# The Australian Women's Register

**Entry type:** Person **Entry ID:** AWE1234

# Varty, Rosemary

(1933 - )

Nationality	Australian
Born	20 December, 1933, Lilydale Victoria Australia
Occupation	Parliamentarian

## Summary

A member of the Liberal Party of Australia, Rosemary Varty served as the member for Nunawading Province in the Legislative Council of the Victorian Parliament from 1985-1992 and for Silvan from 1992-99. She held the position of Parliamentary Secretary to Cabinet from 1992-99.

#### **Details**

Before entering state parliament, Rosemary Varty was a councillor for the City of Box Hill from 1981-84. Her former occupations included those of financial controller and administration manager from 1962-84. Within the Liberal Party she was active on the Central Women's Committee from 1979.

#### Published resources

#### Book

Victorian Parliamentary Handbook / prepared by direction of the President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, 1989

#### **Resource Section**

The Liberal Party of Australia Federal Women's Committee: History and Achievements 1945-2003, 2003, <a href="http://www.liberal.org.au/documents/fwc\_history.pdf">http://www.liberal.org.au/documents/fwc\_history.pdf</a>

#### Site Exhibition

Carrying on the Fight: Women Candidates in Victorian Parliamentary Elections, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2008.

http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/cws/home.html

#### **Edited Book**

Who's Who in Australia 1998, Neto, Maryanne (researcher), 1997

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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