



## David Littleproud MP

Federal Member for Maranoa

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# Media Statement

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### **Maranoa MP announces NBN rollout for Warwick and Leyburn with 2100 premises to connect**

Faster internet is coming to Warwick and Leyburn, Maranoa MP David Littleproud announced today.

“The NBN is speeding toward completion and the service will be turned on in Warwick, available to 1800 premises, from April 12,” Mr Littleproud said.

“Leyburn will follow suit from May 31 when the service becomes available to 210 premises.

“The NBN’s fast, reliable broadband will provide a boost to our local economy and ensure families, local businesses and schools can stay connected and access the online services they need.

“My goal is to help build the kinds of communities our children and grandchildren either want to stay in or come back to, and better internet connectivity is certainly a big part of that.

“The NBN hands Warwick and Leyburn locals more choices in how they live their lives and, ultimately, gives people a great opportunity to stay up to speed with education, business, news and our loved ones who live further afield.

“Breaks in our communications hinder bank card transactions and limit business sales, disrupt our ability to keep in contact with family and friends, affect online tourist information services and classes at school – that’s why this program is so important for Maranoa.

“I urge everyone to contact their preferred service provider today to explore the range of plans available and start taking advantage of this service.”

In total, 8.5 million Australian homes and businesses are able to connect to the NBN – compared with 6.2 million in January 2018.

For a full list of NBN providers and how to connect, visit: [www.nbnco.com.au](http://www.nbnco.com.au)

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