

# MEMBERSHIP PROSPECTUS



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# ABOUT

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Keep Australia Beautiful NSW (KAB NSW) is the state's premier organisation for litter reduction, waste minimisation and environmental sustainability. Linking community groups, government and industry for a cleaner, more beautiful New South Wales.

# WHY JOIN?

Join over a third of NSW local governments in working with and supporting the work of KAB NSW in creating a state-wide community of sustainability professionals and citizens striving to conserve our natural environment and resources.

In the spirit of reconciliation, Keep Australia Beautiful NSW acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of country throughout Australia and their connections to land, sea and community. We pay our respect to their elders past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples today.

Image credit: Sarah Redfern Public School smoking ceremony

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#### MESSAGE FROM THE CEO



I would like to thank and recognise our current members for their continued support and commitment to Keep Australia Beautiful NSW.

We partner with councils that share and help us work towards our goal - a more sustainable, less littered NSW. The support from our members is essential in continuing our work in education, collaboration and celebration of successful behaviour change and environmental programs.

With a record of successful community engagement since 1975, our programs

and education have been committed to inspire individuals, students, businesses and community groups to actively care for their local environment.

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to join our membership base in leading behaviour change through education and community engagement into the future.

#### Val Southam

CEO Keep Australia Beautiful NSW

#### MESSAGE FROM OUR JOINT PATRONS



For 47 years, Keep Australia Beautiful NSW has been bringing together community, council, and business groups with the aim of enhancing the beauty and sustainability of the places where we live, work, and play.

Their iconic education, community action, and recognition programs reflect and promote values of community pride, collaboration, and environmental responsibility so essential to our social and economic wellbeing.

As proud Patrons, we thank Keep Australia Beautiful NSW, partner councils, schools, and community groups for these vital efforts, and encourage all in New South Wales to contribute to their shared vision of a cleaner, greener, and more beautiful future.

Her Excellency the Honourable Margaret Beazley AC KC, Governor of New South Wales, and Mr Dennis Wilson

## **MEMBER BENEFITS**

In our mission to work collaboratively with councils and community groups across the state, KAB NSW Membership offers:

#### **BRANDING BENEFITS**

- Display your logo on our Membership page
- Use of KAB NSW logo and member tiles on your website, and email signature
- Use of Keep Australia Beautiful "Do The Right Thing" logo
- Keep updated with relevant NSW Environmental News and share your community news in KAB NSW's Quarterly newsletter - The Beaut'
- Share your good news stories via KAB NSW's social pages @kab\_nsw
- Share your newsworthy articles, profile, case studies, important links etc via KAB NSW's website

#### **EDUCATION SERVICES**

Team up with us to provide education services in your area.

- Discount on EnviroMentors services
- Discount on tailored education programs, including adult community workshops or webinars, preschool, out of school hours and holiday care programs

#### SERVICES

Designed specifically for LGAs, the Local Government Litter Audit (LGLA) provides detailed litter data, littered brand data, audit and site clean-ups to enable individual LGAs to make more informed decisions about litter management in their communities.

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### MEMBER TILES

#### **EVENTS**

Celebrate sustainable achievements, network and learn with us.

- Member discount on an unlimited number of council attendees to our Sustainability Awards:
  - Tidy Cities Awards event
  - Tidy Towns Awards weekend
- Member discount on tickets to Litter Congress for an unlimited number of council attendees,
- A complimentary copy of the annual Litter Congress Green Paper
- Top pre-sale opportunity of tickets for the Annual Premier's Dinner fundraising event





## **MEMBERSHIP FEES**

To become a member with Keep Australia Beautiful NSW, please refer to our membership fees outlined below:

	COUNCILS	POPULATION	FEE
	Small Councils	Less than 10,000	\$752 + GST
	Medium Councils	10,000 - 100,000	\$1021 + GST
	Large Councils	Over 100,000	\$1182 + GST

Our events and offerings are subject to change - please refer to our T&C's: <a href="https://www.kabnsw.org.au/terms-and-conditions-membership/">https://www.kabnsw.org.au/terms-and-conditions-membership/</a>

#### **ENQUIRE TODAY**

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#### **ENVIROMENTORS®**

With eight modules and two audit modules to choose from, the program offers schools and community groups interactive workshops covering themes of sustainability, litter reduction, waste management and resource conservation.

Delivered by our team of expert educators, we work closely with local councils to prepare local examples of sustainability, catchment and waste services, building a greater awareness in students, schools and the wider community of the many ways they can utilise council services and protect their local and global environment.

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#### **OUR EDUCATION PACKAGE INCLUDES:**

- All administration including recruitment, communication and scheduling of schools
- Workshop delivery by our expert educators
- Education resources for teachers
- Inclusion of council specific information
- A report at the conclusion of the booking

Our EnviroMentors® program reaches over 36,000 students from over 250 schools in 32 LGAs annually.

Since the program started in 1994, it has reached over 771,000 students!



#### TIDY TOWNS SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS

Since 1981 Tidy Towns has been celebrating grassroots environmental progress by bringing together councils, organisations, community groups and schools committed to creating a more sustainable future. Being crowned the NSW Tidy Town is a much sought-after badge of honour, bringing with it a stronger sense of community spirit and National recognition from towns and peers alike.

Tidy Towns provides a space for shared learnings, collaboration, and feedback, so that we can inform and inspire future sustainability initiatives of the highest calibre. The 2023 program has been updated to reflect the most pressing environmental and social issues facing rural and regional NSW today.

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#### TIDY CITIES SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS

NSW metropolitan cities and regional towns face different environmental challenges, and our Tidy Cities events have been recognising metropolitan achievements by councils, businesses, community groups, and volunteers since 1994.

The 2023 Tidy Cities program has been updated to reflect the growing challenges of providing equitable opportunities for us to adopt environmentally sustainable and healthy lifestyles within our metropolitan areas. The Tidy Cities 2023 entrants will showcase vision for a sustainable future, and you will gain valuable insights into how you can apply learnings to your own community.

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#### LITTER CONGRESS

With an emphasis on research-based methods of enquiry and input from a range of sectors, the Litter Congress is an opportunity for individuals and groups involved in litter management, prevention and reduction to learn, share projects and tackle littering and behaviour change together. There is also opportunity for participants to network with their counterparts from across the state, industry representatives and the EPA NSW litter team.

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ECO-SCHOOLS

Eco-Schools, the largest global sustainable schools program, starts in the classroom and expands to the community by engaging the next generation in action-based learning.

It is a curriculum-linked, democratic and participatory program that provides an excellent opportunity for students to experience active citizenship in their schools. Both schools and the wider community benefit from this program, but we know teachers need a helping hand getting whole school programs off the ground, so the EnviroMentors are here to help!

Using the combined efforts of school visits and guidance by our Educators, we aim to set schools up for long-term sustainability projects! LEARN MORE



# WITH THANKS TO OUR 22/23 MEMBER COUNCILS

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The positive changes we see in our community would not be possible without the many Member Councils who support the work of Keep Australia Beautiful NSW.

**Albury City Council Bathurst Regional Council Bayside Council Berrigan Shire Council Blacktown City Council Bogan Shire Council Broken Hill City Council Byron Bay Shire Council Camden Council Canterbury-Bankstown Council Central Coast Council Cessnock City Council City of Canada Bay Council City of Ryde City of Sydney Council Cowra Shire Council Cumberland City Council Dungog Shire Council** 

**Eurobodalla Shire Council Fairfield City Council Forbes Shire Council Griffith City Council Gwvdir Shire Council Hornsby Shire Council Inverell Shire Council Kyogle Council** Lockhart Shire Council MidCoast Council **Murrumbidgee Council Muswellbrook Shire Council** Narrabri Shire Council **North Sydney Council** Northern Beaches Council **Orange City Council Penrith City Councl Port Stephens Council** 

Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council Randwick City Council Singleton Council Snowy Monaro Regional Council Sutherland Shire Council Tenterfield Shire Council Upper Hunter Shire Council Wagga Wagga City Council Willoughby City Council Wingecarribee Shire Council Wollondilly Shire Council



Many thanks for taking the time to read our Membership Prospectus. Please feel free to contact us if you have any further questions or would like to discuss your membership.

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