

BARKING DOG COURTESY LETTER

Dear neighbour,

You may not be aware that your dog is barking or making noise that is causing a noise disturbance.

Narrabri Shire Council (NSC) suggests that I contact you as a first step to raise awareness and raise my concerns, before lodging a formal complaint.

I have recorded some of the times when your dog was barking which is attached to this letter, which may help you to identify when the noise becomes a disturbance.

Whilst I understand that dogs bark and that barking on some occasions protects our neighbourhood, the type and duration of the noise emitted from your dogs is causing a disturbance.

I am hoping that by providing you with this information, you will be able to alleviate the issue to ensure amenity of the neighbourhood. You may wish to contact Narrabri Shire Council's Compliance Officers (02 6799 6866) to assist you in this matter, as they may be able to help reduce or control the barking. Alternatively, please scan the QR code on this letter for Pet Professional Guild Australia's tips and tricks to resolve excessive barking.

Kind regards,

Your Neighbour

Date:

**Pet Professional Guild Australia's
tips and tricks:**



BARKING RECORD

| DATE | TIME COMMENCED | TIME STOPPED | TYPE OF NOISE |
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