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To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

We, the undersigned, say that public services extend opportunities, protect the vulnerable, and improve everyone’s quality of life. They are essential to our economic development and prosperity. They strengthen our communities and bind us together as a society.

Unfortunately, public services in Western Australia are not adequately resourced by the State Government. Despite the rapid growth of our state’s population, public services have been subject to budget cuts, job cuts and outsourcing - forcing services to be run for private profit, rather than the public good. This has led to public sector employees holding unacceptably, even dangerously, high workloads. Consequently, there have been reductions in many services including police services; child protection; drivers and motor vehicle licensing; prison services; juvenile detention; parole and probation; court services; public housing; disability services; school and education services; and many more areas.

Now we ask that the Legislative Assembly invest in quality public services; services that save, protect and enrich lives. Specifically, we ask the Legislative Assembly to:

- Remove the efficiency dividend and commit to funding public sector agencies so that they have the resources they need to deliver services to the community more effectively.
- Lift the agency salary cap to enable public sector agencies to employ the staff required to meet increasing demand for services.
- Reject changes to the WA Industrial Relations Act which would limit the capacity of the WA Industrial Relations Commission to fairly and independently arbitrate public sector wages outcomes.
- Reject changes to the Public Sector Management Act and Regulations to facilitate forced redundancies of WA public sector employees.
- End the wasteful privatisation and contracting out of public services.



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