USING PARTICIPATORY MAPPING IN BUSHFIRE PREPARATION: H Harnessing Local Knowledge and Increasing Community Connectedness

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VOLUNTEERED GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION (VGI)
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VGI IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT
VGI & BUSHFIRE PREPARATION IN TASMANIA

Source: ABC
Source: http://brainoff.com/weblog/2010/01/14/1518
APPLYING VGI: PARTICIPATORY MAPPING
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In sharing my local knowledge to a community map I feel more involved in bushfire preparation. By mapping with my community I feel better able to prepare and respond to a potential bushfire event. Through these mapping activities, I feel more connected to my community. When I contributed my local knowledge I felt like I was helping my community reduce bushfire risk. I felt like my contributions were important.
LET'S GET CRITICAL
WAYS FORWARD

Hey, what is Citizen Science?

Um, a way to get volunteers to collect data.

Then why should I care?

It is a way to support fundamental rights for people to access methods of knowledge production.
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