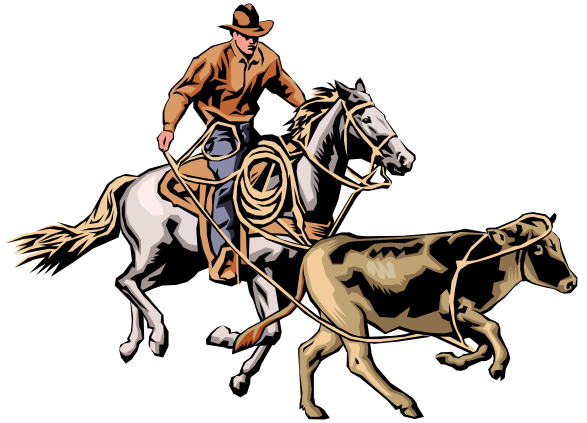


# NARRANDERA RODEO COMMITTEE INC

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25<sup>th</sup> March 2010

Re: South Western Cypress Forests Assessment

To whom it may concern,

On behalf of the Narrandera Rodeo Committee I would like to take this opportunity to speak of Grants Sawmilling Co of Narrandera.

Being of rural background ourselves we believe their approach towards the farming of timber is very professional which shows in the state of the forests that are in A1 condition. We believe this is thanks to the knowledge of Grants Sawmilling.

Apart from being one of the community's favoured places of employment, they are also a very important part of our community as being major sponsors in many events including our Annual Pro Rodeo. This allows us as a committee to support our chosen charities such as Can Assist, Kurrajong Narrandera.

Anyone who does not see this company as valuable to the future of our forests and our community employment opportunities would have to be seen as questionable.

Yours sincerely,

Ron Absolom

(President)