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Doctors congratulated on health-care centre initiative

Independent Member for New England, Tony Windsor has congratulated the North West Slopes Division of General Practice on their new health-care centre initiative.

“The new health-care centre proposed by the North West Slopes Division of General Practice is an excellent project and shows the commitment of our doctors in the district to providing a high quality health service now and into the future.

They are to be congratulated for their vision in developing the proposal,” Mr Windsor said.

Mr Windsor will be strongly supporting the Regional Partnerships Program application made by the group to the Federal Government.

“It is projects like this that are very much a “Partnership” with the community.

The doctors are putting their contribution in with profits coming back to the community through increased services and more accessible services whilst at the same time contributing to the training of our future doctors and allied health professionals.

The community really will benefit greatly by the establishment of this new health-care centre.

The Regional Partnerships Program would go a long way to find a better project to support financially,” Mr Windsor said.

Mr Windsor says the Health Survey he is currently conducting is confirming the community’s high priority of a high quality health service.

“The strong response to the Health Survey has reinforced to me the emphasis that people across the New England place on having a good health service.

People are certainly taking the opportunity of telling me that they want a good health service.

I’m sure that this new locally developed solution will meet its objectives and as such will be replicated in other centres across the country in the future.

Well done to the North West Slopes Division of General Practice,” Mr Windsor said.

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