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ANGUS TAYLOR BRINGS SCOTT MORRISON TO GOULBURN TO OPEN CAMPAIGN OFFICE

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Angus Taylor, the Liberal Candidate for Hume opened his campaign office at 264 Auburn St, Goulburn yesterday. Doing the honours of opening the office was Scott Morrison, the Shadow Minister for Immigration and Citizenship.

Mr Taylor sent a letter to all households in the Goulburn Mulwaree Shire inviting them to attend the campaign office opening, followed by a BBQ in Belmore Park - where he talked to people about their issues and concerns.

"A few people have queried why I would open a campaign office prior to the federal election campaign officially kicking off. The next federal election is not scheduled until the second half of next year. However, it may be that we get an election in the early part of next year. We simply don't know when it will happen.

"I am trying to take over from the popular and well known Alby Schultz. I am not taking anything for granted. People want to know their federal representatives, and that is another reason for getting the campaign office up and running."

Mr Taylor also said he was prepared for the long haul:

"When I was preselected I promised to hit the ground running and campaign right through to the next federal election. Opening up the office is just one of the aspects of the campaign."

Mr Taylor said Goulburn was the right place to open the office, and that he hoped people from other parts of the electorate would drop in on their way through town.

"Goulburn is an important hub in Hume, and by far the largest centre. The office will be a base from which I can travel to all parts of the electorate.

"I am hoping that we will get people from all over the Hume popping in when they pass through Goulburn.

"The office will be manned entirely by a team of volunteers, who are supporting me in Goulburn. I am very lucky to have a team of really dedicated supporters who are giving up their precious time to help my campaign and who are already working very hard on my campaign."

Scott Morrison opened the Goulburn office and endorsed Angus Taylor as a hardworking and effective local advocate: "Angus will be a great representative in the Federal Parliament for the people of Hume. He is an exceptional candidate" Mr Morrison said.

Please contact Angus Taylor on 0413 963 113 or Louise Clegg on 0408 267 324 for further information.