

TO THE HONOURABLE THE SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

This petition of the citizens and friends of the community of Shelford Victoria,

draws to the attention of the House, that Shelford Victoria is in a black spot as far as telecommunications (Mobile Phone & Internet) are concerned. This was again highlighted during the heat wave and elevated fire danger period experienced in the 2013 - 14 summer. Many residents experienced poor and unreliable telecommunications, and had no up to date information.

We, the undersigned, ask the House to urge the telecommunications industry to urgently investigate, plan and deliver a telecommunications system that is improved and far more reliable for the residents of Shelford and the greater local community