

Social Construction of Fuels in the Interface

Reflections from the End User

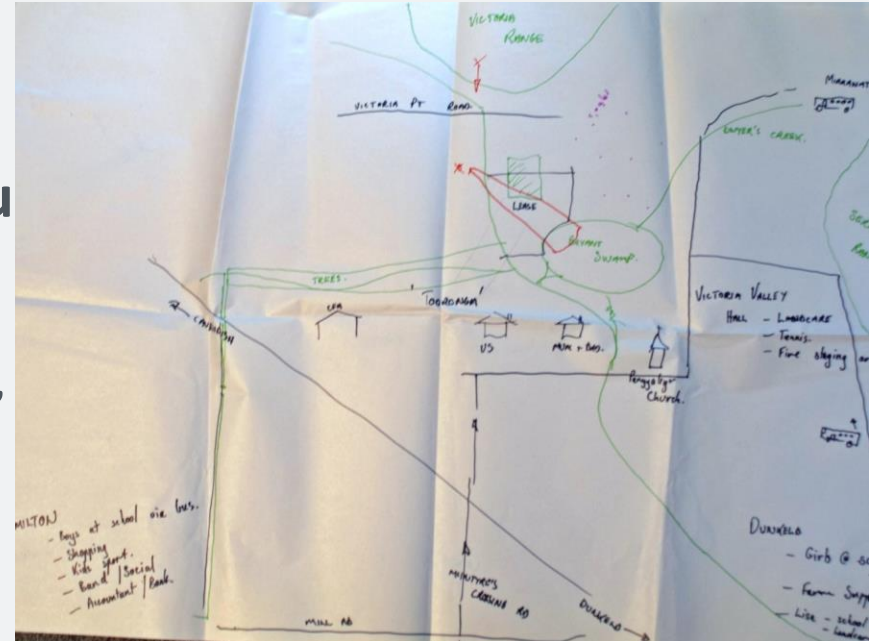
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Project Outcomes:

1. Understanding conflicting values

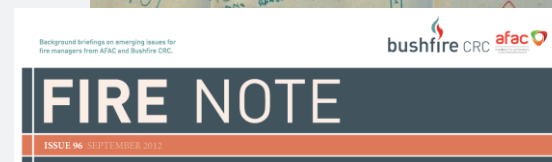
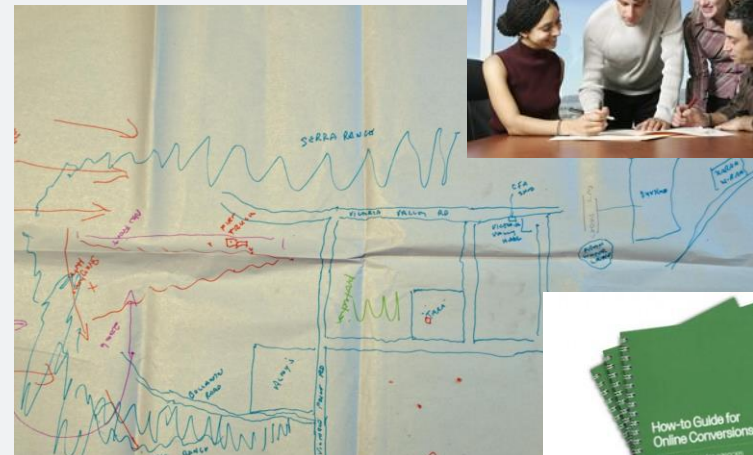
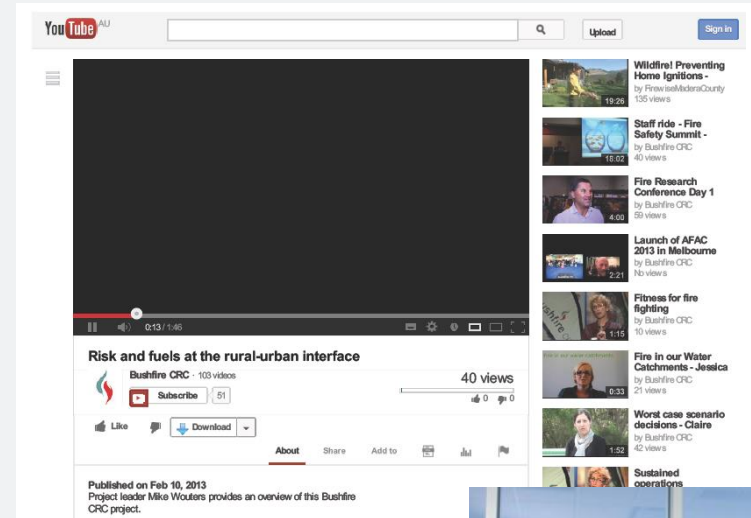
- Home & Landscape
- Natural value & Bushfire risk
- what conflicting views are 'held' by community members



2. Spatial understanding of values

3. 'Mudmap' approach to enhancing interviews & focus groups

1. Literature review
2. FireNote
3. Final report & papers
4. Training & experience for Agency staff & community involved
5. 'How to' Guide
 - a) Video
 - b) Interview guide
 - c) Training assistance & materials



- 1. Visualisation ‘tool’ for Community Engagement, Interviews and other activities**
-> need to move from ‘ pilot ‘ project into a larger scale project
- 2. Additional approach to use in understanding social value of landscape and bushfire risk**
-> incorporate into CE programs
-> further research
- 3. Research to link theory of ‘place’, perceptions of ecological & landscape values and bushfire risk**
-> need to explore how to use this knowledge in communications, engagement & planning

1. I consider this a 'toe in the water' project ...

Novel approach for some Fire & LM Agencies and Limited expected (deliverable) outcomes

2. The single biggest benefit was being part of the project

Exposure to social science, experience & insights gained in interviews & opportunity to work with researchers from outside our 'normal world'

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