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SP AusNet supports Mitchell Business Awards

SP AusNet reinforced its commitment to regional communities with the sponsorship of the 2012 Mitchell Awards on Wednesday 12 September.

Established by the Seymour, Wallan and Kilmore Chambers of Commerce, the awards help raise the profile and celebrate the excellence and achievements of regional businesses across the Mitchell Shire, located in SP AusNet's northern region.

SP AusNet's Northern Regional Manager, Paul Lane, presented a \$3000 donation to Emmanuel Tsakis, Chief Financial Officer of Berry Street.

"The Mitchell Business Awards are a great opportunity for SP AusNet to recognise the business community we work in and it also provides a wonderful opportunity for business-to-business relationships to be built and reinforced," Paul said.

"SP AusNet is proud to present a \$3000 donation to Berry Street in recognition of the great work the non-profit organisation does to provide young people with more opportunity to grow in a safe environment and seek employment opportunities," he said.

Paul was accompanied by two of his team – Dean Adams an Area Operations Office from Seymour and Rick Ambrose a Site Manager in the northern area.

Berry Street, is a non-profit community organisation was invited to the awards to raise awareness, in the Mitchell Shire, about the work the organisation does with children across Victoria.

Starting from its very early days as a humble home for babies, Berry Street has broadened its focus extensively to provide a range of programs to support children, youth and in some instances, their families to build a better life and enjoy a stronger support structure.

SP AusNet is an active sponsor of similar awards programs having previously participated in both the Cardinia Shire and Baw Baw Shire Awards programs.

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Pic: Paul Lane, Northern Regional Manager, SP AusNet (right) handing a \$3000 cheque to Emmanuel Tsakis, CFO Berry Street, at The Mitchell Business Awards.