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1. Economic & fiscal policy ([davidthorp.net/economics](file:///C:/Users/YNA/Downloads/davidthorp.net/economics)), especially:
   1. Comprehensive reform of tax & superannuation systems
   2. Transforming public finance and budgeting to enable more stable, longer-term, and strategic public service planning
   3. Modern Monetary Theory (MMT) & wages policy
   4. Gambling regulation (to support low-cost industry finance whilst protecting problem gamblers)
2. Energy & environment ([davidthorp.net/energy-enviro](file:///C:/Users/YNA/Downloads/davidthorp.net/energy-enviro)), especially:
   1. Pragmatic emissions trading design with minimal impact on energy prices
   2. Transforming electricity grid networks by using the NBN to support home solar
   3. Nuclear risk economics
   4. Research on the sources of ocean plastic pollution and environmental impacts from agriculture
3. Competition & governance/funding reforms for more efficient & accountable services in courts, education, health, domestic violence & other human services ([davidthorp.net/human-services](file:///C:/Users/YNA/Downloads/davidthorp.net/human-services) & [davidthorp.net/justice](file:///C:/Users/YNA/Downloads/davidthorp.net/justice))
4. Transport plans for Sydney ([davidthorp.net/transport-plan](file:///C:/Users/YNA/Downloads/davidthorp.net/transport-plan)), along with:
   1. A comprehensive affordable housing strategy
   2. Practical enabling of efficient transport pricing
   3. Competition reform in postal services
5. Reforming the constitution and public sector governance for a more independent, efficient, effective and accountable public service ([davidthorp.net/australia](file:///C:/Users/YNA/Downloads/davidthorp.net/australia))