



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **GLOUCESTER COMMUNITY AWARENESS AND CONCERN GROWING OVER CSG**

Over 90 people attended Groundswell Gloucester's presentation and documentary film "Fractured Country" narrated by Jack Thompson, last Wednesday evening. Judging by the turnout from Gloucester residents, there is growing interest in the concerns of many people regarding the issues surrounding the coal seam gas industry.

After the presentation and film there was a Q & A session with a panel made up of the Executive Committee of Groundswell Gloucester who were instrumental in putting together the document, "Exposing the Risks: Fundamental Flaws in AGL's application to frack CSG Wells in Gloucester". The document can be found on Groundswell Gloucester's website: [www.groundswellgloucester.com/info.html](http://www.groundswellgloucester.com/info.html)

Meetings with Groundswell Gloucester are being held with the State Minister for Planning, Hon. Pru Goward and Federal Environment Minister, Hon. Greg Hunt in the next two weeks.

A separate presentation regarding AGL's Gloucester CSG proposal will be made in NSW Parliament next week.

Federal Senator Lee Rhiannon spent today with community groups for a range of briefings.

We will continue to expose the lack of truth and integrity of the CSG industry and Government process that are enabling the destructive industrialisation of the Gloucester Valley.

#### **Further information:**

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