

WODONGA 2033 : revisited

COMMUNITY FORUM

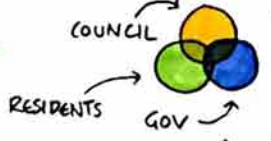
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AN INCREDIBLY EXCITING TIME for WODONGA!



RODNEY WANGMAN
REVISIT and CHECK the VISION WE SET in 2008



NO ONE LEFT BEHIND



LOOKING for PATTERNS
OVER 200 YEARS

BUT THERE are SOME REAL ISSUES

WE NEED to MOVE to an **EMPOWERED** and **SUSTAINABLE FUTURE**



NOW WE HAVE BETTER ROADS and CARS SO WE MOVE AROUND



OVERLAP in MARKETS and COMPETITION

PEOPLE WANT to INVEST and MOVE to WHERE THERE is GROWTH



WE ARE RESILIENT with our:

- FINANCIAL**
- CULTURAL**
- SOCIAL**



FANTASTIC LIVEABILITY!
STRONG SOCIAL SERVICES

PEOPLE on the MOVE:
MAJOR MIGRATION



ATTRACTING PEOPLE to WODONGA



HEALTH and WEALTH increase



OUR PEOPLE

OUR CITY

GUEST SPEAKER:
Asher Judah

WODONGA:
AUSTRALIA'S MOST COMPETITIVE INLAND CITY

RISE of the GLOBAL MIDDLE CLASS
5 BILLION

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NBN: is it a good thing?

WHAT CAN BE DONE ABOUT THE ALBURY WODONGA SEPARATION?



- with
- RODNEY WANGIMAN
- GEOFF FROST
- ASHER JUDAH

WITHOUT the YOUNG PEOPLE WONT COME BACK.
YOU MUST FIND OUT WHAT YOUNG PEOPLE WANT!?

TOLERANCE of a "SHADOW" AREA, ALLOWING ACCESS
STATE BOUNDARY CHANGE UNLIKELY

ARCHAPELAGO:
OUR ISLANDS are URBAN CITIES



MOMENTUM will RULE OUR LIVES

2nd GOLD RUSH

HOW to SPEED UP the HIGH SPEED RAIL?

HOW to ENHANCE NIGHT LIFE in WODONGA?



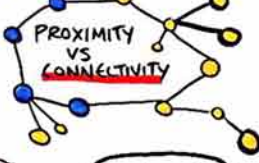
INTERNATIONAL PRIVATES WANT TO INVEST
POLITICAL GAME, LOTS of STAKEHOLDERS
COULD BE BUILT IN 12 YEARS NEEDED ADVOCACY
MAYBE 20k from TOWN

WE HAVE SET PLANS for CHANGING the CITY SPACE
WIDER WALKWAYS for CAFES to USE

A COMPETITIVE CITY:

flexible COUNCIL

TRAWLING VS SPEAR FISHING



TALKING VS DOING

MUST LOOK LONG TERM!

HOW CAN COMMUNITY GET BEHIND this?

NIGHTLIFE VS FAMILY FRIENDLY
CAN BE A CHALLENGE

GRASS ROOTS STRENGTH

EXPORT

KNOW YOUR MARKET

FLEXIBLE and COMPETITIVE

GOOD NIGHT LIFE!

LEVERAGE WHAT YOU'VE GOT!

SURVEY: KNOW WHAT the YOUNG PEOPLE WANT!

HELP PEOPLE KNOW WHAT YOU OFFER!

MAKE SURE it is SAFE!



WODONGA = BIG PEARL ON HUME HIGHWAY

STRONG WORKFORCE

FAMILY FRIENDLY
AFFORDABLE HOUSING

WHAT is THE CAPACITY of COUNCIL?

YOU ARE LUCKIER THAN MOST WITH FUNDING
DON'T RISE TAX + RATES

POOL SERVICES
ASSET RECYCLING

STAY the COURSE!

KEY CHALLENGES:



USING CURRENT EDUCATION



LOOKING after FAMILIES and SERVICES



GROWTH + ENVIRONMENT



AGE and HEALTH



CULTURE and VALUES



STATE DIVISION of CITIES



EMPLOYMENT



INFRASTRUCTURE and JOB CREATION



HOW TO SUPPORT THE GROWTH

NBN and INDUSTRIAL FUTURES

TOURISM
RAISING AWARENESS and FOSTERING WODONGA as A DESIREABLE DESTINATION



OPPORTUNITIES:



HIGH-SPEED RAIL ✓



MAINTAINING EMPLOYMENT



ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY



LIVABILITY and SERVICES and AFFORDABILITY of HOUSING



SUPPORT DEFENCE + UNI'S



PROMOTE BUSINESS in WODONGA



SUPPORTING YOUNG PEOPLE and FAMILIES

BRINGING PEOPLE BACK



GAME CHANGERS:



SHARE RESOURCES +
COMPLEMENT
ALBURY WODONGA
AS A SINGLE CITY



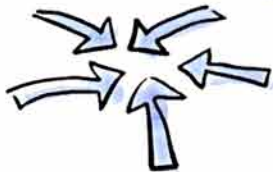
TRANSPORT +
CONNECTIVITY



BUSINESS
DEVELOPMENT

SPORTING
VENUES

INLAND
PORT



? ESTABLISH
WHAT IS OUR
COMPETITIVE
ADVANTAGE



PRIORITIES:



ENERGY
LAND
+
AVAILABILITY
and HOUSING



GETTING
LEGISLATION
and PLANNING
for ONE CITY



RAIL +
CONNECTIVITY

CONNECTIVITY
+
ACCESSABILITY



DESTINATION
RECOGNITION
& TOURISM

ATTRACTIVE!!



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INCUBATOR



INCREASE
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ACTIVE
CIVIC
PARTICIPATION
and USING
SPACE

RETAIN
RURAL
VALUES
+
IDENTITY

