

# JOIN TasCOSS TO CHALLENGE & CHANGE TASMANIA

WHO?

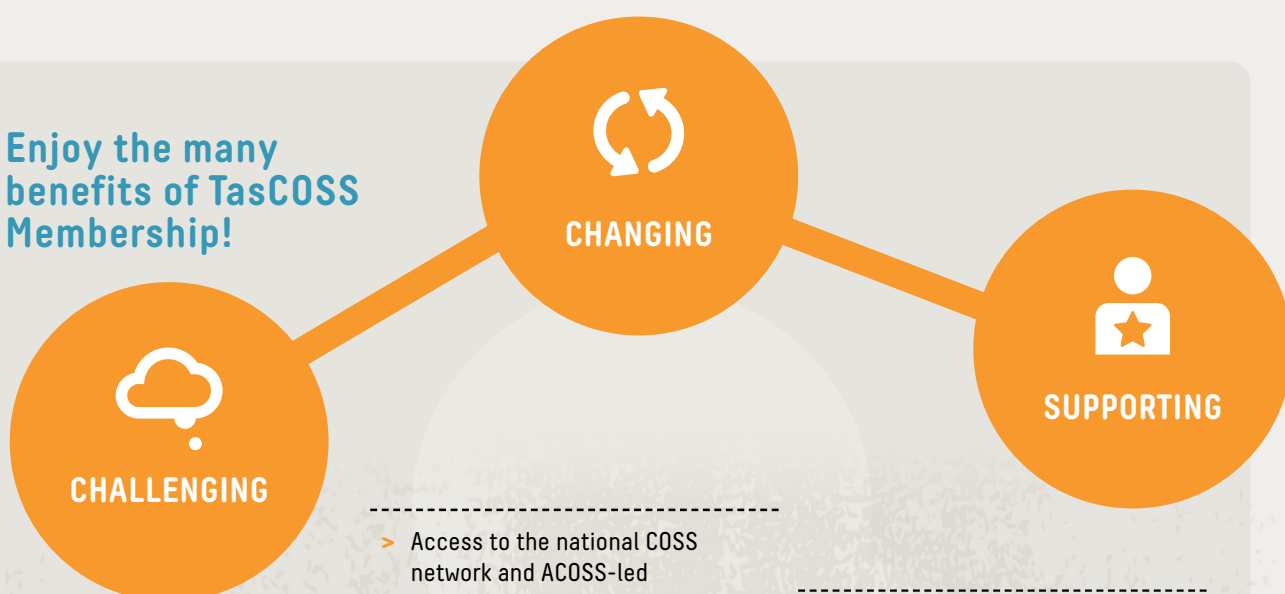
The Tasmanian Council of Social Service (TasCOSS) is the peak body for Tasmania's community services industry.

**Our Mission** is to challenge and change the systems, behaviour and attitudes that create poverty, inequality and exclusion.

**Our Vision** is of one Tasmania, free of poverty and inequality where everyone has the same opportunity.

WHAT?

Enjoy the many  
benefits of TasCOSS  
Membership!



> Advocacy kits and support for community service organisations

> Analysis of Tasmanian Government policy and budget papers

> Representation on policy working groups and campaigns

> Access to government decision-makers

> Feature in our new and improved online TasCOSS Member Directory

> Invitation to the TasCOSS AGM and eligibility to nominate and vote in the board elections

> Access to the national COSS network and ACOSS-led federal advocacy campaigns

> Opportunities to contribute to state and federal policy submissions to government

> Future-proofing the community services industry through the ten-year Industry Plan

> Invitation to join Policy Conversations and member forums to shape advocacy

> Access to exclusive member events and networking opportunities

> Discounted admission to the biennial TasCOSS Conference, workshops, training and special events

> Helpdesk support: contact us with queries about the industry, governance evaluation and more

> Free promotion of events and more in our online Member & Community Calendar and TasCOSS enews

> Tailored and timely training and workshop opportunities

> Access to hundreds of TasCOSS submissions, reports and research papers through TasCOSS's online Resources Library

> Access to TasCOSS's comprehensive How To Library and governance resources

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HOW?

It's easy  
to become  
a TasCOSS  
Member!

If you work for a TasCOSS Member organisation, you are already entitled to all the benefits of TasCOSS membership via your employer.

If you are an individual or represent an organisation that wishes to join us, please follow these simple steps:

1

**Complete and submit** the TasCOSS membership online application form: [tascoss.org.au/join](http://tascoss.org.au/join)

2

The TasCOSS Board will **review your application** at its next meeting and you will be **notified of the outcome**.

*NB: You won't be asked to pay TasCOSS Membership fees until your application is approved. TasCOSS Membership is annual, commencing 1 July each financial year. Membership fees are adjusted for those joining part way through the financial year.*

When you become a  
TasCOSS Member  
you're:

1

Supporting our state's 28,000-strong community services industry workforce

2

Adding your voice to those of leaders throughout Tasmanian communities

3

Joining together a diverse group of citizens who stand up for equality, brave leadership and our shared humanity

# INTEGRITY COMPASSION INFLUENCE

To find out more:

> **Subscribe** to the TasCOSS enews at:  
[tascoss.org.au/enews](http://tascoss.org.au/enews)

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