

Local communities, local solutions

an Australian perspective on problem
gambling prevention in local
government

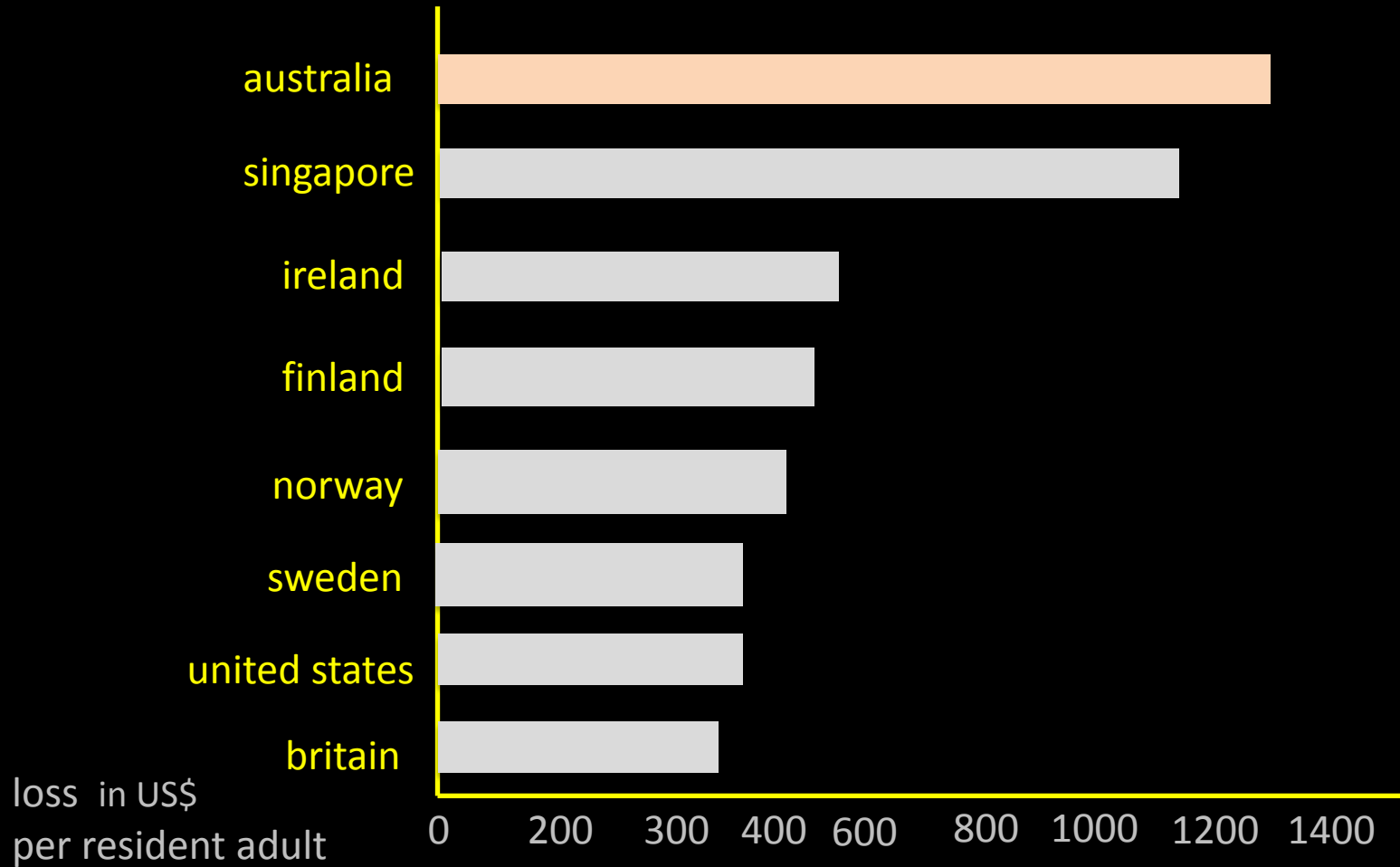


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part of our culture



the biggest losers: 2010



how we gamble



- \$1200 per hour (max)
- 200 000 poker machines

how we gamble



- \$12 billion per year
- 105 machines per venue (max)
- 40% revenue from problem gamblers

local impact



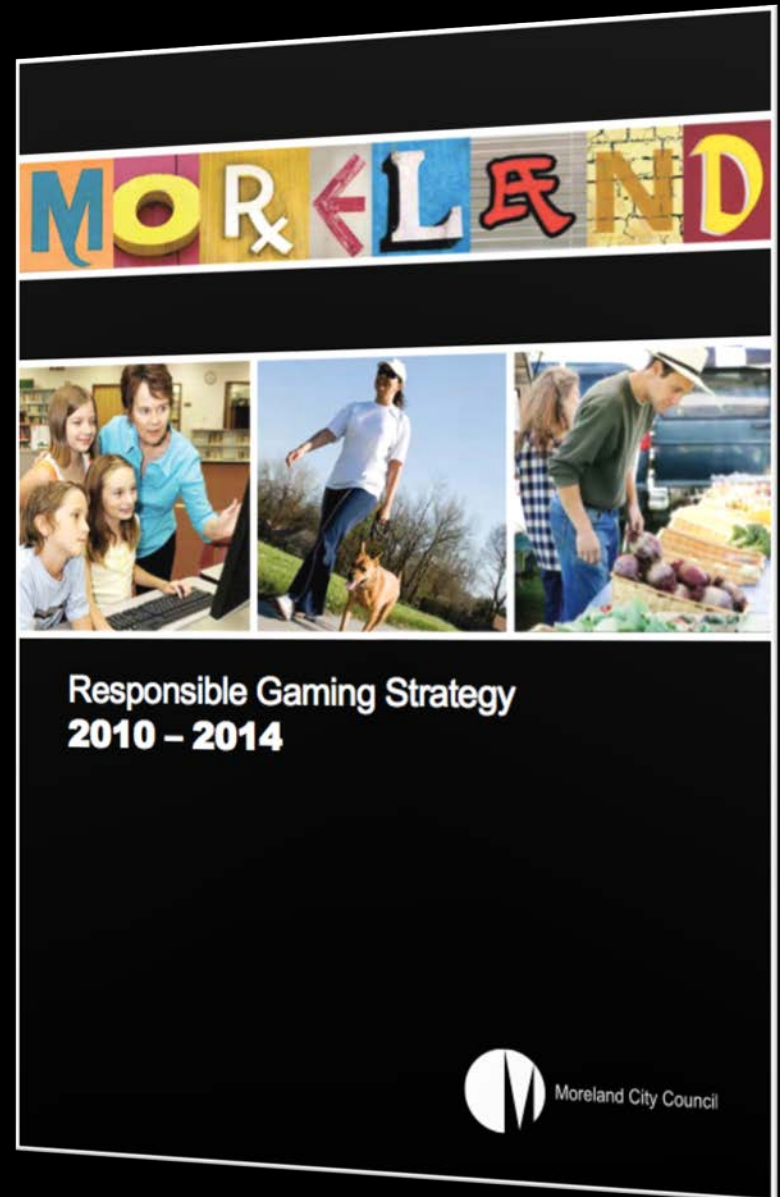
\$70 million per year

why local government?



what we do

- policy
- regulation
- social impact assessment
- advocacy
- resources
- prevention programs





more
connect

Bill's beginning



a leadership role



WANT TO WALK? (WEDNESDAY)

Come chat with Bill, our enthusiastic group leader, about going for walks. Do you want to walk for exercise? To get out? To meet new people? Bill will run groups up to three times a week depending on demand.

DATE: 25 JUL

TIME: 11.30AM - 12.30PM

COST: FREE

WALKING GROUPS

Join Bill, our walking group leader, on a ramble through the local area. You may visit a local coffee shop on the way for a rest and a chat, so bring some change!

STARTS: WEEK BEGINNING 30 JUL

Days and the number of sessions per week will be decided during the "Want to Walk?" session on 25 July.

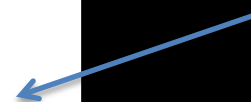
**TIME: TERM 3 – 11.30AM – 12.30PM
(Or as determined by the group)**

**COST: \$2 DONATION PER WALK
+ MONEY FOR A COFFEE AT A CAFÉ.**

connecting with community



Bill



how we do it




our results

- reduced temptation
- less depression
- less anxiety
- reduced isolation

'Life's a Gamble'



Social impacts of pokies.org.au



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3. Assessment Framework and Data Book

LOCATION FACTORS

These location factors influence the level of impact on the local community and gambling behaviour. These factors must be weighed up to assess whether a location is appropriate for EGMs.

Note: The evidence source reference (last column) refers to Section 4 – Evidence Source, specific references and citations.

Categories	Indicator	Data Source for Catchment Area	Evidence
Socio-Economic disadvantage	A. Social and Economic Index for Areas (SEIFA) from ABS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● ABS Census 2006 Data (ALL) ● ABS SEIFA 2006 (A) 	Evidence Source reference no. 4-9
	B. Income level	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Social Statistics for all LGAs, City of Greater Dandenong* (ALL) includes ABS, Centrelink Data 	
	C. Government pension or payment recipients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Centrelink data (available for purchase) (C, D, E) 	
	D. Public housing tenants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● DEEWR, Small Area Labour Market Analysis 2010 (E) 	
	E. Unemployment		
EGM density	A. EGM density per 1000 adult population (consider population growth)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● VCGR Statistics-EGMs (A, B, D) for EGM density at LGA level 	No. 10-16
	B. Total no. of EGMs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● ABS Census 2006 Population Data and population forecasts (eg Forecast.id) to calculate the density of the identified catchment area. 	
	C. Capped region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Regional EGM Caps Maps (C) - to identify if site is within capped area. 	
	D. Persons per venue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Social Statistics for all LGAs, COGD (A, B) 	

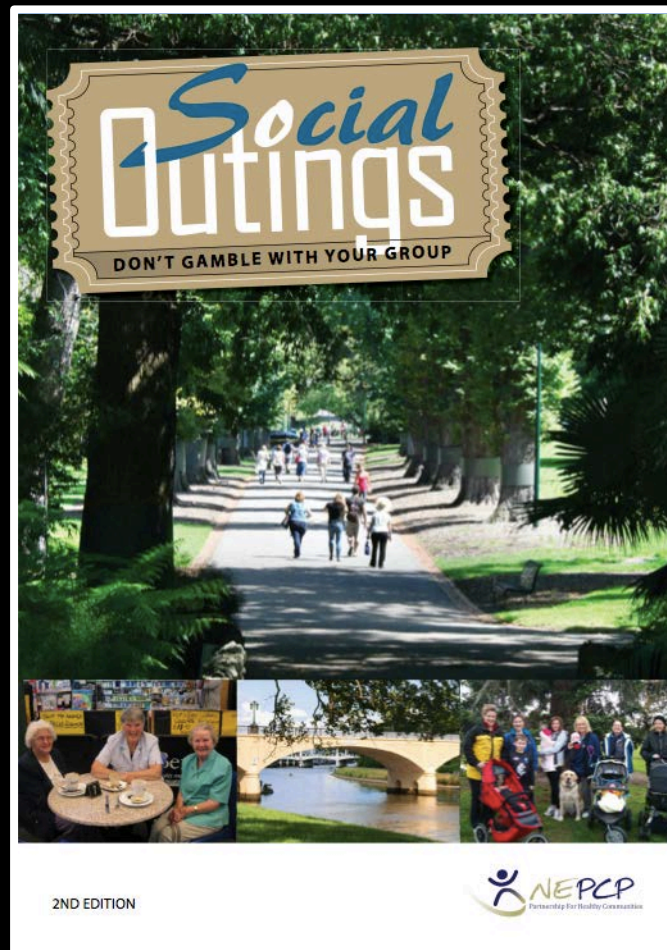





Events Calendar

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S	M	T	W	T	F	S
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1



Social Outings Guide: Don't gamble with your group!



Reclaim the Game!



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