

Link: [Community Day Planning Checklist](#)

Tentpole events

Idea is that there will be key 'tentpole' components of the Community Day, under which activities will be organised:

- OSGeo-style code sprint (covering any OS GIS project?)
- Mapping parties/mapathons/OSM-related activities

What sort of projects do we want?

- Open data
 - OpenStreetMap Mapping Parties
 - Missing Maps
 - Local Events
 - Indigenous (re)mapping
 - Government data
 - Other geospatial opendata projects
 - OpenAerialMap
 - Mapillary/OpenStreetCam
 - GPS data? Strava-like stuff?
 - OpenHistoricMap
- Open source
 - OSGeo umbrella projects
 - Individual software projects
 - QGIS
 - ...

Who should we promote the call for projects with?

- OSM Mailing Lists in Australia, NZ, Humanitarian OSM Team
 - talk-nz@openstreetmap.org (Done)
 - talk-au@openstreetmap.org (Done)
 - hot@openstreetmap.org (Done)
- Social Media
 - Twitter (Done)
 - Facebook (Done)
 - LinkedIn (Done)
 - Slack
 - The spatial community (Done)
 - Maptime AU (Done)
 - HOT (Done)
- OSGeo Mailing Lists (foss4g-oceania-discuss, aust-nz, pacific, & ?)

- aust-nz@lists.osgeo.org (Done)
 - pacific-islands@lists.osgeo.org (Done)
 - foss4g-oceania-discuss@lists.osgeo.org (Done)
- QGIS Mailing Lists
 - <https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/australian-qgis-user-group> (Done)
- FOSS4G SotM Oceania mailchimp list (possibly as part of a digest with other messages so we don't over-spam that list)

When should we send this out?

- See [media pipeline](#)
- Maybe after the presentation deadline has passed? Perhaps **6th September**?

How do we process proposals?

- Put up community day proposals on the website at <https://foss4g-oceania.org/attend/community-day> as they come in.
- Closer to the event (but soon!), we will work out the best way to have people register for the community day as participants, and indicate interest in particular projects.

TO DO:

- David to put existing proposals on website
 - Done (see <https://foss4g-oceania.org/attend/community-day>)
- David to draft media release
 - Doing so in this document, see below

Media text

Call for Projects - September 6th

Communications Text Start

Open geospatial projects wanted for FOSS4G SotM Oceania Community Day

FOSS4G SotM Oceania is hosting a contribution-sprint Community Day on the final day of the conference, Friday 23rd of November, in the Old Arts Building at the University of Melbourne. Participation in the Community Day will be free-of-charge and all participants will be welcome, regardless of their involvement with the large conference or not.

Projects wanted!

With less than 3 months until Community Day, we are looking for people to lead open-source and open-data geospatial events that could help open GIS projects to benefit from concentrated contribution-sprints from members of the geospatial community.

If you know of any projects that might be interested in receiving contributions, please let us know by filling out the form at <https://foss4g-oceania.org/attend/community-day/community-day-proposal>.

All projects will be publicised on our Community Day page within a few days of submission, and participants will be able to register for your project closer to the Community Day. We will keep in touch with you, as a project organiser, right up until the Community Day itself to ensure a successful outcome for your project.

Any questions?

We are looking forward to an exciting Community Day as part of FOSS4G SotM Oceania, and please do not hesitate to reach out and ask if you have any questions about how our Community Day can help an open-source or open-data geospatial project important to you.

Thanks,

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Communications Text End

Final Call for Projects - TBA

Registration open for Participants - TBA