

## Heart of Agnes Community Association Inc.

Community Spirit in Action!







Heart of Agnes Community Association Inc. is a community asset; owned and operated by the people of the Agnes Water community.

It is an incorporated, not-for-profit platform designed to foster local partnerships and collaboration among community members.

A mechanism for social connection and support; a launchpad for building ideas and a tool for working more effectively with Council and Industry.

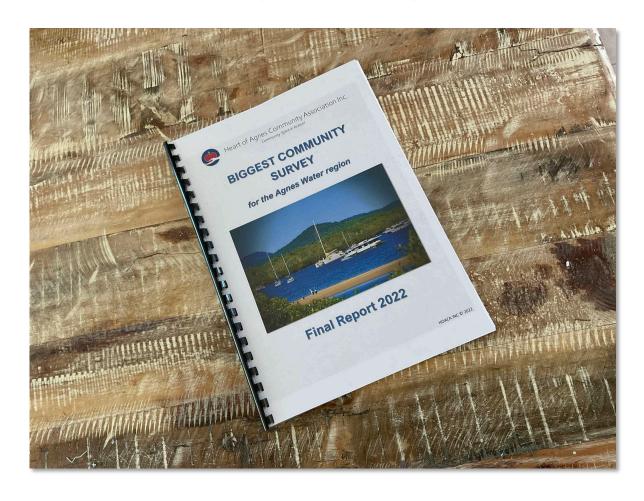
Heart of Agnes is not as traditional organization; it is a platform for community to GET ORGANISED.

A demonstration of Community Spirit in Action!



#### **BIGGEST COMMUNITY SURVEY**

for the Agnes Water region



Final Report 2022



# **Recommendations for Agnes Water:**



- 1. Community Leadership
- 2. Engagement in Local Planning
- 3. Environmental Protection



# **Community Leadership**

#### **Our Goals:**

- 1. Establish a local mechanism for increased communication to support a stronger operational partnership with Council.
- 2. Work closely with Council to ensure funding, resources and services are delivered effectively to the local community.

#### **Current Actions:**

- \* Community Planning (Council Reference) Group
- \* Supporting Council Services





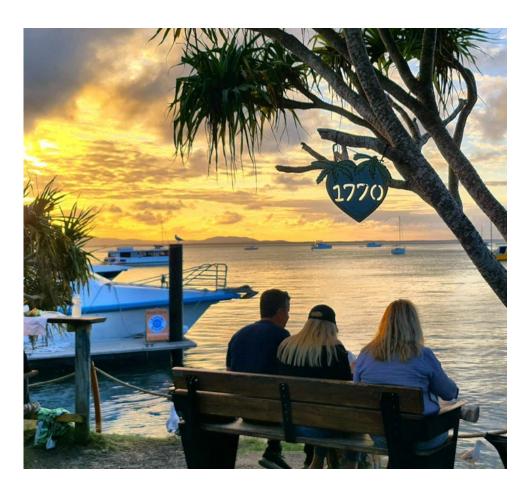
# **Engagement in Local Planning**

#### **Our Goals:**

- 1. Create in-person and online infrastructure for capturing live local data to support future planning.
- 2. Establish the regions first local fund to strengthen the capacity and resilience of the Agnes Water community.

#### **Current Actions:**

- \* Live Community Data Model
- \* Community Foundation





## **Environmental Protection**

#### **Our Goals:**

- 1. Develop a collaborative Environmental Action Plan for the Baffle Creek Basin.
- 2. Community-supported environmental regulation applied to new development.

#### **Current Actions:**

- \* Environmental Protection Plan
- \* Engagement in Planning





# Council & Community: An Opportunity for Partnership

The Agnes Water community and local leaders would see a **sustainable and prosperous working partnership** with Gladstone Regional Council.

We are working to establish **skills-infrastructure** within our community, encouraging a **greater capacity for coordinated action and local leadership** from our residents, organisations and businesses.

This empowers and equips our community to work collaboratively with Council and other regional stakeholders to the benefit of everybody.







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