

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
**Entry ID:** AWE1395

## Carter, Ida Johanna

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**Occupation** Matron

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### Summary

A once-only candidate, Ida Johanna Carter ran for the Willoughby elections in 1971 as an Independent.

### Details

At the time of her campaign, Ida Carter was the Matron of the Trentham Nursing Home, and had been a resident of Willoughby for 16 years. She was the President of the Willoughby Ratepayers & Property Owners' Association and the Vice President of the Nursing Homes Association of NSW. She was married and the mother of two children.

She professed a lifelong interest in government and was concerned about the high cost of land and rates, the quagmire of town planning, excessive road toll, pollution, education and crime.

### Published resources

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

#### Site Exhibition

Putting Skirts on the Sacred Benches: Women Candidates for the New South Wales Parliament, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2006,  
<http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/pssb/home.html>

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