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POPULATION

Call for people drive

A population expert has called for “a more robust” approach to increasing the number of South Australian residents.

Australian Population Institute (SA) chairman Michael Hickinbotham said yesterday that he wanted whoever won government at tomorrow’s election to commit it to “tangible initiatives” to increase the population.

He said he was pleased both major parties had released policies aimed at driving growth, but wanted a stronger approach after the election.

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