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Dear Mr Green

I am writing in regard to Rous County Council's proposal under section 383 of the *Local Government Act 1993* to merge Far North Coast County Council (FNCC), Richmond River Council (RRCC) and Rous County Council. As you will be aware, the proposal is that the merger be effected by the dissolution of FNCC and RRCC and the transfer of all of RRCC's functions and the bulk of FNCC's functions to Rous County Council.

The Minister for Local Government, the Hon Paul Toole MP, has recommended to the Governor that the proposal be implemented without modification. Accordingly, the Governor has today issued a proclamation to this effect.

The Proclamation will be published in NSW Government Gazette today. You will find the Gazette on the NSW legislation website at [www.legislation.nsw.gov.au](http://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au).

I am notifying you of the issue of the Proclamation as it will have the effect of reinstating Tweed Shire Council, on 1 July 2016, as the local control authority for its area under the *Noxious Weeds Act 1993*.

Yours sincerely

**Tim Hurst**  
**Acting Chief Executive**  
**Office of Local Government**

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