## **ATTACHMENT A**

**AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION - ELECTION NOTICE DATED 15 APRIL 2016** 

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# LOCAL GOVERNMENT & SHIRES ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES

#### **Election of Board of Directors**

# **ELECTION NOTICE**

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009

The Federal Court of Australia has ordered a new ballot (NSD53/2016) be conducted for the following Offices:

- Vice President from a Metropolitan/Urban council
- Vice President from a Regional/Rural council
- Directors from a Metropolitan/Urban council) (5)
- Directors from a Regional/Rural council (6)

The ballot will be conducted by post. Ballot material will be posted to <u>'voting delegates'</u> of eligible Ordinary Members as defined by the rules of the Association and Members of the Board on Thursday, 9 June 2016. The ballot will close on Thursday, 30 June 2016 at 10:00 am (AEST).

Ordinary Members of the Association must provide the name and postal address of their voting delegates to the Association by 12:00 noon, Thursday, 2 June 2016. No changes to voting delegates will be accepted after this time.

Voting delegates must be a Councillor of a Council which is an Ordinary Member of the Association, or, if the NSW Aboriginal Land Council is an Ordinary Member, a member of its Board (see rule 37 of the Association's rules).

Within seven days of this Election Notice the Association will advise each Ordinary Member of the number of voting delegates that they are entitled to and issue instructions on how Ordinary Members are to provide the name and postal address of their voting delegates to the Association. Questions on voting delegates can be directed to Adam Dansie, Senior Manager – Industrial Relations on (02) 9242 4142 at the Association.

The count of the ballot will commence after the ballot closes at 10:00 am (AEST), 30 June 2016, at the Australian Electoral Commission, **Level 10, 59 Goulburn Street. Haymarket NSW 2000**.

Candidates may appoint a scrutineer to represent him/her in accordance with the rules of the Association. Appointments of scrutineers must be in writing and received by the Returning Officer **before** 10:00 am (AEST), Thursday, 30 June 2016.

The roll of voters may be inspected during normal business hours at the office of the Returning Officer from 6 June 2016.

Note: A copy of the AEC's election report can be obtained from the organisation or from me after the completion of the election.

Renee Damasena Returning Officer Telephone: (02) 9375 6361 15 April 2016

