

## 10.4 Councillor Attendance



# Shires Association of NSW

**Annual Conference 2011**  
*Modernisation – It's our Time*

### Draft Program as of 8 April 2011

This is subject to change as speakers confirm their availability or otherwise. Starting and finishing times for each day will not change. State Parliament is not sitting at this time.

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### Grand Ballroom, Sofitel Wentworth Sydney

#### Monday 30 May 2011

- 3.00pm Registration opens
- 5.30pm President's Welcome Reception sponsored by Sydney Morning Herald
- 6.00pm President's Welcome: Cr Bruce Miller, Shires Association of NSW
- 6.05pm Sponsors address
- 7.00pm Close of evening

#### Tuesday 31 May 2011

- 8.15am Trade Exhibition opens
- 8.30am *Ballot for election of President opens*
- 8.50am Delegates seated
- 9.00am Official Opening Ceremony – procession of official party to the stage
- 9.05am National Anthem  
Welcome to Country - Mr Glen Doyle
- 9.10am Official Opening of the Conference by Premier of NSW, Hon Barry O'Farrell MP (Invited)
- 9.40am President's address: Cr Bruce Miller, Shires Association of NSW
- 10.05am Presentation of Outstanding Service Awards and Presentation of the AR Bluett Memorial Award
- 10.15am Mr Graeme Philpotts, Chief Executive, Stewart House
- 10.30am Morning Tea sponsored by Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water  
*Partners Tour leaves hotel for the Sydney Seafood School cooking class and lunch*
- 10.50am Adoption of Standing Orders  
Treasurer's report, consideration of procedural, constitutional and Association matters followed by motions
- 11.30am Hon Michael Gallacher MLC, Minister for Police and Emergency Services and Commissioner Shane Fitzsimmons, Rural Fire Service (Invited)
- 11.45am *Ballot for election of President closes*
- 12.00pm Consideration of Motions (Rural Emergency and related motions)
- 12.30pm 'Towards One Association' – Cr Bruce Miller
- 1.00pm Lunch  
*Ballot for election of Executive Committee opens*

- 1.45pm Essential Energy (to be confirmed) – an update on future of company after sale.  
*Partners Tour returns*
- 2.00pm Consideration of Motions
- 2.45pm Afternoon Tea sponsored by
- 3.00pm *Ballot for election of Executive Committee closes*  
Adam Spencer facilitates "How do we improve the image of local government?" with Russel Howcroft, Chairman and Managing Director, George Patterson Y& R, and Siimon Reynolds, Chairman and Co-founder OMG
- 4.30pm Conference Day 1 adjourns  
Happy hour
- 5.30pm Happy hour concludes
- 7.30pm Conference dinner sponsored by Essential Energy

**Wednesday 1 June 2011**

- 8.30am Trade Exhibition opens  
*Nominations for election of Vice Presidents and Treasurer opens*
- 9.00am Minister for Primary Industries, Hon Katrina Hodgkinson MP (Invited)  
*Partner tours E. G. Waterhouse National Camellia Gardens and Hazelhurst Gallery, Sutherland*
- 9.30am Hon Craig Knowles, Chairman, Murray Darling Basin
- 10.00am Hon Donald Page MP, Minister for Local Government (Invited )  
*Nomination for election of Vice Presidents and Treasurer closes.*
- 10.15am *Ballot for election of Vice Presidents opens*
- 10.30am Morning Tea sponsored by Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water
- 11.00am Hon Duncan Gay MLC, Minister for Roads (Invited)  
*Ballot for election of Vice Presidents closes*
- 11.30am Mr Mike Quigley, CEO, NBN Broadband (invited)  
*Ballot for election of Treasurer opens*
- 12.00noon Mr Bob Crawshaw, Managing Director, Maine Street Marketing, 'Role of Modernisation in Social Media'
- 12.30pm Lunch
- 1.30pm Cr Genia McCaffery, President, ALGA and Professor George Williams, 'Constitutional Recognition'
- 2.00pm Consideration of Motions  
*Ballot for election of Treasurer closes*
- 3.15pm *Partners Tour returns*
- 4.00pm Conference Closes  
Afternoon Tea

**Elite Sponsor: Essential Energy**  
[www.shiresconference.lgqa.org.au](http://www.shiresconference.lgqa.org.au)



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Strong Women Influencing Future Trends



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## diamond jubilee event program

### 2011 ALGWA Conference

Hosted by Blacktown City Council

26 - 28 May 2011



MC & Key Note Speaker

#### ROBYN MOORE

Robyn Moore is a multi skilled communicator who has been changing peoples' perception through the power of the word for over 30 years.

She has sold millions of dollars worth of products for thousands of Australian companies, entertained millions of Australians in this country's longest running radio comedy, enchanted children in animation series that are seen in over 70 countries and is considered to be one of our top speakers at national and international conferences.



Special Guest Speaker

#### LIZ ELLIS

Liz is one of Australia's most successful netballers ever. Until her retirement in 2007, she was captain of the Australian Netball Team and surpassed the record for most test matches played for Australia.

Liz's career highlights include 3 World Championships, 2 Commonwealth Games Gold Medals and 4 National Premierships, as well as being named Aust's Most Valuable Player on four occasions.

In 2009, Liz became a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) in the Australia Day Honours for "services to netball and the encouragement of women in sport, and to the community through support for a range of charitable organizations".

And not forgetting, her past role as captain of the Sydney Swifts.

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THURSDAY

Thursday 26 MAY 2011

TIME

2:00pm to 3:00pm

3:00pm to 5:00pm

VENUE

**NOVOTEL - ROOTY HILL**  
83 Railway Street, Rooty Hill

**NOVOTEL - CONCEPT ROOMS 1 & 2**  
Conference Registration

**THURSDAY CONFERENCE**

Master of Ceremonies  
**ROBYN MOORE**  
• Voice Over Artist

**"SUCCESS WOMEN'S NETWORK"**  
• Formerly Sydney Women's Network



**WORKSHOPS by Success Women's Network**

- Achieving work/life balance
- Networking
- Personal development and mindset

• Car parking facility available. Light refreshments provided

TIME

8:40pm

7:00pm to 8:30pm

VENUE

**BLACKTOWN OLYMPIC PARK  
AFL/CRICKET STADIUM**  
Eastern Road, Rooty Hill

- Coaches leave from the Novotel Reception for the Mayoral Reception
- 10 min trip

**MAYORAL RECEPTION**

- Hot & Cold Canapés and Beverages
- Coaches leave for Novotel - Rooty Hill

• Car parking available via stadium entrance

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NOTE: Unless indicated, all items are included in conference package price.  
Beverages include beer, wine & soft drinks.

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FRIDAY

Friday 27 MAY 2011

TIME

VENUE

7:30am to 8:00am

**NOVOTEL - BOOMERANG ROOM**  
23 Railway Street, Rooty Hill

**Heartmoves**

Proudly Sponsored by Emerton Leisure Centre

Heartmoves is a gentle physical activity program for those individuals getting back into exercise. A great way to start your day.

8:00am to 9:00am

**NOVOTEL - CONCEPT ROOMS 1 & 2**

**Friday Conference Registration**

\* Thursday delegates do not need to register

9:00am to 5:00pm

**FRIDAY CONFERENCE**

MC & Keynote Speaker

**ROBYN MOORE**

**"The power of the word"**



**PANEL DISCUSSION**

Strong Women Influencing Future Trends

\* Car parking facility available. Light refreshments provided

TIME

VENUE

7:30pm to 11:00pm

**NOVOTEL - CONCEPT ROOMS 1 & 2**  
23 Railway Street, Rooty Hill

**INFORMAL BUFFET DINNER**

\* Includes beverages

\* Car parking available at Venue

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SATURDAY

SATURDAY 28 MAY 2011

TIME

VENUE

7:15am

**BLACKTOWN OLYMPIC PARK  
AFL/CRICKET STADIUM**  
Eastern Road, Rookby Hill

• Coaches leave from the Novotel Reception for the Conference Breakfast  
• 10 min trip

7:30am - 8:30am  
8:30am - 10:30am

**BUFFET BREAKFAST**

**SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKERS**

**Liz Ellis**

Commentator - Network 10 & ONEHD/Netball Host



**Darriea Turley**

ALGWA National President  
"50:50 Vision - Gender Pay Equity"

11:00am

**BLACKTOWN FESTIVAL**  
Fuschcombe Road, Blacktown

**STREETS ALIVE PARADE**

TOURS  
12:45pm

**BLACKTOWN LEISURE CENTRE STANHOPE  
and DENNIS JOHNSON LIBRARY**

or

**ROUSE HILL HOUSE & FARM and THE PONDS**

then

**BLACKTOWN CITY COUNCIL ARTS CENTRE**  
Fuschcombe Road, Blacktown

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TIME

VENUE

7:00pm to 11:00pm

**NOVOTEL - WARATAH ROOM**  
83 Railway Street, Rookby Hill

**FORMAL DINNER**

3 Course Set Menu  
• This includes pre-dinner canapés, drinks and beverages

**WOMEN OF BLACKTOWN CITY**  
Special Screen Presentation

NOTE • Car parking available at Venue

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