



ABORIGINAL HOUSING VICTORIA 2019 CHRISTMAS TOY APPEAL



The generous donations to Aboriginal Housing Victoria's Christmas Toy Appeal in previous years has played a huge role in it's success. Last year we were very grateful for the donations from the community. We were able to distribute toys to over 750 children from more than 300 families.

Aboriginal Housing Victoria is an independent Aboriginal Community and Non-Governmental Organisation. We are committed to providing better housing outcomes and we are proud to provide safe, secure and culturally appropriate housing services to over 4,000 low income Aboriginal Victorians.

Christmas can be a particularly difficult time for many of our residents and their families. With the ongoing financial struggle of paying bills on a limited income, there is little money left for Christmas "luxuries" such as gifts for children.

The generosity and kindness shown by the community continues to be overwhelming. In our fifth year, we are reaching out again to ask for support.

Please help provide a great Christmas for Aboriginal children from families most in need.

Option 1: Choose a toy or amount to donate online: <https://ahvic.simplygiving.com.au>

Option 2: Donate new, unwrapped presents for children aged 0-16 to our office Level 1/252-254 St Georges Rd, Fitzroy North VIC 3068.

We then allocate the gifts for tenants most in need. To ensure we can distribute gifts, we hope to receive donations by the end of November. We will of course happily accept donations during December.

We would be grateful if you would be able to support us this year. Please feel free to contact me on **0438 134 804** or by email at communications@ahvic.org.au for more information or if you are able to help us raise awareness of our Christmas Toy Appeal.

With your support, we can help our tenants who are doing it tough at Christmas.

Best,
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