



2006



HONOURING OUR PROFESSION

The Institution of Surveyors NSW Inc and the Association of Consulting Surveyors NSW are pleased to recognise the outstanding achievements of survey and spatial information professionals by conducting The NSW Awards for Excellence in Surveying and Spatial Information.

This year another category was added to the list, that of Cadastral Surveying which proved to be immensely popular. In all 27 finalists highlight the innovation, adaptability and high standards of work that are being undertaken within the following categories:

- People & Community
- Infrastructure & Construction
- Environmental Planning
- Extra Dimension
- Land Development
- Spatial Information
- Cadastral Surveying

The winners of each of the above categories will be entered into the National APSEA Awards being held in Brisbane in November.

A further 5 entries were received for the Student Projects category to recognise the University Student Project of the Year.

We congratulate each finalist on the standard of their submission as well as their commitment to the profession and the community we serve. The best overall project has won the prestigious "Sir Thomas Mitchell Award".

The awards have also embraced the recognition of personal achievement within our profession and this year we include:

- Professional Surveyor of the Year
- Young Surveyor of the Year
- TAFE Student Surveyor of the Year

We would especially like to thank all the award sponsors and supporters for their generous support. Special thanks also go to the organising committee and judging panel.

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PEOPLE & COMMUNITY

A project contributing
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of a locality
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WINNER

Peter Sherlock - *Monteath & Powys Pty Ltd*

Nobby's Coal River Heritage Park

The recent 200th anniversary of the official establishment of Newcastle as a Government settlement was the catalyst for the greater community involvement by Monteath & Powys Pty Ltd. A community action group titled "The Coal River Working Party" was formed from the combined resources of special interest groups of heritage and history, commercial partners from industry and professions, Local Government and the University of Newcastle. The overall vision was to create an interpretative centre to express Newcastle's unique Aboriginal, convict and industrial heritage and a management plan for the entire site by the 200th anniversary of the permanent settlement at 'Coal River' 2004. The project received contributions from Local, State and Federal Governments as well as the University of Newcastle and the involved commercial companies.

