



Greg Aplin MP
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OVER \$1.5M FOR GREATER HUME SHIRE

Member for Albury, Greg Aplin today announced over \$1.5m in funding to breathe new life into community and local sporting facilities across the Greater Hume Shire through round two of the NSW Government's Stronger Country Communities Fund.

Greater Hume Shire Council secured NSW Government funding for 10 projects, which include upgrades to sporting and community facilities and to build brand new facilities across the Shire.

"This is another great outcome for the Greater Hume community and their sporting grounds," Mr Aplin said.

"The NSW Coalition Government continues to invest in our communities and I congratulate all the successful organisations and communities that will benefit from these improvements." Mr Aplin said.

A total of \$1,596,000 will be spent on projects in Greater Hume Shire covering sporting, recreational and community facilities:

- \$60,000 for the Culcairn Swimming Pool,
- \$178,645 for the Jindera and Gerogery West Tennis Clubs,
- \$209,200 for the Walla Walla Sportsground,
- \$100,000 for the Jindera and District Swimming Pool,
- \$148,054 for the Walbundrie Recreation Ground,
- \$50,000 for the Culcairn Town Tennis Club,
- \$307,527 for the Brocklesby Recreation Reserve,
- \$55,000 for the Jindera Country Golf Club,
- \$60,770 for the Bungowannah Tennis Club Fence and Water Supply, and
- \$426,804 for upgrades to Greater Hume Council Halls.

Deputy Premier and Minister for Regional NSW John Barilaro said the roll out of the second round of projects takes Stronger Country Communities funding to \$300 million.

"I congratulate Greater Hume Shire Council and the local community and look forward to the local sports and community facility improvements that will make the region an even more attractive place to work and raise a family," Mr Barilaro said.

"The \$300 million Stronger Country Communities Fund is part of the NSW Government's \$1.6 billion Regional Growth Fund that is employing local tradies, putting local suppliers to work and providing the right environment to operate regional businesses," he said.

For more information, please visit: www.nsw.gov.au/strongercountrycommunities.

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