



PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

Community Recognition Statement

12 November 2020

DANIEL WALLACE

Ms SONIA HORNER (Wallsend) :

Fighting for workers' rights is never easy but it's a fight that Daniel Wallace has never shied away from.

Daniel started his working life as a boilermaker. By the age of 24, he was an organiser with the Australian Manufacturing Workers Union NSW Branch.

He was elected to Lake Macquarie City Council in 2008 representing the West Ward. He served two terms, including a term as Deputy Mayor.

He continued his rise through the ranks of the union movement and in 2014 he was elected the Secretary of the Newcastle Trades Hall Council, now known as Hunter Workers.

Daniel has also served as the Chair and Secretary of Labour Co-operative, the Managing Director, Secretary and Vice President of The Newcastle Show and more recently as a Director on the Committee for the Hunter and the City of Newcastle COVID-19 Taskforce.

Late last month, Daniel finished his role as Secretary of Hunter Workers.

Thank you Daniel for your service to workers and the Hunter community. You have left your indelible mark on the union movement.

I look forward to seeing what you do next. I am sure it will be another success.