



Goulburn High School P & C has been awarded a federal grant of \$13,560 to promote STEM learning through robotics.



Flying fox action at Goulburn's new Adventure Playground. Well done council and the community for making this fantastic family facility a reality, along with Federal funding support.

Apply for a Grant

The Federal Budget has extended a number of popular Federal funding programs to support regional infrastructure, including:

- An additional \$200 million third round of funding for the Building Better Regions Fund;
- \$22.5 million for a fourth round of the Stronger Communities Programme (\$436,543 has been allocated to more than 40 Hume projects under the previous three rounds);
- Almost \$6.1 million in Roads To Recovery funding will be allocated to seven Hume councils for 2018/19.

Infrastructure investment also includes ongoing funding for the Black Spot Program, Bridges Renewal Program and the Financial Assistance Grants Program.

"I encourage councils and community groups to continue to apply for these funding programs which allow so many worthy projects to be realised," Angus Taylor said.

For further information on Commonwealth grants please visit www.grants.gov.au



Federal funding of \$84,000 will allow Goulburn Mulwaree Council to install a higher quality CCTV camera system with broader coverage in Belmore Park to increase public safety.

Ask Angus Over

I have an ongoing Village Visits program which allows me to get to all Hume communities – big and small – during the year. I try to get to as many local events as I can and would love to celebrate your success.

Please send an invite to Angus.Taylor.Mp@aph.gov.au



Record crowds at the Collector Pumpkin Festival this year. With Caroline, Michael, Damien and Olivia Hannan from Breadalbane, manning the pumpkin soup van.



Thought I was no chance against experienced apple pie eaters at the Tallong Apple Festival this year...but you've got to be in it to win it – And win it I did!



Sashing the finest at Crookwell Show

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Goulburn, Boorowa and Upper Lachlan

Jobs and businesses booming

Jobs for the young in Hume

"There's still more work to be done, but these are fantastic outcomes." Angus Taylor MP

Around Goulburn, in an area stretching south to Queanbeyan, youth unemployment has dropped 3% in a year, to sit at 7.5%.

In Hume's north, the youth jobless rate has plummeted by 5.6% in the past year, down to 7.8%.

The retail, and accommodation and food services sectors are each employing more than 11,000 people across the broader Goulburn-Queanbeyan district. The healthcare and social work sectors employ 17,400 people across the same district.

All of our policies are designed with one goal in mind - to create more and better paid jobs.

Across the country more than one million jobs have been created since the Coalition was elected in 2013 – in 2017 alone, our economy generated 1,000 jobs a day.

Locally, our policies have helped Hume to have one of the lowest levels of unemployment in Australia.

The following pages highlight some of the ways in which our local community is benefiting from a stronger economy.



Major housing development underway at Mary's Mount in Goulburn is seeing many young trade apprentices, including Sam and James Toparis, employed on the building of 2000 new homes.

470 new businesses have opened in Hume.
(2016-17 financial year)

OPEN 62 in Goulburn

OPEN 35 at Narellan

OPEN 50 in Mount Annan

OPEN 29 at Tahmoor

OPEN 39 in Camden

OPEN 18 at Bargo

OPEN 40 in Picton

OPEN 11 at Crookwell

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Infrastructure investment is driving new jobs

Billions of dollars of the Government's \$75 billion infrastructure investment is happening in Hume, particularly in the north of Hume.

The construction sector in the Goulburn-Queanbeyan district employs 12,000 people, and another 8,000 employees work in the manufacturing sector there. "This kind of job creation doesn't happen by accident. Thriving businesses create jobs and give Australians opportunity to work, to save, to get ahead," Angus Taylor MP.



Goulburn's \$40 million wastewater treatment plant upgrade has created employment for more than 150 contractors during construction. The Federal Government has invested \$10 million toward the project under the National Stronger Regions Fund.

Work underway to improve Devil's Elbow



Federal infrastructure funding is creating jobs, upgrading our roads and making our communities safer.

The Federal Government has contributed \$460,000 towards realigning Devil's Elbow between Gunning and Crookwell.

The Government has also committed \$3.25 million toward the new Lansdowne Bridge across the Mulwaree River, as part



Bridge building at Goulburn creates 12 months of construction jobs for the region

of its nationwide Bridges Renewal Program. The successful contractor to build the new bridge is expected to be employing staff for a 12-month construction phase.

Federal infrastructure support for Goulburn, Boorowa and Upper Lachlan:

- Upper Lachlan Shire Council (\$20,000) - Clifton Park amenities block
- Goulburn Mulwaree Council (\$20,000) - upgrading Victoria Park adventure playground facilities for children with disabilities
- Goulburn Mulwaree Council (\$20,000) - installation of picnic / BBQ area in Victoria Park adjoining new adventure playground

- Boorowa Hostel Inc (\$9,420) - solar panels Burrowa House
- Goulburn High School P & C Association (\$13,560) - robotics league in Goulburn
- Dalton Public Hall Reserve Trust (\$2,500) - improvement of access to hall
- Goulburn Mulwaree Athletics Inc (\$3,320) - high jump mats

Ministerial focus

In Angus' ministerial work, his focus is on ensuring Australians are safe and secure - in their homes, on the street and online.

As the Minister for Law Enforcement and Cyber Security, Angus works within the Home Affairs portfolio to lead the Government's response to an increasingly sophisticated criminal threat - encompassing cyber crime, organised criminal networks, criminal activity as it pertains to cryptocurrencies and cyber bullying.

The Federal Budget has confirmed the Government's commitment to improve safety at Australia's airports. Angus joined the Prime Minister and Minister Dutton in announcing that 190 new AFP personnel will be deployed across Australia's major airports as part of this initiative.

Angus is also the Minister responsible for Commonwealth assistance in the event of natural disasters.



"We campaigned hard for these overtaking lanes on the Lachlan Valley Way. Travel between Boorowa and Yass will be a lot safer." Angus Taylor

Mobile and internet update

In the past two years, new phone and internet services have improved connectivity for homes and businesses across Hume. The Federal Government has recently announced a further \$25 million to help communities with mobile phone solutions.

We will lobby hard for our share of this funding, but we will need to demonstrate support funding from state and local governments and strong community action, in what will be a competitive funding process.



Hume retirees worse off under Labor's retirement tax

Federal Labor will use tax grabs on retirees to fund spending if they win government. Recently, Mr Shorten announced Labor would abolish tax refunds for share dividends. This would mean if you are on a low-income or

have a small self-managed super fund, you will no longer get a refund for tax already paid on your shares.

Only the Liberals will keep tax refunds for franking credits.

Poultry plant to employ 150 locals



Woodlands Ridge on Bannister Road is looking to establish itself as a major poultry operation in the Southern Tablelands.

Owner manager Eddie Wehbe said his business was at the start of a significant growth phase.

"We will be looking to employ about 150 people at our food processing plant in Goulburn. We have a livestock division which manages 10,000 animals and currently employs small numbers of staff.

"We will be employing many tradespeople around the Goulburn area once our food processing facility is under construction."



Gunning Dalton numbers on the rise

Upper Lachlan Shire Council is forecasting the combined population of Gunning and Dalton this year will top 1,950 residents.

growing town and families are choosing to send their children to the local public school." Gunning Public School principal Danny Scott

Gunning Public School says it hasn't seen student numbers this high since the Central School shut its doors in the 1970s.

In the past three years the school has gone from under 50 kids to over 100.

"It's a combination of factors - Gunning is a



HUME COMMUNITY SURVEY

The issues

Please number the four issues that concern you most.

- ☐ Making the right economic choices to secure better days ahead
- ☐ Tackling crime and the scourge of drugs
- ☐ Securing Australia's borders
- ☐ Tackling the rising cost of living
- ☐ Securing more and better paying jobs
- ☐ Securing Medicare and the health system
- ☐ Providing a record investment in schools and education
- ☐ Building the roads and infrastructure our community needs
- ☐ Helping small business grow and prosper
- ☐ Reducing energy costs
- ☐ Supporting seniors and Aged Care
- ☐ Investing in innovation and science
- ☐ Fully funding the National Disability Insurance Scheme
- ☐ Putting downward pressure on housing costs

Our Community

If you could fix one problem in our local area, what would it be?

About politics

Please select one of the following options: (optional)

I ALWAYS support the following party

- ☐ Liberals ☐ Labor ☐ Greens
- ☐ CDP ☐ One Nation ☐ Independent/Other

OR I USUALLY support the following party

- ☐ Liberals ☐ Labor ☐ Greens
- ☐ CDP ☐ One Nation ☐ Independent/Other

OR ☐ I don't support any political party

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