



The most successful projects deliver more than their planned objectives.

They create lasting value through trusted relationships, informed communities and confidence in the decisions that shape them.

Cunningham Partners provides strategic consulting, stakeholder and community engagement, project coordination and delivery support for infrastructure, energy, defence and government projects.

Working alongside government agencies, contractors and project teams, we reduce stakeholder risk, build community confidence and enable successful project delivery.



Infrastructure



Energy



Defence



Mining



Government

THE CP DIFFERENCE

Successful infrastructure projects rely on more than engineering excellence. They rely on **stakeholder intelligence** that balances technical, environmental, cultural, heritage, commercial and stakeholder considerations to support informed decisions throughout the project lifecycle. Cunningham Partners transforms stakeholder engagement into actionable project intelligence, enabling project teams to **identify emerging risks, recognise opportunities** and make better-informed decisions before they influence project delivery.

By helping internal and external stakeholders understand the bigger picture, we **reduce project friction** before it affects delivery. Whether managing community expectations, supporting project governance or aligning project teams around shared objectives, our focus is on maintaining project momentum, protecting organisational reputation and creating confidence in project decisions.

Embedding isn't about being permanently on site—it's about becoming **part of the project team**. Our involvement is tailored to each project's needs, integrating with planning, governance and decision-making so project intelligence is available where and when it delivers the greatest value.



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isn't delivered
alongside projects,
it is integrated into
project teams.**
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Stakeholder Intelligence

We transform stakeholder engagement into actionable project intelligence, providing project teams with the insight needed to understand stakeholders, anticipate change and support informed decision-making.

Recognising Risk & Opportunity

We identify emerging stakeholder risks before they become project constraints while recognising opportunities that strengthen relationships, improve project outcomes, protect and build reputation, and enhance project value.

Reducing Project Friction

We align project teams and streamline communications across stakeholders and communities to reduce project friction, maintain project momentum and minimise unnecessary delays and disruption through informed engagement.

Integrated Project Delivery

We become an integrated part of the project team, contributing wherever needed—from strategic planning and governance to active on-site delivery—ensuring stakeholder considerations inform better decisions and project outcomes.

OUR CAPABILITIES



STRATEGIC ENGAGEMENT

We deliver strategic engagement solutions that build trusted relationships, understand stakeholder needs and inform decisions. From engagement planning and public participation to stakeholder intelligence, we provide the insights you need to anticipate change and support informed decision-making.



COMMUNICATIONS

We deliver clear, consistent and meaningful communications that connect communities and project teams. From project communications and community engagement to digital engagement and issues management, we foster understanding, build trust and support informed decisions across all sectors.



PROJECT ADVISORY

We provide advisory services that reduce risk and create opportunities. From stakeholder analysis and risk & opportunity assessment to facilitation and governance support, we help project teams strengthen relationships, manage complexity and make better-informed decisions before they influence project delivery.



“Connecting People to Project is more than a tagline, **its what we do.**”

OUR SERVICES



STRATEGIC PROJECT CONSULTING

Specialist strategic project consulting delivering practical solutions across government, community, infrastructure, transport, energy, defence, mining and private sectors to achieve successful project outcomes through trusted partnerships and tender support.



COMMUNITY & STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

Specialist community and stakeholder engagement supporting project teams through meaningful communication, trusted relationships, early issue identification and informed decision-making across all sectors.



PROJECT MANAGEMENT & DELIVERY SUPPORT

We integrate with project teams to provide practical delivery support. From integrated project support and construction methodology support to community and landholder relations, project coordination and consultation delivery, we ensure engagement activities are seamlessly integrated into project delivery, helping projects be delivered safely, efficiently and successfully.



FACILITATION, CONSULTATION & TRAINING

Delivering professional facilitation, consultation and engagement training through workshops, toolbox talks, induction support, visual aids and toolbox resources, ensuring project teams have the knowledge, materials and confidence to communicate effectively throughout every stage of project delivery.



PRINTING & DISTRIBUTION

Managing the design, production, printing and distribution of project communications, ensuring communities receive clear, timely and accessible information that keeps them informed, engaged and aware of project activities throughout every stage of delivery.



DRONE PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEOGRAPHY

Professional drone photography and videography capturing projects before, during and after delivery, providing aerial imagery for planning, progress reporting, stakeholder engagement and project communications.

THE CP METHOD

The CP Method uses the internationally recognised IAP2 framework as its foundation, while recognising that successful engagement depends on judgement, experience and integration with project delivery. Every community, stakeholder landscape and regulatory environment is different, so our methodology combines a consistent engagement approach with local knowledge and practical project experience.

For us, success isn't measured by the number of meetings held or submissions received—it's measured by stronger relationships, better decisions and more successful project outcomes.

IAP2 ENGAGEMENT PRINCIPLES

Applying the IAP2 Public Participation Spectrum to design appropriate and effective engagement.



CP METHODOLOGY

Embedding stakeholder engagement into the governance and delivery of successful projects.



With offices in South Australia and Western Australia, we provide clients with one trusted consulting partner capable of delivering consistently across jurisdictions while adapting to the unique expectations of each government, industry and community environment.



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