

BOSSI Update

BOSSI STRATEGIC PLAN 2019 – 2021+

At the May meeting BOSSI finalised and endorsed the strategic plan for the period 2019-2021+. A copy of the plan can be accessed on the BOSSI [website](#).

The Board has taken into account the feedback received in the stakeholder survey conducted earlier this year and the plan outlines our strategic challenges, goals and action agenda against the pillars of;

- Integrity of cadastre & mining
- Engagement & communication
- Growth of the profession
- Governance

The Board now turns its attention to implementing the plan and many activities in our action agenda are currently underway. We will keep you updated as we progress on these matters.

KURRI KURRI CANDIDATES WORKSHOP

On 24-25 May BOSSI hosted the annual candidates workshop at the Kurri Kurri TAFE campus. We had 44 candidate surveyors and 6 supervising surveyors attended to get a better understanding of the examination/registration process, competencies and the expectations of the Board.

Presentations were given on each of the examinations and attendees also had an opportunity to review past projects and ask questions of examiners.

Thank you to all of the examiners who participated in the workshop and a special mention and thanks also to ISNSW and the Hunter Manning Group who sponsored the Friday night Happy Hour.

New Candidate Applications

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
26	72	56	75	59	46

Certificates of Competency Issued

	2019			2018			2017			2016			2015			2014		
	April	Nov	Total	April	Nov	Total	April	Nov	Total	April	Nov	Total	April	Nov	Total	April	Nov	Total
Land	18			8	9	17	9	10	19	11	12	23	9	8	17	8	6	13
Mining	2			0	4	4	2	5	7	2	0	2	2	4	6	3	1	4

UPDATES TO THE BOSSI WEBSITE

The Board is reviewing all content on the BOSSI website and will be regularly updating information.

The Find a registered surveyor page has been updated. In consultation with the Surveying & Spatial Sciences Institute (SSSI) the [website](#) now includes references & links to certified Engineering (ESP-AP) and Hydrographic Surveyors (AHSCP) to help inform the public about other types of certified survey professionals.

The information on the Types of Surveying (now [Disciplines of Surveying](#)) page has also be updated to provide a more up to date and detailed explanation.

IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW ICT PLATFORMS – GOVERNMENT LICENSING SYSTEM

The BOSSI secretariat has been working with Government Technology Platforms to develop a new ICT platform for the administration of the Register of Surveyors and our records. The new system will improve customer service and allow you to update your contact details, make payments for examinations and registration renewals as well as submit other applications to BOSSI online. The roll out of the new platform is scheduled for September/October this year (after annual renewals).

WHAT IS A LAND SURVEY?

The document '[What is a land survey](#)' has been prepared by BOSSI to provide a uniform understanding across the surveying and allied professions of the definition of a land survey in response to the increased number of surveys showing property boundaries being performed by non-registered surveyors in NSW.

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