

# Communique

## Partnership Priorities Committee

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Date: 25 June 2025

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The Partnership Priorities Committee (Committee) met for the second time in 2025 to discuss the following matters.

### **Partnering with Philanthropy**

The Committee agreed to the development of a prospectus that defines the Commonwealth position on, opportunities for, and boundaries to, collaborating with the philanthropic sector. The prospectus will enable a consistent approach to be taken across Government and better guide investments from the philanthropic sector, supported by the adoption of the *APS Guide to Partnering with Philanthropy*.

### **First Nations economic empowerment**

The Committee discussed First Nations Economic Empowerment. The Committee received and discussed the Phase 1 Report of the First Nations Economic Empowerment Working Group and discussed activities to establish a First Nations Economic Partnership.

### **Progress update on PPC Project – Place-based engagement networks**

A progress report was tabled for the place-based engagement networks project. The project is mapping government engagement networks to better coordinate and strategically use place-based networks. The Committee noted the August meeting will consider the outcomes of Phase 1 and decide priority actions ahead of a final report in December 2025.