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DRAPER MUST VOTE TODAY FOR AN EARLY ELECTION

Leader of The Nationals Andrew Stoner said today that Member for Tamworth Peter Draper would have the chance to vote in Parliament today for an early election.

NSW Opposition Leader Barry O'Farrell has moved a no-confidence motion in Nathan Rees, which, if passed, will provide a trigger for an early election.

Peter Draper will have a chance to vote for an early election in Parliament.

"People right across NSW deserve a better State Government and the Liberal/Nationals are determined to give them that option," Mr Stoner said.

"Nathan Rees yesterday labelled his own Government as 'discredited'. Even he knows Labor can't fix the problems.

"Mr Draper today has a chance to stand up for the people of Tamworth and they must vote with the Liberal/Nationals for an early election.

"The Liberal/Nationals want to fix the many problems facing the State. We want to restore the economy to create jobs, fix the health system and restore infrastructure.

"In Tamworth, we want to continue ensuring that the hospital redevelopment proceeds and that infrastructure such as Chaffey Dam and the Flight College receive the adequate funding and attention that they deserve.

"People have had enough of State Labor's scandals. They are a political party so obsessed with infighting that they just can't govern any more.

"Change for the better is needed and it's possible. The Liberal/Nationals are determined to go to an early election.

"Unlike Labor, we have the policies and the passion to fix the State.

"Peter Draper must vote with us today in order to force an election so the people can have their say," Mr Stoner said.

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