

## **INQUIRY INTO GREYHOUND RACING IN NSW**

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**From:** Pamela Grant  
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**Subject:** Enquiry into Greyhound racing.

Dear committee,

My husband and I have been involved in greyhound racing for over 40 years, breeding our own dogs to race. We have made friends over the years, whilst racing, north and now south of Sydney. Having based ourselves in Young.

My concerns are about losing country tracks, where young and old dogs, have somewhere to race, if not up to tab standard.

Greyhound Racing New South Wales {GRNSW} say, they do not want to lose country tracks. But on the other hand, have cut funding, to country tracks, with a 2 year contract, from July 2013 to June 2015. What will happen after that.

I feel it is another way to get rid of country tracks. We need more country meetings as dogs are missing out on draws every week.

Maybe if GRNSW were to receive more revenue, they would foster the country tracks where their city dogs come from.

In the country we have to travel a lot further, putting our costs much higher than our city cousins.

I pray that the committee, look into the inter code agreement so greyhound racing receives their fair share from the TAB.

Regards Pamela Grant

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