



PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES  
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

**FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTH PARLIAMENT**

**Community Recognition Statement**

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7 June 2022

**IAN KIDD**

**Ms SONIA HORNERY ( Wallsend ) :**

March 21 marked the completion of Ian Kidd's charity ride from Lake Eyre to Mount Kosciuszko for local anti-domestic violence charity Got Your Back Sista.

Starting on March 5, Ian made the 1770 kilometre ride, aiming to raise \$10,000.

The ride took him 14 days, with only a slight navigational hitch on the latter half of the ride setting him back 56km.

This was not Ian's first long-distance ride, but it was his first solo unsupported ride.

He cycled between four to six hours a day in preparation for the charity ride.

Ian managed to raise just over \$9000, providing much-needed funds for Got Your Back Sista to continue its work in supporting victims of domestic violence within the local community.

I would like to congratulate Ian on both his fundraising efforts and also the effort of the ride itself.

Cycling 1770 kilometres is no small feat, and the money he raised will provide support to those in need.

I would also like to offer thanks to Got Your Back Sista for the important work they do in the local community.