

## Forecast cost changes on Jan 1, 2020

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| Expense  |  | Change   |
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| Victorian Default Offer                          |  | Annual electricity bill increases \$100 to \$1,500 (7.1%) for a typical domestic customer <sup>2</sup>                 |
| myki fares                                       |  | From January 1, a daily full fare Zone 1 and Zone 1+2 myki will jump 20 cents to \$9, among other changes <sup>1</sup> |
| Victorian Cladding Levy                          |  | To be introduced on Jan 1st. <sup>3</sup>  |
| Congestion Levy                                  | Category 1                               | Increases \$20 to \$1460 (1.4%) <sup>4,5</sup>   |
|  | Category 2                               | Increases \$20 to \$1040 (2.0%) <sup>4,5</sup>   |
| Road tolls                                       | CityLink<br>(updates quarterly)          | Daily trip cap for cars increases \$0.10 to \$9.65 (1.0%) <sup>6,7</sup>   |
|  | EastLink<br>(updates annually on 1 July) | None, but daily cap for cars increased \$0.11 to \$6.36 (1.8%) on 1 July 2019 <sup>8</sup>                             |
| Car registration<br>(updates annually on 1 July) | Metropolitan                             | None, but increased \$18.30 to \$834.80 (2.2%) on 1 July 2019 <sup>9,10</sup>  |
|  | Outer metropolitan                       | None, but increased \$17.20 to \$779.80 (2.3%) on 1 July 2019 <sup>9,10</sup>  |
|  | Rural                                    | None, but increased \$16.10 to \$716.00 (2.3%) on 1 July 2019 <sup>9,10</sup>  |
| Council rates                                    | Rise cap                                 | 2.50% for 2019-20 financial year; 2.00% for 2020-21 financial year <sup>11</sup>                                       |
| Penalties<br>(updates annually on 1 July)        | Fines                                    | Unit increased \$4.03 to \$165.22 (2.5%) on 1 July 2019 <sup>12</sup>  |
|  | Fees                                     | Unit increased \$0.36 to \$14.81 (2.5%) on 1 July 2019 <sup>12</sup>   |
| Gas  | Origin                                   | None <sup>13</sup>   |
|  | Energy Australia                         | Increasing, but information provided directly to customers on first bill issued in 2020 <sup>14</sup>                  |
|  | Momentum                                 | No information   |
|  | AGL                                      | No information   |

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