

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO A LOCALITY BOUNDARY IN THE GWYDIR LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA**

The Geographical Names Board (GNB) is seeking public comment on a proposal submitted by Gwydir Shire Council to change an existing address locality boundary within the Gwydir Local Government Area.

The proposal is to amend the boundaries between the localities of Boggabilla and North Star.

Gwydir Shire Council has been reviewing rural addresses and localities and identified a need to amend some locality boundaries to facilitate correct rural addresses within the shire.

Chair of the Geographical Names Board Des Mooney said the board is encouraging community comment before it considers adopting Council's proposal.

Copies of map GNB5030-7-A will be placed on display at the Council Administration Buildings located at 33 Maitland Street, Bingara and 54 Hope Street, Warialda.

The proposal can also be viewed and submissions lodged on the Geographical Names Board's web site at [www.gnb.nsw.gov.au](http://www.gnb.nsw.gov.au)

People can also write to the Secretary, Geographical Names Board, 346 Panorama Ave, Bathurst, NSW 2795.

"Residents are invited to view the proposed boundary amendment and lodge submissions with the Geographical Names Board by Monday 29 February 2016," Mr Mooney said.

The closing date for submissions is 29 February 2016.

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