# The Australian Women's Register

**Entry ID:** Person AWE1234

# Varty, Rosemary

(1933 - )

**Born** 19331220, 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 to 1992 and for Silvan from 1992 to 1999. She held the position of Parliamentary Secretary to Cabinet from 1992 to 1999.

#### Details

Before entering state parliament, Rosemary Varty was a councillor for the City of Box Hill from 1981 to 1984. Her former occupations included those of financial controller and administration manager from 1962 to 1984. 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">http://www.liberal.org.au/documents/fwc</a> history.pdf

#### 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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