## **Natural Gas Information Sources:**

- Santos' community website specifically for the Narrabri Gas Project has been designed to
  provide easy access to information on the NGP and our plans. Visitors to the site can email
  questions through (after registering), which will then be answered on the site. The website
  address is <a href="https://www.narrabrigasproject.com.au">www.narrabrigasproject.com.au</a>
- The NSW Government released their Gas Plan in November 2014. The aim of the plan is to set a clear, strategic framework to deliver world's best practice standards and regulation for the Coal Seam Gas industry, while securing vital gas supplies for the State. Further information is available from: <a href="http://www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/energy-supply-industry/legislation-and-policy/nsw-gas-plan">http://www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/energy-supply-industry/legislation-and-policy/nsw-gas-plan</a>
- The Final Report of the Independent Review of Coal Seam Gas Activities in NSW undertaken by the Chief Scientist was released on 30 September 2015. This report can be found at <a href="http://www.chiefscientist.nsw.gov.au/reports">http://www.chiefscientist.nsw.gov.au/reports</a>. Santos' response to the report is available at <a href="http://www.santos.com/Archive/NewsDetail.aspx?p=121&id=1458">http://www.santos.com/Archive/NewsDetail.aspx?p=121&id=1458</a>
- The NSW Division of Resources and Energy has an information link on their website called Common Ground which provides information about current exploration and mining activity across NSW and explanations of mining and production titles <a href="http://www.commonground.nsw.gov.au/">http://www.commonground.nsw.gov.au/</a>
- The NSW Division of Resources and Energy has developed a number of fact sheets that
  answer common questions asked in relation to coal seam gas and these are available from
  their website at <a href="http://www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/landholders-and-community/coal-seam-gas/the-facts/faqs">http://www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/landholders-and-community/coal-seam-gas/the-facts/faqs</a>
- The NSW Division of Resources and Energy has a public, online archive that provides access
  to non-confidential reports associated with coal and petroleum licences. The database
   <u>DIGS®</u> (Digital Imaging Geological Systems) is available at
   <a href="http://digsopen.minerals.nsw.gov.au/">http://digsopen.minerals.nsw.gov.au/</a>
- CSIRO is undertaking research to better understand the opportunities and risks of unconventional gas as a new energy source with information available from <a href="http://www.csiro.au/Outcomes/Energy/Energy-from-oil-and-gas/UnconventionalGas.aspx">http://www.csiro.au/Outcomes/Energy/Energy-from-oil-and-gas/UnconventionalGas.aspx</a>
- The NSW Division of Resources and Energy publishes a map entitled *Petroleum Titles in New South Wales* that is available from their website at
   <a href="http://www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/landholders-and-community/coal-seam-gas/facts-maps-links/petroleum-titles-in-new-south-wales">http://www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/landholders-and-community/coal-seam-gas/facts-maps-links/petroleum-titles-in-new-south-wales</a>
- DPI Water is responsible for overall management and control of surface and groundwater in NSW. Their website has information on the Water Monitoring Framework, the NSW Aquifer Interference Policy and a range of fact sheets specifically in relation to how CSG is regulated in relation to water. This information is available from <a href="http://www.water.nsw.gov.au/Water-management/Groundwater/Water-and-coal-seam-gas">http://www.water.nsw.gov.au/Water-management/Groundwater/Water-and-coal-seam-gas</a>
- As part of the NSW Gas Plan, the NSW Government requested IPART to recommend benchmark compensation rates for landholders in NSW hosting coal seam gas developments. A copy of the final report and fact sheet is available from: <a href="http://www.ipart.nsw.gov.au/Home/Industries/Gas/Reviews/Landholder\_compensation/Landholder\_compensation for gas exploration and production">http://www.ipart.nsw.gov.au/Home/Industries/Gas/Reviews/Landholder\_compensation/Landholder\_compensation for gas exploration and production</a>

- The GasFields Commission Queensland is an independent statutory body formed to manage and improve sustainable coexistence among rural landholders, regional communities and the onshore gas industry. A number of reports and publications are available from their website at <a href="http://www.gfcq.org.au/gasfields">http://www.gfcq.org.au/gasfields</a>
- The Energy Resource Information Centre website provides a source of information about natural gas exploration and development. Funded by the Industry, the Energy Resource Information Centre promotes the natural gas industry and provides a fact based, evidence led source of information about natural gas exploration and development. <a href="http://www.energyresourceinformationcentre.org.au/">http://www.energyresourceinformationcentre.org.au/</a>