



Acknowledgement of country

firesticks

Location map of Firesticks project partners
& project delivery sites



Firesticks Project delivery partners include the Willows Boorabee, Wattleridge, Tarriwa-Kurrukun, Minyumai and Ngunya Jargoona Indigenous Protected Areas; Gugin Gudduba, Ngulingah and Casino Boolangle Local Aboriginal Land Councils; the Office of Environment and Heritage; University of Technology, Sydney; the Nature Conservation Council of NSW and with valued support from the NSW Rural Fire Service.

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**What are Cultural
Values?**





physical, mental and spiritual needs of the people who are the managers. In practice this means Firesticks invests in people, in communication pathways, education and in on ground land management work to create a resilient social and ecological landscape.

Why Do We Burn?

To hand down
knowledge to the
next generations

To look after
important species
and habitats.

To fullfill a
responsibility to look
after country

To faciliate the cycle
of healthy people -
healthy country

To learn from country

To connect to
country. To be part of
it

To manage cultural
landscapes and
heritage

To protect against
wildfire

As a continuation of
culture

To connect to spirits
and ancestors

To exercise cultural
authority

To clense and heal

To strenthen
communitis

To observe what
comes back after fire

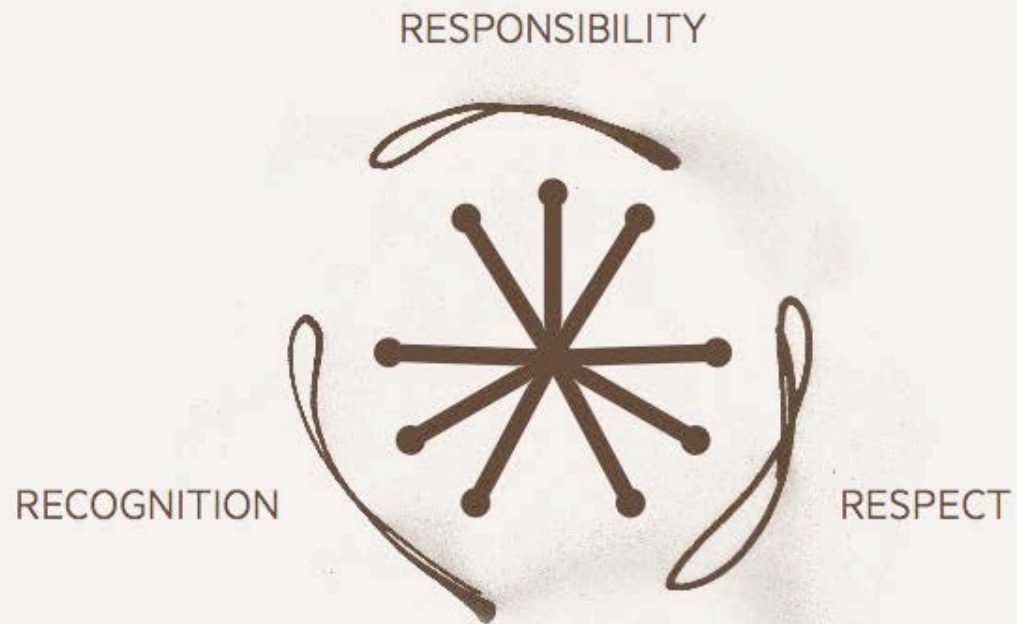
For culturally
empowering
employment and
business opportunities

To open the senses
and feel good

To engage with land
management
agencies

To access country

Why do *you* burn?



**What we can learn from
cultural burning?**



Reclaiming fire stories and
passing on knowledge




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To facilitate the cycle of healthy
people - healthy country

To full fill a responsibility to look
after country



**Building relationships and
sharing knowledge**



Thank you

Any Questions?

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