

The Hon Ray Williams MP

Member for Castle Hill Minister for Multiculturalism and Minister for Disability Services

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TWO YEARS WITH NO INCREASE IN LOCAL CRIME

Member for Castle Hill Ray Williams has commended police in The Hills Local Area Command for their exceptional work in fighting local crime.

Mr Williams said that the most recent quarterly data from the Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (BOCSAR) is a testament to the proactive work of NSW police in detecting and preventing crime.

For the first time since June 2015, there have been no increases in the 17 major crime categories in NSW.

The latest quarterly report from BOCSAR shows 13 major crime categories have remained stable, with four falling in the 24 months to March 2017.

Mr Williams said local statistics from the Castle Hill area followed the state-wide trends, with the number of offences remaining stable or trending down.

"It is very reassuring to see his latest data from BOCSAR. It reflects the commitment and dedication of our local police to keeping our community safe," Mr Williams said.

"I would like to thank the local community for doing their bit by reporting crime, working closely with our local police officers, and remaining vigilant," he said.

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