C1: Innovations in volunteer engagement
Innovations in Volunteer Engagement

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We acknowledge the Ngunnawal people, the traditional custodians of this land on which we come together to share and learn. We pay respect to the Elders of all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nations, both past and present.
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Innovation to grow the volunteer footprint
• 2030 Plan
• Volunteer My Way
• Centre of Excellence

How Mindful Leadership inspires innovation
• Self Care
• Dare to Lead
• The Power of Now
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**Take control of the narrative to spearhead innovation**

- Volunteers as part of your workforce
- Volunteering shouldn’t just be for the privileged
- Best practice for who?

**Positioning volunteering as an innovative solution**

- Digital Literacy program
- English support programs
- Volunteer buddies to support inclusion

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Working for an Australia free of poverty
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Empowering Community

• Victoria’s Great Outdoors
• Volunteering Innovation Fund
• National Volunteering Strategy; Systemic Shift 1.4: Enabling A Community-led Approach

Allowing innovation to thrive

• One size does not fit all
• Being comfortable with failure
• Broadening our own perceptions
• Teaming up for success

For more innovative stories visit Parks Victoria’s website here;
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Engaging and growing youth volunteering

• Growing population of young volunteers
• Schools
• Fundraising
• Young philanthropists

Using technology on a shoestring

• Paperless
• Engage corporates who work hybrid post COVID to volunteer hybrid
• Micro volunteering
What is innovation?
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