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Mount Ommaney Electorate, Democracy Sausages

 **Ms PUGH** (Mount Ommaney—ALP) (6.16 pm): It will not have escaped the notice of members of this House that we have a very important event coming up on 21 May. That is right: it is the day of the democracy sausage. I have here the definitive list of the fantastic local P&Cs in the Mount Ommaney electorate that will be putting on democracy sausage sizzles on election day, 21 May. While pre-polls are fantastic, in my humble view nothing beats the delicious taste of democracy on election day.

Here in my hot little hands I have the definitive list of the places where democracy sausages and snacks will be available in Mount Ommaney on 21 May. I say 'definitive', but the list is subject to additions and changes at any time up to 8 am on 21 May when polling opens. I will be posting the list online. If you are organising a local polling venue and you have not made up your mind, fear not: I can add you to said list.

Now, to the main event: the democracy sausage extravaganza. The Oxley State School P&C is hosting a sausage sizzle from 8 am until those sausages run out so get them while you can, folks. Jamboree Heights primary school will be hosting a polling booth but the food will be supplied by the fabulous team at the Jamboree Heights Swimming Club, as per usual. Jindalee primary school will have a sausage sizzle and a cake stall from 8 am in the morning and Saint Joey's at Corinda will have democracy sausages on offer from 8 am and there are rumours of a breakfast burger. Get excited! Corinda primary will have a bake stall, breakfast burgers and a cake stall. I am informed reliably that from 8 am until 11 am Middle Park State School will have the barbeque fired up for democracy snags.

You can also vote at the Oxley Senior Citizens Club hall. At the Jindalee Catholic Church they have not yet decided if they will be offering democracy sausages and we are yet to hear back from a few of our other fantastic polling booths. Last time, iSEE Church had some awesome baked goods that sold out by the end of the day. The Good News Lutheran School has a new polling booth so they may well offer something as well as Darra State School.

Once again I take this opportunity to thank my local P&Cs for their work to fundraise for our kids. In my community, the P&Cs do the lion's share of fundraising for hundreds of air-conditioning units for our schools before the Palaszczuk government completed the job and I thank the education minister for her work in that space. As the local member for a hot area, I was so glad to get that job finished. For the rest of my life I will be grateful to our amazing P&Cs for their huge and herculean efforts to get the job done. On election day I encourage locals to stop by for a democracy sausage.