I live in Ballarat and it is very clear from our layout with so much bush, that if there is a major bushfire, that many people would not be able to get out in time, and would die. I have also heard that more people die from extreme heat than from the road toll, which is extremely concerning to me.

The wealthy people can afford air conditioners, but the poor and the working poor are left to suffer in very hot, badly insulated rental properties. This is not fair, but it also a sign that we need to tackle climate change so that conditions don't get any worse than they are becoming.

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