

Friday 10 November 2017

## **MAYOR LAXALE ELECTED NSROC VICE PRESIDENT**

City of Ryde Mayor Cllr Jerome Laxale is the new NSROC Vice President. He is the first Labor councillor to be elected to the position.

Lane Cove Mayor Pam Palmer was elected President and the co-Vice President is Cllr Scott Bennison, also of Lane Cove council. The election was held on Thursday 9 November, 2017.

Cllr Laxale said he was delighted to have been supported by fellow councillors from the region. "I look forward to working with President Pam Palmer (Lane Cove), and co-Vice President Scott Bennison (Lane Cove) to strengthen NSROC and getting the best value for ratepayers across our region."

Northern Sydney Regional Organisation of Councils (NSROC) is comprised of eight councils in the northern part of Sydney that have voluntarily come together to address regional issues, work cooperatively for the benefit of the region and advocate on agreed regional positions and priorities.

The eight member councils of Hornsby, Hunter Hill, Ku-ring-gai, Lane Cove, Mosman, North Sydney, Ryde and Willoughby work cooperatively across a range of functions with many projects and activities based on providing joint cost savings and efficiencies for the region.

Recent regional 'war on waste' collaborations of NSROC have resulted in the opening of a new state-of-the-art waste treatment facility in Goulburn, NSW and a new Northern Sydney Community Recycling Centre in Lane Cove.

For more information on NSROC go to [www.nsroc.com.au](http://www.nsroc.com.au)

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