

## **MANAGERS NETWORK**

### **Minutes 20 February 2009**

#### **ATTENDANCE:**

Donna Crawford	Wingecarribee Family Support
Lyn Williamson	Focus on New Families
Lee Rowell	Community Links Wollondilly
Silvia Tedeski	Macarthur Community Forum
Jane McIvor	Macarthur Community Forum
Mark Popoulin	Interchange Wingecarribee
Deborah Knoke	Families NSW
Stephanie Isvik	Bridges to Learning
Sue McManus	The Benevolent Society
Rosalie Atie	SJSC/UWS
Michael Darcy	SJSC/UWS
Judith Taylor	MDSI
Mark Pepping	Wingecarribee Shire Council
Linda Campbell	Camden Council
Ally Dench	Wollondilly Shire Council

#### **APOLOGIES:**

Julie Longland	Warragamba Silverdale Family Support Service
Kim McCausland	W.I.L.M.A Women's Health Centre
Anthea Jackson	Burnside
Gloria Bates	MTC Work Solutions
Kylie Richardson	Macarthur Ozanam Centre

#### **Welcome and Apologies**

#### **Brief Overview for New Members**

Jane offered a brief summation of the Terms of Reference

#### **"The Impact of Market Driven Forces (Competitive Tendering) on the Not For Profit Sector"- Update & Input**

See attachments.

In 2007 a Research Seminar was held to discuss the aspects of changes to our funding climate. Some of the data that was collected appeared to show conflicting outcomes. Today's meeting focussed on how the contradictions may have come about.

The definition of size (large vs small) was also discussed with the following conclusion:

- < \$100,000- Very small
- \$100,000 to \$500,000- Small
- \$500,000 to \$1,000,000- Medium
- > \$1,000,000- Large

There was also an understanding that a large local organisation operates differently to a large state/national/regional agency.

**NEXT MEETING:   Friday 24 April 2009 @ 9.30am**  
**Venue: Sector Connect**  
**351 Welling Drive, Mt Annan**