

### Assessments

BOSSI held land and mining surveying assessments during February and March. Once again there was a big number of assessments with 75 land surveying candidates undertaking 88 individual assessments and 8 mining surveying candidates undertaking 12 individual assessments.

Results from the land surveying assessments were:

	Rural	Urban	Strata	Engineering	Town Planning	Total
<b>Competent</b>	9	11	11	8	15	54
<b>Conditional</b>	1	2	3	5	4	15
<b>Not Yet Competent</b>	3	3	5	2	4	17
<b>Withdrawal</b>	0	1	0	1	0	2
<b>Total</b>	13	17	19	16	23	88

Results from the mining surveying assessments were:

	Mine Planning & Approval	Mining Engineering	Formal Mining & Plans	Legislation	Oral	Total
<b>Competent</b>	0	1	0	1	0	2
<b>Conditional</b>	0	2.5	3	0	0	5.5
<b>Not Yet Competent</b>	1	0.5	0	2	1	4.5
<b>Withdrawal</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	1	4	3	3	1	12

As a result of the assessments, 8 land surveying candidates have passed all their assessments and are now eligible to receive their Certificates of Competency. These people are:

- Peter Boorer
- Clayton Colbert
- Ian Mierau
- Liam Neal
- Anna Paterak
- Mark Thompson
- Mitchell Warwick
- Achilleas Zervos

These candidates will be presented their certificates of competency at BOSSI's Presentation Ceremony on Friday 20 April.

## **New Payment Processes**

- **Phasing out Cash, Cheque and Money Order Payments**
- **Upgraded Online Payment Facility**
- **New BPay option**

As of 1 January 2018, BOSSI is required to move to the digital world and one of the first changes will be the phasing out of accepting payments by cheque, cash or money order.

BOSSI's online payment facility will be staying and will be extended to include all payments which BOSSI collects. In addition to this a new BPay option is being implemented.

It is anticipated this new process will be in place for registration renewals in July 2018.

## **Surveyor Identification Cards**

- **Lost and damaged cards**
- **Update old cards**
- **Free replacement**

It is hoped every Registered Surveyor has an Identification Card. A lot of you probably have an old Identification Card with reference to a previous Surveyor-General. If you have lost, damaged or would like to update your card, a free replacement card can be arranged via the BOSSI Office.

When contacting the BOSSI Office for a new or replacement card you will be required to provide a current passport photo of yourself. This can be send via electronic means in a JPEG format or by the post. If sending by the post, two photos will be required. Photos must meet the standards required for the issue of a passport by the Australian Government.

The BOSSI Office will arrange for a new card to be created and this will be mailed out to you. Processing time varies but typically cards will take 1-2 weeks to be produced.

### **BOSSI Contact Details**

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