's review – Update, EOI's will reopen for all advisory committees after June 2025	
8. The council plan and draft budget are both out for public exhibition now	
Next meeting: Date: 24 June 2025	