

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
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## Burke, Leonie Therese

(1949 - )

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**Born** 27 January, 1949, Melbourne Victoria Australia

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**Occupation** Local government councillor, Parliamentarian

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### Summary

A member of the Liberal Party of Australia, Leonie Burke served as the Member for Prahran in the Legislative Assembly of the Victorian Parliament from 1996-2002. She was a Prahran City Councillor from 1986-93 which included a term as Mayor from 1990-92.

### Published resources

#### Book

Victorian Parliamentary handbook: the 53rd Parliament, no 6, 1996

#### Edited Book

Who's Who in Australia 2002, Herd, Margaret, 2002

#### Site Exhibition

Carrying on the Fight: Women Candidates in Victorian Parliamentary Elections, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2008,  
<http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/cws/home.html>

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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