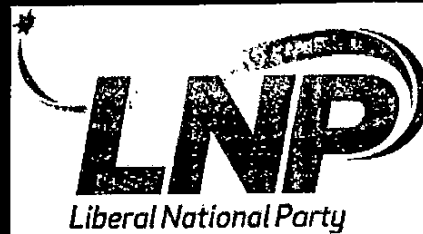


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- Do we need an early warning system for floods? *or any other disasters.*
Fire, flood, landslides, Earthquakes. Every valley & district should have
responsible persons, such as a fire warden, who monitor conditions
during heavy rain or bad conditions. This person then reports
to a central place or office probably in Gatton who has the
power to carry out necessary warnings.
Local people reporting when bad conditions.

- Have you ever been involved in a local meeting about flood early warning system?

NO

- Would an early warning system work?

It would be helpful.

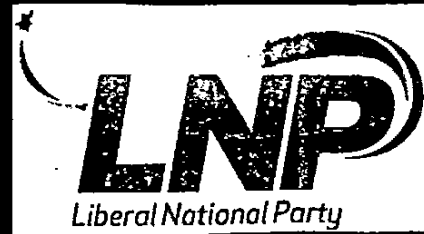
- Had you been advised by Council, or State Government, the highest flood levels in your area? *NO*

- Had you ever received evacuation information for flood / landslides / fires? *NO*

We were advised on evacuations necessary at
Witchell in the Feb of 2002

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- Have you ever been advised of a flood management plan?

No.

- Have you ever been asked to be on or involved with a Floodplain Advisory Committee?

ONLY WHEN ON GATTON SHIRE COUNCIL AS A COUNSELLOR.

- What do you feel could have been done to make your area safer:-

- Before the flood *Curb back subsidizing should be banned regularly.*
- During the flood *SHANON rooted barriers, grass gets washed away when causing erosion.*

- After the flood *TOWN PLANNING must consider flooding when making decisions.*

- Other Questions or Statements.

Ensure the questionnaire is filled out.

Name: *MR FRED THOMAS*

Complete cover sheet for submission.

Signature:

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