



Goolgowi Ex-Servicemen's Memorial Club

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Vice President Hatcher
Fair Works Commission
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Dear Vice President Hatcher,

I am writing to you as the Vice President of Goolgowi Ex-Servicemen's Memorial Club in relation to the application by Clubs Australia to revoke the Registered and Licensed Clubs Award 2010 (Clubs Award).

As a small community club our position is that we do not support the application by Clubs Australia to revoke the Clubs Award.

We are a small community run club, located in a rural and remote setting. We are at this point in time being seriously affected by the drought, as are most small communities within New South Wales.

Our club supports the continued operation of the Clubs Award and the current penalty rates under the Award. We aim to offer continued support to our staff during this hard time, so they are able to continue to provide for their families. Some staff working to alleviate the loss of income from other avenues such as family farms.

Our staff are highly valued by our Club patrons, Board members and within our local community. We do not wish to see them face a pay cut from a reduction in weekend and public holiday rates.

Yours Sincerely

Hayley Gordon
Vice-President
Goolgowi Ex-Servicemen's Club.