



NCOSS Regional Visits in Kempsey, Port Macquarie and Taree 23-25 June 2008

The Council of Social Service of NSW (NCOSS) is the peak non government body for the social and community services sector in NSW. NCOSS works on behalf of disadvantaged people and communities towards achieving social justice in NSW.

Each year, NCOSS visits different rural and regional locations across NSW to identify critical social policy and human services issues. The aims of the NCOSS Regional Visits are to:

- Inform NCOSS of issues in regional, rural and remote areas
- Inform NGOs of the work that NCOSS does
- Build relationships and partnerships
- Feed into work on social inclusion and the NSW State Plan
- Feed into NCOSS policy and sector development work including submissions to government

We'd love to meet you, so come along, have a cup of tea and some lunch, and help identify priority issues for your community

<p>Kempsey 23 June 2008 1pm-3pm</p> <p>Consultation for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and organisations</p> <p>Pensioner Hall Clyde Street Kempsey</p>	<p>Port Macquarie 24 June 2008 10am-2pm</p> <p>General community consultation</p> <p>Rushcutter Room 2 Panthers Port Macquarie Bay Street Port Macquarie</p>	<p>Taree 25 June 2008 10am-2pm</p> <p>General community consultation</p> <p>Mellaleuca Room Taree RSL 121 Wingham Road Taree</p>
<p><i>Morning tea and lunch provided</i></p>		

Our meetings will be facilitated by Alison Peters, NCOSS Director, and Warren Gardiner and Kristie Brown, NCOSS Senior Policy Officers.

For more information and to RSVP, please contact Wendy Hall at NCOSS, 66 Albion Street, Surry Hills, 2010, on email wendy@ncoss.org.au or phone 02 9211 2599, ext 118. Please RSVP by 18 June 2008.