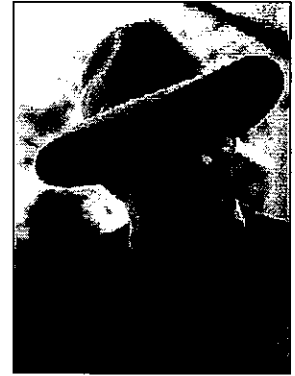


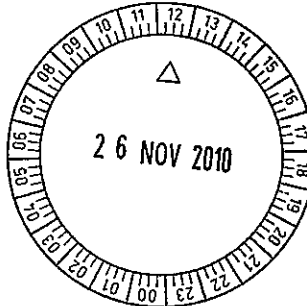
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Monday 22 November, 2010



Hon Brian Ellis  
Chairman  
Environment and Public Affairs Committee  
Legislative Council  
Parliament House  
PERTH WA 6000

Dear Chairman,

Further to the petition tabled in the Legislative Council on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2010 of which I am listed as the principal petitioner and promoter of the petition. Please be advised that my role in this is to represent Ms Diana Oliver and Ms Judy Hughes, both of River Farm Road Kununurra, who asked for my assistance – while the Member for Kimberley is on leave of absence from her parliamentary duties on sick leave – in securing the presentation of this petition.

I would ask, both on my own behalf and on behalf of these petitioners, that your committee undertake an inquiry into the matters raised in this petition.

Specifically, it is asked that the Committee urgently either travel to Kununurra to meet with the residents of River Farm Road Kununurra – or alternatively make available an opportunity for these residents to make an oral submission in support of this petition to the Committee.

Your favourable consideration of this request would be most appreciated.

Yours sincerely

TOM STEPHENS MLA  
Member for Pilbara

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