

Cam Opie

Senior Consultant
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ROLE

Senior Consultant

PERIOD

2010 – present

COMPANY

SGL Consulting Group

QUALIFICATIONS

Bachelor of Science (Statistics and Computing), Grad Dip Computing Science, Grad Dip Recreation Planning

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OVERVIEW

Cam has over 30 years experience in state and local government leadership, strategic planning and evaluation, community development leisure and cultural development.

After 4 years with the Department of Youth Sport and Recreation in Victoria from 1977, and 5 years as Manager Community and Recreation Services in a Victorian Council, he moved back to Adelaide. Since returning he has worked in senior management and strategic roles in four Adelaide Councils.

He has lead the State Professional body for local government community development and management for 5 years.

Cam believes effective and inspirational leadership, collaborative approaches and a strong planned measured and evaluated approach is essential for sustainable community outcomes, in increasingly competitive environments.

He has a strong background and skills in leadership, strategic planning and management, negotiation and collaborative approaches, project management, community development, community engagement and governance in local government.

He resigned his role in 2010 as Director Community and Information Services at the City of Mitcham to take up a position with SGL.

RECENT PROJECTS

- Evaluated Community and Recreation Leadership programs at City of Playford
- Reviewed and Updated the Strategic Buildings Strategy – Community Assets for City of Unley
- Consulted and prepared a Social Needs Study for Gilles Plains and Windsor Gardens
- Developed an Active Ageing Strategy for LGA SA
- Investigation, consultation and development of Mitcham Cultural Village
- Directed the development and implementation of the City of Mitcham Mountain Bike Strategy
- Facilitated as Chairman formation and development of Local Government Community Managers Group (S.A.)
- Facilitated development of Inner Southern Social Planning Alliance Regional Study (SA)
- Directed and collaborated in City of Mitcham Social Needs Assessment and Community Focal Points Assessment
- Co facilitated North West Adelaide Strategic Plan Social Strategy
- Facilitated Neighbourhood Strategy City of Charles Sturt
- Management Review, restructure and sale of Acacia Court Aged Care Complex – City of Charles Sturt (SA)