

Northern Rivers Guardians Contact: Researcher seeking interview participants

Hi,

My name is Sarah de Vries. I am a research student at university of Queensland. I am looking for people who would be willing to participate in my research in relation to Coal Seam Gas in Northern Rivers particularly the lead up to the 2014/2015 buy-back from state government.

I am passionate about community-led democracy and I am interested in the CSG experience for this reason. I am also interested about the role that local governments played and how that was networked with community action. I can email a short project description if you are interested in more information about the focus of my research.

I am going to be staying in Lismore from the 2nd to 5th of October, and I am looking for people who would be willing and available for me to interview them during this time. Interviews are fairly unstructured, conversational style, about 30 – 60 minutes and I would try to come to you as much as possible.

At this stage I am in Kyogle Thursday morning 4th Oct and Lismore Friday morning 5th Oct. Other than that I am flexible to move around the region while I am there and look forward to hearing from people.

Please forward this message on to people you feel might be interested and feel free to get in touch with any questions or comments.

Kind regards
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