



Troy Grant MP

Member for Dubbo

Parliamentary Secretary for Natural Resources

Welcome to the Dubbo Electorate

Welcome to the best Electorate in NSW. The Dubbo Electorate has set the scene for bush laureates to talk of Mulga Bill, it has been the home of much of the bushranger heritage that shaped our history, it helped beam vision of man first walking on the moon across the world from the Dish at Parkes and it is home to the man who builds the Queen's carriages. The Dubbo Electorate is a nursery for our nations sporting champions, it is home to the Taronga Western Plains Zoo in Dubbo, the world's leading conservationists with initiatives such as creating the world's first rhino embryo in vitro fertilisation in order to save a species that has walked our earth longer than mankind. We are home to the natural logistic road and railway hubs that can provide our state and country with the food fibre transport routes we require to live and prosper. It is a great place to live.

The Dubbo Electorate stretches from Eumungerie in the north to Canowindra in the south; and from Derriwong in the west to Wongarbon in the east covering an area of 20,081 square kilometres. Local Government areas within the Electorate are Dubbo, Forbes, Parkes and parts of Bland, Cabonne, Cowra, Lachlan and Narromine. Major towns include Bogan Gate, Condobolin, Dubbo, Forbes, Narromine, Parkes, Peak Hill, Trundle, Tullamore, Canowindra, Yeoval and Eugowra.

The Electoral Commission has advised me that you have recently enrolled to vote or have changed your electoral details. If you are new to the area, I would like to warmly welcome you. If you have enrolled for the first time, congratulations. Even though you may be on the roll, you cannot vote until you turn 18.

As your representative in the State Parliament, I regularly travel throughout the electorate and conduct interviews along the way. I also conduct interviews upon request and I'm always happy to meet to discuss any problems you might have.

There is a list of NSW Government services that may be of use to you on the back of this letter. Should you have problems in any of these areas or require help please do not hesitate to contact my office for advice.

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About the Parliament



The NSW Parliament has two Houses. The Legislative Assembly (Lower House) has 93 members representing 93 electorates.

The Legislative Council (Upper House) has 42 members. At each State Election half of those members (21) are required to stand for re-election, so the term of office for members of the Legislative Council is 8 years.

Parliament usually meets for two sittings each year, these sittings make up a session.

Elections are set for the last Saturday of March each 4 years. The next election will be in 2015.

Common matters dealt with by the Parliament include the lodging of Petitions on behalf of constituents, Questions on Notice (where MPs can ask Questions of Ministers), debate on proposed Bills (to change laws), and voting on Bills after debate (when passed the Bill becomes an Act of Parliament).

State Government Responsibilities

- Agriculture
- Community Services
- Corrective Services
- Land
- Education
- Emergency Services
- Environment
- Fair Trading
- Fisheries
- Health
- Housing
- Industrial Relations
- Local Government
- Planning
- Police
- Roads
- Transport
- Tourism
- Small Business
- State Development
- Regional Development
- Water Resources

Services

- Advice on State Government matters
- Representations to Ministers on State Government issues
- Home visits
- Interviews upon request
- State Flags for schools
- State Flags for nominated community organisations
- Entry to Question Time when Parliament sits
- Guest Speaker for community functions
- Justice of the Peace applications by interview
- State Representative Awards
- Sports Achievement and Encouragement Awards
- 50th and 60th Wedding Anniversary messages
- 90th and 100th Birthday messages
- Petitions to Parliament

About Troy Grant

- Born 11th February 1970 in Maitland
- Married to Toni and has two children
- Attended Kootingal Public, Tamworth
- Attended Oxley High, Tamworth
- Joined NSW Police Force 1988
- Reached the rank of Inspector of Police
- Received two Commissioner's Commendations for Courage.
- Initiated Adopt-A-Cop program
- Implemented IPROWD: 'Indigenous Police Recruitment Out-West Delivery Project' for which he received the Premier's Public Sector and Commissioner's Unit award
- Elected to the NSW Parliament 2011
- Parliamentary Secretary for Natural Resources

Community Numbers

Ambulance, Fire, Police	000
State Emergency Service (SES)	13 25 00
State Ombudsman	1300 302 502
Dubbo City Council	6801 4000
Narromine Shire Council	6889 9999
Parkes Shire Council	6861 2333
Forbes Shire Council	6850 2300
Cabonne Council	6392 3200

Website

The NSW Nationals
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NSW Electoral Commission
Dubbo City Council
Narromine Shire Council
Parkes Shire Council
Forbes Shire Council
Cabonne Council

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