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## **Reserve Forces Day Parade**

I send my best wishes to the Reserve Forces Day Council and all those taking part in the Reserve Forces Day Parade 2017.

The Reserve Forces Day continues the tradition of honouring our Anzacs, this year commemorating 100 years since the legendary Charge at Beersheba. In this iconic mounted cavalry charge, the Australian 4<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Light Horse Regiments bravely stormed Ottoman positions defending the route to Jerusalem. It was one of Australia's greatest engagements of the First World War.

The ANZAC spirit is alive and thriving in NSW as organisations such as the Reserve Forces Day Council continue to support those who have served our nation by promoting the value of service within the greater community.

I would like to thank the Reserve Forces Day Council for the work they continue to do in promoting the service of current and former members of the Australian Defence Force and Reservists.

I hope that all attending the Reserve Forces Day Parade 2017 have an enjoyable day.

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