

CATEGORY 1 – COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Blacktown, NSW and Liverpool Plains, NSW

Blacktown City Council shares a strong Sister City relationship with Liverpool Plains Shire Council and 2022 saw the 4th Hangi in the Country community event – with a difference – A Christmas Hangi in the Country.

Throughout discussions and planning it was decided that the Liverpool Plains Christmas activity including the lighting of the Public Christmas Tree would combine with the established Hangi in the Country activities to bring together both communities in a very special event.

Blacktown City also has a long-term relationship with Suseong-gu in South Korea. At the same time of the Hangi event Blacktown City Council hosted two Youth Ambassadors from Suseong-gu along with two members of the international network of Suseong-gu council. The Korean group formed part of our official delegation to Liverpool Plains for this event.