

Government to now consider our petition on CCLHD Parking Fees

Dear Member,

Today we celebrate a significant step towards victory in our campaign for fairer car parking fees across Central Coast Local Health District.

Yesterday afternoon our petition of over 10,000 signatures was debated by the Lower House of NSW Parliament and as a result the Lower House have accepted our petition. This means the Government will now have to review the policy which underpins the car parking fees and how it relates to Central Coast Local Health District.

This does not mean we will see any immediate changes, but it demonstrates the power of acting collectively and standing up for fairness.

To every member who:

- Took the time to sign
- Spoke to their colleagues and got them to sign the petition
- Gave up their time at market stalls to speak with the community about our petition
- Met with Members of Parliament to raise health workers' concerns
- Attended yesterday's debate

We say congratulations! Without your efforts we would not be where we are today – one step closer to achieving our goal.

To the Central Coast MPs David Harris (Wyong), Yasmin Catley (Swansea), Liesl Tesch (Gosford) and David Mehan (The Entrance): we say thank you for supporting our campaign and representing Central Coast health workers and the community with passion and determination.

Our campaign is far from over and we must keep the pressure on the Government over the coming weeks and months to ensure they follow through with the review of the policy.

Let's spread this achievement far and wide throughout the Central Coast. If any of your colleagues haven't yet joined our Union encourage them to do so, it's as simple as going to www.hsu.asn.au/join or completing the attached form and returning it to us.

In unity,



Gerard Hayes
Secretary, HSU NSW/ACT/QLD