

The Hon. Greg Piper MP Speaker of the NSW Legislative Assembly Member for Lake Macquarie

8 May 2024

Public Interest Debate

I advise that following receipt of a notice of intention for a public interest debate to be conducted later in the day, I have determined that the notice listed below will be debated at 5.00 pm, in accordance with the standing orders.

The Hon. Leslie Williams MP Member for Port Macquarie "Domestic Violence Frontline Workers"

The Hon. Greg Piper MP

Speaker



Leslie WILLIAMS MP



Member for **Port Macquarie**

Wednesday 8 May 2024

Dear Mr Speaker,

I submit the following Public Interest Debate Topic for Wednesday & May 2024.

Topic: Domestic Violence Frontline Workers

That this House:

- 1. Notes that the Federal Government committed \$17.118 million in funding for NSW in 2022-23 and 2023-24 to recruit 118 additional frontline domestic violence workers under the National Partnership Agreement on Family, Domestic and Sexual Violence Responses 2021-27;
- 2. Notes that since signing up to the National Partnership Agreement the NSW Labor Government has delivered only five of these additional 118 funded frontline domestic violence workers;
- 3. Call on the Premier and the Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault to deliver the 113 frontline domestic violence workers they committed to ahead of the 30 June deadline so victim-survivors in NSW aren't left behind.

Leslie Williams MP

Member for Port Macquarie