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GUNDY CROWN RESERVES TRUST APPOINTMENTS

Community members have been appointed to manage the Gundy Crown Reserves Trust, located approximately 12km to the east of Scone.

Minister for Lands, Tony Kelly, today welcomed Michael Pratley as a new member of the reserve trust board.

“I also congratulate John Hutchinson, Steven Tilse, Caroline Hayes, Charles Cooke and Iain Hayes on their re-appointments,” the Minister said.

“The Government is very grateful for the efforts of trust members who help manage some of the 33,000 Crown reserves across NSW.

“Around 750 reserves are looked after by community volunteers who help care for valuable local infrastructure such as public halls, parks and reserves, swimming pools and smaller sportsgounds.

“Backed by the skills, experience and enthusiasm of trust members, the NSW Government is working hard to protect important community assets and encouraging people to use them.

“Our new trust members are eligible for the annual Lands Crown Reserve Trust Award which recognises the important work they do for the community.”

For more information about becoming a trust member go to www.lpma.nsw.gov.au/crown_land/trusts/join_a_trust.