

COMMUNITY TRANSPORT SURVEY

Mid Murray Council has been funded, since 2011, by State and Commonwealth Government, to provide transport services to the Mid Murray and Murray Bridge Council Regions.

In 2015 Mid Murray Council concluded that changes to the larger portion of the funding through Commonwealth Government (CHSP) meant that it would not be viable for Council to deliver direct transport services.

In March of this year, Mid Murray Council passed a motion that it will not continue the Community Passenger Network contract past 30th June 2018 and cease to manage this transport service. As a result the State Government has determined that the contract be put out to tender for service delivery in both the Mid Murray and Murray Bridge Council regions.

Mid Murray Support Service (MMSS), currently located centrally between the two Council regions, is a local not-for-profit organisation and is experienced in the new requirements of government transport funding. If successful in this tender process, MMSS will work with local employees, volunteers and businesses to increase transport availability across both regions. Mid Murray Support Service (MMSS) is a local community organisation that is committed to ensure that the needs and appeal of community are considered in this tender process.

YOUR SURVEY PARTICIPATION AND SUPPORT WILL ASSIST US IN KEEPING TRANSPORT WITHIN OUR REGIONS – ‘BY OUR COMMUNITY FOR OUR COMMUNITY’.

Name:		Your Town:	
Question 1	How Important is it to you to have a Local community Transport Service? <i>(please circle)</i> Not Important Neutral Important Very Important Critical		
Question 2	Do you know who currently delivers your Community Passenger Network Service? <i>(please circle)</i> YES NO If YES – please note who it is?		
Question 3	Would you prefer a local Service Provider from the Mid Murray or Murray Bridge regions, or an out of region service provider, to take over the Community Passenger Network Service? <i>(please Circle)</i> Local Mid Murray or Murray Bridge region service Provider? Why? _____ Out of region service Provider? Why? _____		
Question 4	Do you think that a local Mid Murray or Murray Bridge Service Provider would better understand community needs and deliver a better service? <i>(please circle)</i> YES NO Why? _____		
Question 5	If you have been assessed by My Aged Care (for transport), or Home and Community Care, would you use this transport (CPN) service? <i>(please circle)</i> YES NO		
Question 6	What difficulties do you have with transport in your area? Please explain: (e.g. none available, too expensive, I don't fit the criteria etc.)		
Question 7	Would you be willing to use Mid Murray Support Service for your Transport Needs? <i>(please circle)</i> YES NO		
Other Comments:			

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FEEDBACK

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