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BELONG TO THE GROUP WHO UNDERSTANDS YOUR INDUSTRY

VFF LIVESTOCK GROUP

VFF Livestock Group represents your interests in all things related to sheep, wool, beef and goats. We lobby at a national, state and local level on the issues that are important to you.

We've been working on the best outcomes for producers including:

- ▶ Ensuring livestock producers are supported during emergencies such as the 2020 bushfire crisis through a dedicated \$2million fodder support program and financial grants opportunities
- ▶ Lobbying for significant farm trespass fines and penalties to protect your rights to farm livestock and provide quality food and fibre are upheld without interference from animal activists
- ▶ Representing your interests on local, state and national animal welfare regulation, such as the Prevention to Cruelty to Animals (POCTA) legislation, to ensure any legislative changes are science-based, practical and for the betterment of industry
- ▶ Lobbying for practical pest animal control in Victoria that reduces pest numbers and ensures the cost burden for managing pest animals isn't left all up to the farmer.
- ▶ Ensuring continued international and domestic market access, working with all participants in the supply chain to make sure the supply chain remains open during the Covid-19 pandemic
- ▶ Utilising our network of internal and external industry experts and connections to provide solutions to individual member issues, saving members time to do what they do best – farming.



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We work hard to ensure that our farmers have the freedom to operate, without unnecessary red tape and road blocks impacting their business. This is only possible with a strong and active member base.

THE BENEFITS OF BELONGING



Shape industry's future – through a wide range of representation opportunities unique to VFF members including local, state and National government and industry committees.



Professional advice – providing you with access to a range of professionals with commodity-specific knowledge, in addition to land management and planning, water, communication and advocacy expertise.



Political advocacy – providing a dedicated agriculture voice in Melbourne to ensure city-centric politicians are making sensible decisions and the right investments in rural and regional Victoria.



Specialist information – access to our workplace relations team which provides you with tailored advice on workplace matters.



Community engagement – engaging with the community, through various forums including the media, to ensure farmers and agriculture are accurately portrayed.



A like-minded network – a vehicle to engage with like-minded individuals, to share and learn from experiences and meet new friends, colleagues and mentors, and expand your network.



Member benefits – enjoy a wide range of discounts and benefits on energy, insurance, accommodation, feed testing and more

Whether behind closed doors or loudly in public, the VFF Livestock Group continues to fight for Victorian farmers, as we believe that the grass-roots producer is the most important part of the supply chain.

Talk to the VFF team today about joining.

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