



CRONULLA LIONS CLUB DROUGHT RELIEF

I congratulate the Cronulla Lions Club, which is partnering with the Lions Club of Gunnedah, on directing disaster relief such as feed and water for livestock to drought-stricken farmers who have been crippled by one of the worst droughts in recorded history. At a recent Cronulla Lions Club meeting it took only five minutes to raise \$20,000 to assist the drought-stricken farmers, which will be used to purchase one truckload of feed. Club President Shaun Cronin said that a call was made to local businesses that members knew, and within five minutes they had managed to get a commitment for \$20,000. A truck has been arranged and will be on its way to Gunnedah this week.

The club is working with the Lions Club of Gunnedah to manage and arrange for the town, on the day when the truck arrives, to hand out the feed to farmers. Donations can be made on the website cronullalions.org.au. Lions clubs fund 100 per cent of their administrative costs so 100 per cent of donations will go to the front line of this crisis to help farmers who are in need now.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark Speakman', written over a horizontal line.

Mark Speakman
MP for Cronulla
Attorney General

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