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MANGROVE MOUNTAIN HOMELESS OR NEEDY YOUNG PERSONS TRUST

An additional community member has been appointed to the trust that manages Mangrove Mountain Homeless or Needy Young Persons Reserve Trust near Gosford.

Minister for Lands, Tony Kelly, today welcomed Ronald Barr to the trust’s broad.

“I would also like to thank outgoing board member, Nicole Scheicher, for her efforts,” 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 sportsgrounds.”

Member for Gosford, Marie Andrews, said the NSW Government is working hard to protect important community assets and encouraging people to use them, backed by the skills, experience and enthusiasm of trust members.

“Mangrove Mountain Homeless or Needy Young Persons reserve is used for various programs aimed at helping the state’s youth,” Marie Andrews said.

“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/trusts/join_a_trust