

## Press Release 'Neighbourhood Disputes'

Peninsula Community Legal Centre has helped more than 1,000 clients with neighbourhood disputes in the past five years.

Acting Principal Lawyer, Brendan Stackpole, says:

"Peninsula Community Legal Centre regularly assists clients with neighbourhood disputes – ranging from simple fencing, tree or noise enquiries, to escalated conflict and stalking.

Provided it is safe to do so, we find that many clients are able to resolve disputes themselves – either directly, or through mediation. We encourage anyone who is involved in a neighbourhood dispute, but unsure of their rights, to seek legal advice."

Peninsula Community Legal Centre has been providing free legal services to the community for over 30 years and operates branches in Frankston, Cranbourne, Rosebud, Bentleigh and the Pines (Frankston North), as well as operating visiting 'outreach' services in a range of locations.

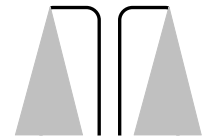
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