



Engage Huon Valley

Welcome to our community engagement hub. Browse current projects, have your say or attend a community session. Help shape your community. Join the conversation today.

I'm looking for projects about

All categories



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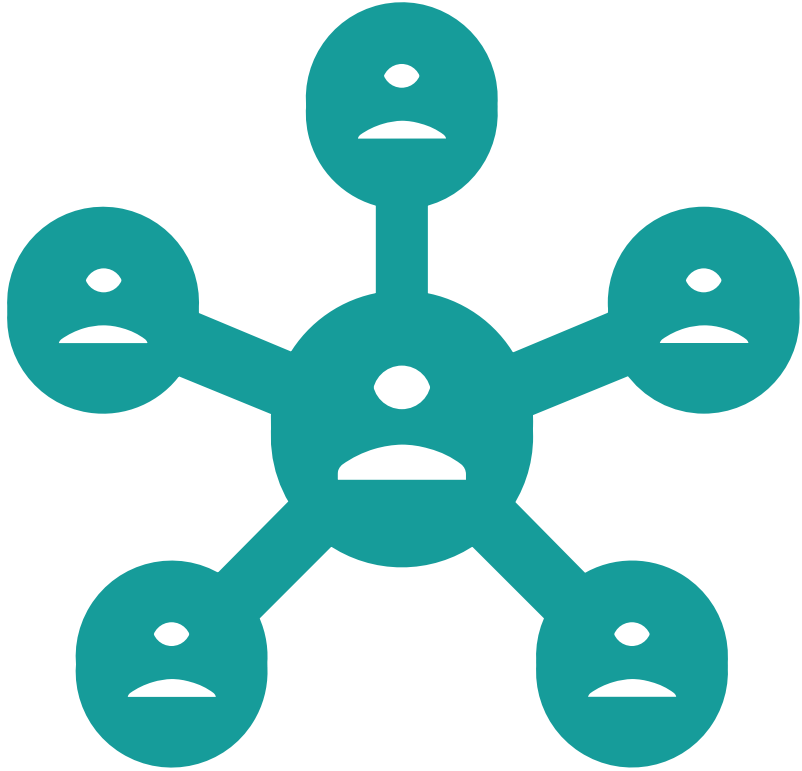
Search for a specific project...



Welcome to Engage Huon Valley

Council's new engagement platform

Why are we moving to a new platform?



Increased public participation - with over 40 tools, it makes it easy for community to provide input and feedback, regardless of their location or schedule.

Improved Decision Making - real-time data collection and analysis, so we can make informed decisions based on the perspectives and priorities of your stakeholders.

We can easily track both the reach and depth of your engagements, identify gaps in performance or representation, and learn how our community have engaged with projects.

Enhanced transparency and accountability – we can create a powerful engagement portal to promote ongoing and active public participation and establish a consistent feedback loop with our community by making our engagement process more open and accessible.

Huon Valley Community Views Survey 2025

We have partnered with .idcommunity to conduct our Community Views Survey. Share your thoughts on safety, housing, health, climate, business, transport and facilities.

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Why are we doing the survey?

The Community Views survey will help us understand what makes the Huon Valley special to you. We want to learn how well your local area meets your needs and what we can do to make it even better.

This survey will help us identify which aspects of community life - from safety and housing to access to nature - are most important to residents and where improvements are needed.

Your feedback will directly shape Council decisions to enhance the quality of life in our community.'

Key Dates

-  **Friday 4 April 2025**
Survey commences
-  **Sunday 13 April 2025 02:00 pm**
Community Information Session

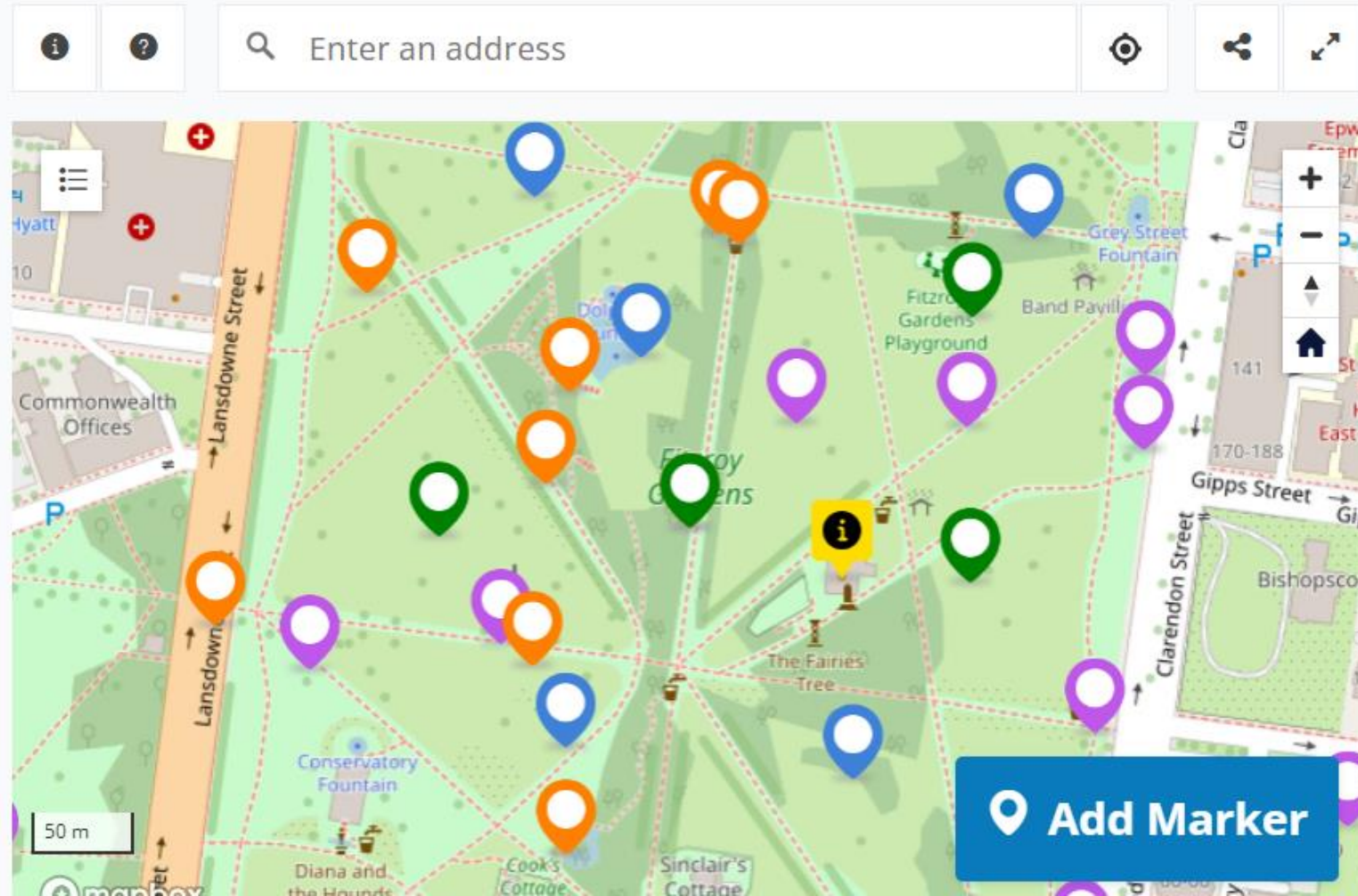
What is the same?

We still have the project page with an overview, links to survey’s key dates and a document library.

What new facilities should we add to our park?

We're looking to make our park even better. Tell us what you think we should add and where it should go.

51 contributions so far



What is different?

Social Mapping...

- We can collect information by you popping a pin, adding you comment and/or an image onto an interactive map.
- Other community members can contribute their insights in just one click.

[Social Map](#) | [Social Pinpoint](#)

What projects would you like to fund?

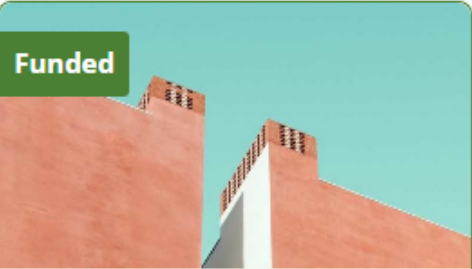
Your remaining budget:

\$ 600,000

MINIMUM SPEND \$900,000

Filter by: Sponsor Sort by

Funded



Twin structures
Project sponsor: The Arc Collective
A reflective development

Funded: \$150,000

\$50,000 \$150,000

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♥ 3 Votes (25%)

Funded



Public artworks
Project sponsor: The Museum of Excitement
Transforming spaces into experiences [Read More](#)

Funded: \$250,000

\$50,000 \$350,000

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♥ 3 Votes (25%)

Fund it tool... [Fund It | Social Pinpoint](#)

The Fund It tool gives you an imaginary 'budget' of either dollars or points and allows you to 'spend' that budget on potential projects you want to see funded.

Participants vote on a predetermined list of projects with a set price and that price is deducted from their overall budget.

You can only spend what is in the budget so can only fund a portion of the projects from the list.

A range of reporting metrics helps you understand the outcomes of the funding or voting activity and even provides suggestions about which projects if funded, would satisfy the greatest number of participants within the nominated budget.

How to follow projects and get involved?

Signing up (log in) is optional and you can still engage in projects without a log in.

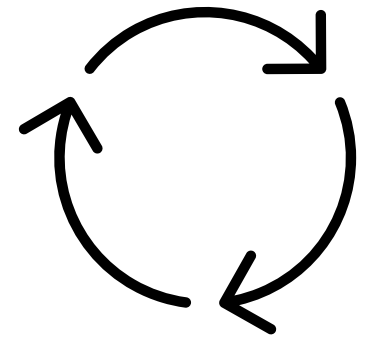
If you do sign up and follow projects, you will be able to receive updates and newsletters.

Let's have a look...[Home | Engage Huon Valley](#)

Project Status				Top Visited Projects			
9 Projects				Project Name	Visitation	Visits	Visitors
				Huon Valley Community Views Survey	67.27%	37	31
				Community Information Session	27.27%	15	13
				Huon Valley Community Halls Review	9.09%	5	4
				Cygnet Town Hall Review	7.27%	4	4
				Road Safety Improvements: Mary Street, Cygnet	5.45%	3	3
2 Open	5 Active	2 Closed					

What's next....

Community Information Sessions and Community Forums



Theme-based engagement

Theme-based engagement organises activities around specific topics or issues that can transcend location.

This approach:

- Centres on ideas, concepts, or subject matter rather than geography
- Creates connections through shared interests or concerns
- Can be implemented across multiple locations
- Often addresses broader issues
- Attracts participants based on topic interest regardless of where they live





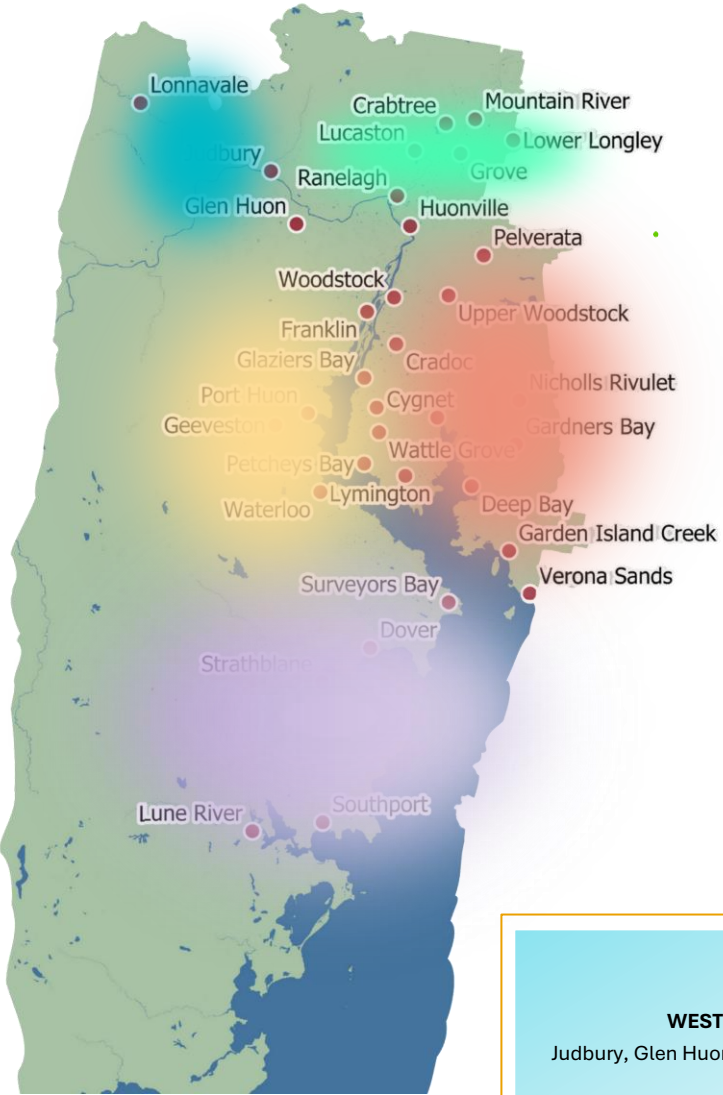
Place-based engagement

Place-based engagement is rooted in specific locations and emphasises the unique characteristics of communities. This approach:

- Focuses explicitly on a defined geographic area
- Draws on local knowledge, culture, and resources
- Builds on the distinct identity of a place
- Addresses issues directly relevant to community members
- Fosters deeper connection to a specific environment or neighborhood

2025	Focus of Discussion
Community Forum Theme and place based Cygnet June 2025 (date to be confirmed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cygnet Structure Plan – with consultants
Community Information Session Theme based Huonville August (TBC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Present findings from Community Views Survey
Mix of information and forum based Theme based Huonville December (prior to Council AGM)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation and celebration of Annual Report in the lead up to the AGM• Community Q & A

2026



Format	Structure	Potential Timing
Five placed-based community forums	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Structured networking time before/after forumsInclude local success stories and case studiesFeature topic experts (guest speakers)Incorporate youth-focused segments	<ul style="list-style-type: none">February 2026April 2026June 2026August 2026October 2026
Create end of year community forum Theme-based Annual Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Celebration of the achievements over the past year	<ul style="list-style-type: none">December 2026

WEST Judbury, Glen Huon, Lonnavele	NORTH Crabtree, Lucaston, Mountain River, Lower Longley, Ranelagh, Grove, Huonville	EAST Pelverata, Woodstock, Upper Woodstock, Cradoc, Cygnet, Glaziers Bay, Petchey's Bay, Lymington, Wattle Grove, Deep Bay, Garden Island Creek, Verona Sands, Nicholls Rivulet, Gardners Bay	SOUTH Franklin, Port Huon, Geeveston, Waterloo, Castle Forbes Bay	FAR SOUTH Surveyors Bay, Dover, Strathblane, Lune River, Southport
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