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Dwellingup Fires Appeal

The Lord Mayor, Dr Peter Nattrass, has thanked the public for its generous response to the Dwellingup Fires Appeal.

An amount of \$134,321.31 was raised to assist those affected by the fires in early February.

"This is a tremendous response by the public to help their rural neighbours in a time of such great need," Dr Nattrass said.

"With the help of the Dwellingup Fires Local Recovery Committee, financial assistance through the Lord Mayor's Distress Relief Fund has begun and will continue until all funds are exhausted.

"Thank you again for your kindness --- your efforts and thoughts are very much appreciated by those concerned."

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