

## **LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1993**

### **LOCAL GOVERNMENT (GENERAL) REGULATION 2021**

#### **MID-WESTERN REGIONAL COUNCIL BY-ELECTION**

#### **APPROVAL OF THE PLACES TO LODGE NOMINATION PAPER, NOMINATE CANDIDATES AND CONDUCT BALLOT PAPER DRAWS**

1. This instrument is made under sections 289, 295, 303 and 304 of the *Local Government (General) Regulation 2021*.
2. This instrument applies to the Mid-Western Regional Council local government by-election administered by the Electoral Commissioner under the *Local Government Act 1993*, to be held on Saturday, 7 December 2024 (**the by-election**).
3. I approve the below venues as the places to lodge a nomination paper by personal delivery for the by-election:
  - a. the Returning Officer's Office located at The Stables, 82 Market Street, Mudgee; and
  - b. NSW Electoral Commission, 231 Elizabeth St, Sydney NSW 2000
4. I approve for the by-election the Returning Officer's Office located at The Stables, 82 Market Street, Mudgee as the place to:
  - a. announce any withdrawals of nominations, cancel the nomination papers of the persons who have withdrawn and nominate candidates;
  - b. determine the order of ungrouped candidates on ballot papers; and
  - c. determine the order of groups of candidates on ballot papers.

**Matthew Phillips**

**Acting Electoral Commissioner**

25 October 2024