

Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Submission

The Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Party has made a formal submission to the Queensland Government open consultation on Daylight Saving in South East Queensland.

"As part of the consultation process, we have prepared a formal submission for the Premier, on behalf of our members and supporters," Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Party Leader, Jason Furze, said.

Mr Furze said his Party's submission contained five key recommendations, which include establishing a suitable and viable dual time zone boundary and holding a trial for at least two years.

"We also fully support a state-wide referendum to be held after the designated trial period," Mr Furze said.

"A further recommendation we believe to be essential, is the need for community education, particularly for those in the northern and western Queensland regions, about why a dual time zone arrangement may permanently resolve the Daylight Saving issue. The Premier should also provide more certainty as to where the boundary would be," Mr Furze

"In addition, we have recommended that during a Daylight Saving trial, the government evaluate the economic benefits and quantify the community and lifestyle benefits of having Daylight Saving in South East Queensland," Mr Furze said.

ENDS

For further information, please contact:

Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Party

Party Leader/Spokesperson:	Jason Furze	0405 357 931	
Deputy Leader/Spokesperson:	Andrew Bradbury	0427 130 805	
Email:	media@ds4seq.org.au	Website:	www.ds4seq.org.au