

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Organisation

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## Australian Local Government Women's Association – South Australian Branch

(1964 - )

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**Born** 1 January, 1964

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**Occupation** Lobby group, Political organisation, Women's Rights Organisation

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### Summary

The formation of the Australian Local Government Women's Association – South Australian Branch was preceded by the formation of a national Australian Local Government Women's Association in Canberra in 1951. A non-party organisation, it was inspired particularly inspired by the belief that more women should be involved in local government partly because this arm of government was especially relevant to housewives and mothers.

### Published resources

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

#### Book

Women in Australian Parliaments and Local Governments, Past and Present : A Survey, Smith, A. Viola, 1975

### Archival resources

#### State Library of South Australia

[Interview with Elizabeth Furner \[sound recording\]](#) Interviewer: June Donovan

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