



# LandTeam

## Surveying the Outback

A group of LandTeam Surveyors led by Managing Director Greg Goodman carried out a 14 kilometre highway survey for NSW Roads and Maritime Services. A 14 km survey of highway to provide terrain data for design upgrade is a significant undertaking – however, the logistics involved with such an undertaking are exacerbated when the highway to be surveyed is 200km north of Broken Hill on the Silver City Highway!!

Surveyors David Lofberg, Michael Kadziela, Daniel Davis-Raiss and Frazer Owen accompanied Greg on the project which was situated about 40kms north of the Packsaddle Roadhouse [www.packsaddleroadhouse.com.au](http://www.packsaddleroadhouse.com.au). The boys were on site for a two week period in July 2014 and used a combination of GNSS (GPS) and Total Station equipment to carry out the survey.

Whilst Greg has spent some time in the outback over the years – it was the first outback experience for Dave, Mick and Daniel (Frazer having been on a “centre” trip with his family a year or so earlier).

The logistics of preparing and supplying materials for the survey were made easier for Greg thanks to the valuable and friendly help from Broken Hill suppliers and the people at the Packsaddle Roadhouse – indeed, a personal delivery was made to Greg on site one day when a rare passing motorist travelling between Broken Hill and Tibooburra stopped and personally delivered a receipt from a Broken Hill hardware store!!

This was a terrific survey project and one which all involved hope is repeated again in the future.



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