

SAVE OUR HERITAGE

THE NSW GOVERNMENT HAS ANNOUNCED THEY WILL FASTTRACK A PROJECT TO RAISE THE HEIGHT OF WARRAGAMBA DAM BY 14 METRES, THREATENING TO INUNDATE SWATHES OF FOREST IN THE BLUE MOUNTAINS THAT HAVE REMAINED NEARLY UNTOUCHED FOR MILLENNIA.



Raising the Warragamba Dam will destroy

- 4,700ha of World Heritage listed Blue Mountains National Parks
- 65km of wilderness streams
- Hundreds of Aboriginal cultural sites
- Endangered native wildlife habitat

The 2022 NSW Flood Inquiry recommended an end to developments on the Hawkesbury-Nepean Floodplains and buybacks for those who live in the danger zones. Instead of committing to the Inquiry's common-sense recommendations, this Government has decided to back a project that will:

- Take up to 10 years to complete
- Massively expand new development in flood-risk areas
- Compromise Sydney's drinking water quality
- Put lives at risk
- Cost more over the long-term when factoring disaster relief costs

Scan the QR code to join the campaign to protect our heritage!



SCAN ME

SAVE OUR ENVIRONMENT

NSW's diverse and unique ecosystems are under threat from a changing climate and a stale government that has overseen the tripling of land clearing rates, 64 new species added to the threatened species list, and a serious underinvestment in responsible land management.

Closer to home we have seen the real impact of this neglect on one of our local gems, Coogee Beach. The NSW Government's decision to underfund their promised stormwater diversion project will result in:

- Continued stormwater pollution at Coogee
- Risk to the health of swimmers
- Damage to our marine ecology

In the fight to protect our oceans and marine ecology I am deeply committed to saving Yarra Bay from seabed dredging and the construction of a cruise ship terminal.



This Government's supposed "people over plants" approach to environmental policy disregards communities in favour of private interests. For the sake of us and our struggling ecosystems, we need a change of direction.

Join our community campaign to save our environment!



SCAN ME

OUT AND ABOUT IN THE COMMUNITY



Meeting with Doctors for the Environment Australia



NAJEX Remembrance Day



Remembering those we lost at Dolphin Point Bali Memorial



Supporting our Taxi Drivers



Visiting the Childrens Cancer Institute at UNSW



Visiting the RSPCA

Dr Marjorie O'Neill

YOUR MEMBER FOR COOGEE

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2023

MESSAGE FROM MARJORIE

Happy New Year everyone and welcome to 2023!

I hope that you have all had a restful and wonderful summer break.

I want to take this opportunity to express my deepest thanks to those who have been volunteering and working over the summer period to help keep our community safe. Thank you to all our amazing frontline workers who have continued to work over this period to protect us, as well as our fantastic surf lifesaver volunteers who have dedicated their free time to keep our beaches safe.

It is, however, that time of the year again when we trade wearing a swimsuit for putting on school clothes and getting ready to learn! Whether you are changing schools or starting a new class, going back to school is an exciting time of year.

Real learning means paying attention and staying curious. I wish all the children and families in my electorate a great year of learning, inspiration and happiness!

To stay up to date with everything, including upcoming local events such as ANZAC Day, as well as updates relating to the environment, transport and NSW Parliamentary legislation, please sign up to our digital newsletter.

Warmly,

Dr Marjorie O'Neill MP
Member for Coogee



Randwick Petersham taking on Cricket Ireland at Coogee Oval



Visiting Our Big Kitchen which has been providing food to flood affected regions of NSW



Climate Change Community Town Hall with Jihad Dib

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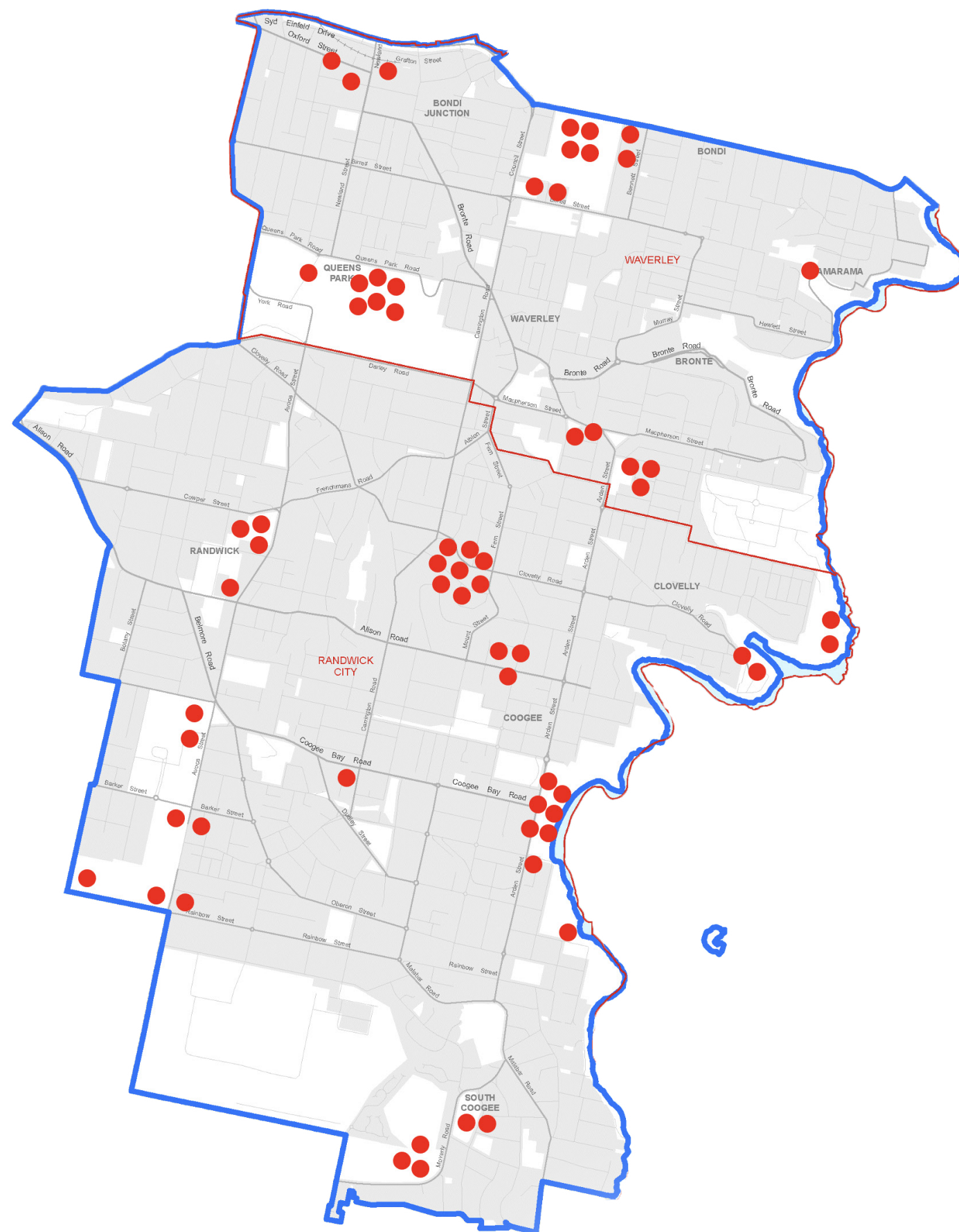


DELIVERING FOR OUR COMMUNITY

SINCE I WAS ELECTED IN 2019, I HAVE BEEN PLEASED TO SECURE GRANT FUNDING FOR SO MANY OF OUR VALUED LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUPS, SPORTING CLUBS, AND SCHOOLS.

Congratulations to the following organisations, and their hardworking members, who have received local grants to support the amazing work they do for our community!

1. **2019 | Anglican Church Property Trust Diocese of Sydney | \$20,000**
New infrastructure for pre-school
2. **2019 | Clovelly Public School P&C | \$50,000**
Upgraded basketball and netball court
3. **2019 | Coogee Croquet Club | \$5,000**
New practice court
4. **2019 | Jewish House | \$16,000**
Vehicle for the Social Services Team
5. **2019 | KARI Foundation | \$20,000**
Purchase of van including fit out of culture, health and sporting apparatus
6. **2019 | Moriah War Memorial College | \$25,000**
Outdoor Inclusive Learning Space
7. **2019 | NSW Association of Sephardim | \$35,300**
Disabled toilet and upgrade & repair of bathroom facilities
8. **2019 | Randwick City Council - Coogee Oval | \$9,500**
Upgrade to sport equipment
9. **2019 | South Coogee Bowling Club | \$15,000**
Construction of a new children's play area
10. **2019 | South Coogee Public School P&C | \$28,623**
Kitchen Garden upgrade
11. **2019 | St Vincent de Paul Society NSW | \$19,000**
Bathroom upgrade for Killara Women and Children's Refuge
12. **2019 | The Prince of Wales Hospital | \$11,500**
Creation of Cancer Survivorship Garden
13. **2019 | The Scout Association of Australia NSW Branch | \$18,000**
Coogee Scout Hall roof replacement
14. **2019 | Waverley Council - Boot Factory | \$25,000**
Boot Factory Redevelopment Project
15. **2020 | Clovelly Surf Life Saving Club | \$70,000**
Relocation of Patrol and First Aid Room
16. **2020 | Randwick City Council | \$150,000**
Coogee Oval Grandstand Refurbishment
17. **2020 | Royal Hospital for Women | \$80,000**
Improvement of patient spaces
18. **2020 | Coogee Croquet Club | \$3,000**
Recycled Water Infrastructure
19. **2020 | Eastern Suburbs Soccer Club | \$2,000**
Provision of junior leader courses
20. **2020 | Clovelly Surf Life Saving Club | \$5,000**
Racing boards for junior girls & specialised equipment for Nippers inclusion program
21. **2020 | South Coogee Bowling Club | \$15,000**
Shade structures
22. **2020 | Randwick Petersham Cricket Club | \$5,000**
Uniforms for juniors and representative teams
23. **2020 | Double Bay Diamonds Netball Club | \$5,000**
Subsidised registration fees
24. **2020 | Eastern Suburbs Soccer Club | \$5,000**
Subsidised registration and uniforms
25. **2021 | Anglican Church Property Trust Diocese of Sydney | \$80,000**
New accessible toilet
26. **2021 | Clovelly Public School P&C | \$22,594**
Installation of new bubblers
27. **2021 | Coogee Public School P&C | \$150,000**
Sports Playground Upgrade Project
28. **2021 | Anglican Church Property Trust Diocese of Sydney | \$18,000**
Sunshade and Pergola Extension for Community Church and Preschool
29. **2021 | Jewish House | \$10,450**
Construction of pergola
30. **2021 | Randwick Boy's High School P&C | \$51,527**
Digital Technology Upgrades
31. **2021 | Randwick Girl's High School P&C | \$22,742**
Community Outdoor Seating



32. **2021 | South Coogee Public School P&C | \$24,524**
Drinking and Bottle Refill Station
33. **2021 | The Scout Association of Australia NSW Branch | \$20,163**
Timber floor replacement
34. **2021 | Bondi United Inc | \$2,000**
Volunteer Training
35. **2021 | Bondi-Waverley Squash Club | \$5,000**
Solar Panel Installation
36. **2021 | Clovelly Bowling and Recreation Club | \$7,000**
Installation of protective fencing
37. **2021 | Double Bay Diamonds Netball Club | \$5,000**
Uniforms and equipment
38. **2021 | Eastern Suburbs Cricket Club (Waverley) | \$2,000**
Club e-infrastructure upgrade
39. **2021 | Eastern Suburbs Soccer Club | \$2,000**
Qualification course for coaches
40. **2021 | Eastern Suburbs Tennis Club | \$9,000**
Upkeep bathrooms & amenities
41. **2021 | Randwick and Coogee Amateur Swimming Club | \$3,000**
Purchase of timing system
42. **2021 | Randwick District Rugby Union Football Club | \$5,000**
Secure equipment storage
43. **2021 | Randwick Petersham Cricket Club | \$2,000**
New scoreboards
44. **2021 | South Coogee Bowling Club | \$2,000**
Purchase of training equipment
45. **2021 | Waverley Rugby Football and Sporting Club | \$4,000**
Facility upgrade
46. **2021 | Waverley Rugby Football and Sporting Club | \$2,000**
Mental Health Awareness Day 2021
47. **2022 | Clovelly Public School P&C | \$120,000**
Refurbishment & extension of school hall
48. **2022 | Randwick Boy's High School P&C | \$136,000**
Library refurbishment
49. **2022 | Randwick Girl's High School P&C | \$85,000**
AV system upgrade
50. **2022 | Randwick Public School P&C | \$20,000**
Resurfacing multipurpose sports field
51. **2022 | Tamarama Surf Life Saving Club | \$17,000**
Solar Power installation
52. **2022 | Abrahams Tent | \$22,000**
Project Homesickness - caring for families of hospital patients
53. **2022 | Randwick Rugby DRUFC | \$7,000**
Randwick Rugby Junior Academy
54. **2022 | Double Bay Diamonds Netball Club | \$5,000**
Training Program
55. **2022 | Randwick Bowling Club | \$4,000**
Uniform Purchase
56. **2022 | Coogee Beach Dolphins Sports Club | \$2,000**
Coogee Dolphins Junior Academy
57. **2022 | Clovelly Crocodiles Junior Rugby League Football Club | \$5,000**
Sporting Equipment
58. **2022 | Easts Football Club | \$2,000**
Skills Training Program
59. **2022 | Sydney Roosters Junior Rugby League | \$1,000**
Mini League Clinic
60. **2022 | Sydney Roosters Junior Rugby League | \$1,000**
Volunteer Education
61. **2022 | Eastern Suburbs Cricket Club | \$2,000**
Upgraded scoring equipment
62. **2022 | Randwick District Rugby Union Football Club | \$2,000**
Primary Schools 7's Coaching Assistance
63. **2022 | Easts Football Club | \$5,000**
Sport Event - Festival of Football
64. **2022 | Easts Football Club | \$3,535**
Defibrillators