

AUSTRALIAN FEDERATED UNION OF LOCOMOTIVE EMPLOYEES

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Coppabella Housing Survey

Dear members,

You would be aware that Aurizon have been making decisions regarding housing arrangements for Coppabella Traincrew. Aurizon have developed a retention guideline whereby they are offering a rental rebate of 70% of the median rental price for the area, however, many details of the guidelines application and longevity remain under question from the AFULE membership.

This has been a difficult and stressful time for many members and at a state level from your union office, a frustrating and time consuming exercise for no real solid answers.

I have attached a survey [here](#) that I am asking members complete so that I can take the data received back to both Aurizon and the QRI. I ask that the survey be completed ASAP or by no later than Thursday 10 September 2020.

Your responses will remain confidential and will only be used by the AFULE for the purposes of attempting to speed up communications being released by the company/ the QRI and using our collective power to ensure a fair housing outcome for Coppabella Traincrew.

I will keep you updated as we proceed, however, if you would like more information, please contact your local AFULE representatives or your state office on 3844 9163 or statesecretary@afule.org.au

In Solidarity,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Mick McKitrick', written over a horizontal line.

Mick McKitrick,
State Secretary

Traincrew representing Traincrew