

Community Engagement

Community engagement is central to all K2 Planning projects. We place high emphasis on:

- Working with local communities to develop plans and services
- Understanding the needs and directions of key stakeholders, such as social service providers
- Communicating and informing the planning directions of local and state governments

Our approach to community engagement:

We recognise that different issues require different community engagement techniques. We are skilled in a range of engagement techniques including:

- Seeking input to specific projects through focus groups and community listening posts
- Gaining one off responses to issues through community surveys and on line survey processes
- Building longer term decision making processes such as working groups, steering committees and community visioning processes



We are aware that good community engagement aims to:

- Support local networks and community processes
- Resource decision making processes
- Ensure broad access to information for all members of the community

Our recent projects include:

- Listening Posts, Online Surveys, Stakeholder Interviews and Community Workshop - Eaglehawk Community Facilities Audit and Needs Assessment (City of Greater Bendigo, 2014)
- Stakeholder Interviews and Community Listening Posts - Review of Community Services and Facilities (Mount Alexander Shire Council 2010)
- Community Focus Groups and Stakeholder Consultations - Hobsons Bay Community Services and Infrastructure Plan (Hobsons Bay City Council 2010-11)
- Community Surveys and Informal drop In Sessions, Ashwood Chadstone Gateway Project Social Impact Assessment (Port Phillip Housing Association)
- Ongoing Community Engagement in Evaluating and Monitoring Social Change, Ashwood Chadstone Gateway Project Social Impact Assessment (Port Phillip Housing Association)



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