

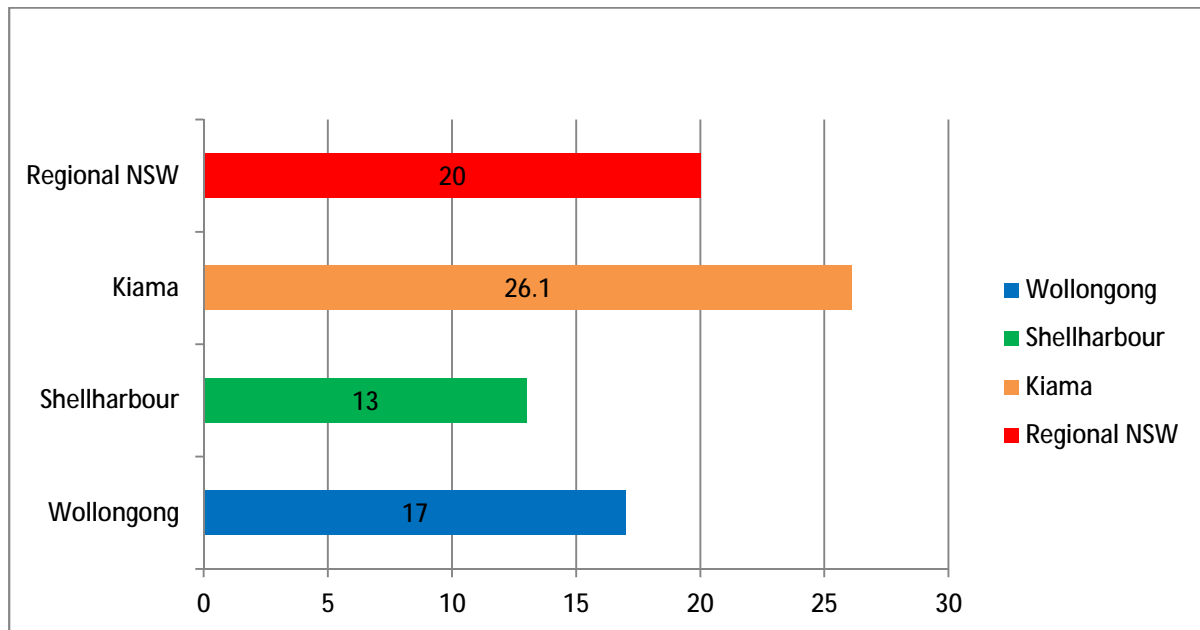


## VOLUNTEERING STATISTICS FOR AUSTRALIA - A SNAPSHOT

- The 2016 Census revealed that Australia's population is 23.4 million people.
- Of this, 3.6 million people or 19.0% of the population aged 15 years and over are engaged in voluntary work through an organisation or group.
- This is a 1.2% increase from the 2011 Census results, where 17.8% of people responded they were engaged in voluntary work.
- The rates of volunteering are highest among males aged 45-54 years at 302,612 people.
- The rates of volunteering are highest among women aged 35-44 at 399,889 people.
- Overall, the rates of volunteering are highest in the 45-54 year age group at 679,602 people.

Source : *Volunteering Australia media release*

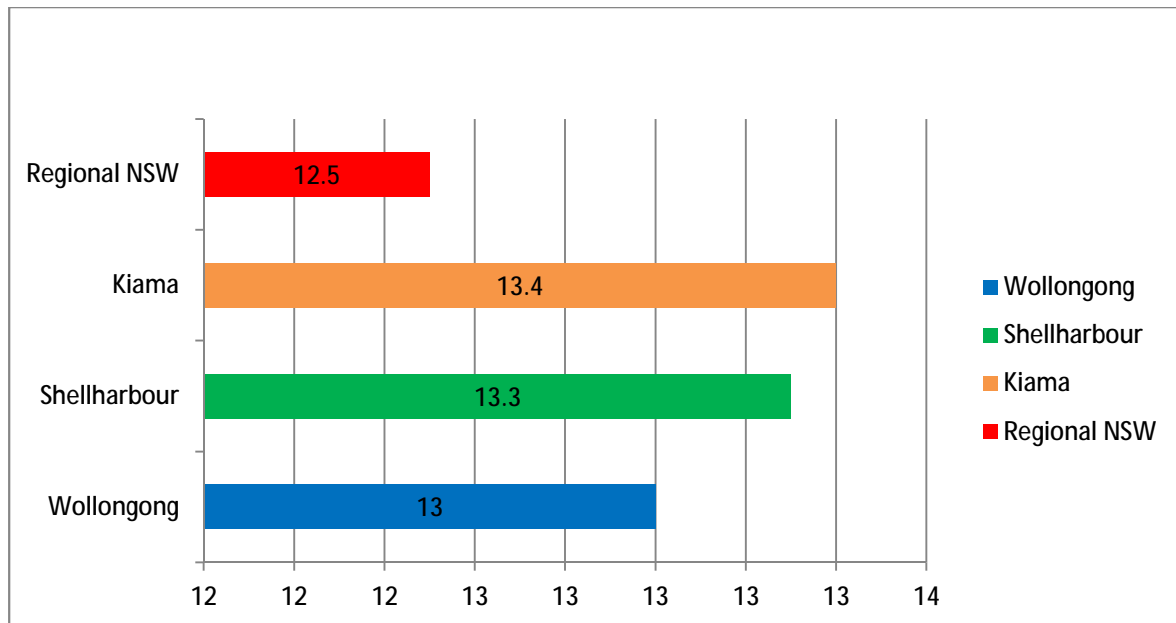
## VOLUNTARY WORK AS A PERCENTAGE



### VOLUNTARY WORK – EMERGING TRENDS

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA	EMERGING TREND
Wollongong	Increase of 1682 volunteers
Shellharbour	Increase of 329 volunteers
Kiama	Increase of 308 volunteers

### UNPAID CARE AS A PERCENTAGE



### EMERGING TRENDS – UNPAID ASSISTANCE TO A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY, LONG-TERM ILLNESS OR OLD AGE

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA	EMERGING TREND
Wollongong	Increase 2652 people
Shellharbour	Increase 1282 people
Kiama	Increase 347 people

Source : SEFA Data