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TYNDALE FLOOD REFUGE RESERVE TRUST

Community members have today been appointed to the trust that manages Tyndale Flood Refuge Reserve near Grafton.

Minister for Lands, Tony Kelly, today welcomed Geoffrey and Warwick Lee to the trust’s board.

“I also congratulate Reginald Barnier, Bernard Makings and Basil and Keith Moran on their re-appointments,” the Minister said.

“The Tyndale Flood Refuge Reserve is used for refuge in times of flood.

“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 sportgrounds.”

Country Labor MLC for Clarence, Greg Donnelly, 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.

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

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