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### MEDIA RELEASE

#### APPOINTMENT OF NEW RURAL FINANCIAL COUNSELLOR FOR GILGANDRA

Jeff Caldbeck, CEO of the Rural Financial Counselling Service, NSW Central Region (RFCSCR), recently announced the appointment of James Walters as the Rural Financial Counsellor (RFC) at Gilgandra.

**James** began with the Service in July 2019 and brings with him a wealth of experience across the Australian and Global livestock industry, along with various sectors of farming.

After holding senior leadership positions with Dalgety Farmers Ltd (now Landmark), The Australian Poll Hereford Society and National Australia Bank Agribusiness, James went on to manage agribusinesses with large corporate entities in countries including the USA, Canada, Russia and China.

These various international positions involved the design, development and management of “*fully integrated supply chain projects*” and “*Branded Beef pathways*”, including the import and export of elite genetic material and livestock for the development of foundation breeding programs.

James has assisted the flow of elite beef genetics for a number of beef cattle breeds coordinating large import and export programs to and from North America, UK, France, Russia and New Zealand as well as emerging beef nations since the early 1990's.

James has come full circle, finding himself back in the broader Dubbo region where he hails from. The Walters are indeed a large Dubbo family having been farming in the area for a number of generations. James enjoys being part of the community, close to family and good friends.

He's looking forward to working with farmers and their businesses – back to the heart of agriculture in our region.

For further information on the services made available by the RFCSCR or to make an appointment with James Walters at the Gilgandra or Dubbo Office, please call 1800 940 404 or email [james.walters@rfcscr.com.au](mailto:james.walters@rfcscr.com.au)

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