



How do I? Guidelines for using Blue Mountains “Have your say!”

You can use this interactive website to comment on the Draft *Community Gardens Policy* and Draft *Guidelines for Establishing a Community Garden on Council owned or managed land*.

This website is independent of Council.

A Discussion Paper and detailed Fact sheets are on public exhibition and can be downloaded from the ‘Library’ on the right-hand side of the Have Your Say web page.

You can browse the information or ‘Sign-Up’ to provide comments on any aspect of the proposed Community Gardens Policy and Guidelines via the ‘Forum’ section of the webpage.

Please note that comments made through this website are anonymous and as such cannot be considered as a formal public submission on the Draft Plans. However, a summary of all comments made through this website will be provided to Councillors along with public submissions. These will be considered when finalising the Plans.

Formal submissions on the proposed Special Variation are welcome and should be marked “Community Gardens Submission”. Submissions can be:

- Posted to Blue Mountains City Council, Locked Bag 1005, Katoomba NSW 2780;
- Hand delivered to Katoomba or Springwood Council office
- E-mailed to yoursaycommunitygardens@bmcc.nsw.gov.au

You can download a submission form from the ‘Library’ on the right-hand side of the Have Your Say webpage or click on ‘Submissions’ above the Forum comments.

Submissions must be received by 5pm on **Monday 14 March 2011**.

The Draft Plans are on public exhibition from 17 January 2011 to 28 February 2011 and can be viewed at www.bluemountainshaveyoursay.com.au/communitygardens.

For more information on these Draft Plans or how to make a public submission please contact Virginia Field on 4780 5000 or e-mail council@bmcc.nsw.gov.au.