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Ravenswood community seeking answers from Labor

The Ravenswood community has been left in the dark as a commitment made by Labor leading up to the 2022 federal election appears to have dropped off the government's radar.

Federal Member for Bass Bridget Archer said locals have raised concerns with her over the future of a Labor commitment to improve the safety of the skate park.

"In March of this year, the Bass Labor candidate for the 2022 federal election gave assurances to community members that a Labor Government would provide \$15,000 towards improving the safety of the park, with some of the funds to be put towards playground safety fencing," Mrs Archer said.

"During one of my regular community barbeques in Ravenswood last week locals told me they have heard nothing from Tasmanian Labor regarding this funding and feel as though they have been forgotten.

"Six months have passed since the election and the community is yet to receive any confirmation that this election promise will be upheld by the Labor government, and they need to answer the community as to when this funding will be provided.

"Tasmanian Labor loves a photo opportunity but are seemingly missing in action when it comes to representing our local communities when it matters most."

"I will continue to apply necessary pressure on the Federal Government to ensure they do not break their promise to the Ravenswood community.