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FEDERAL MEMBER FOR MORETON



June Moreton Grants Bulletin

Please find contained in this bulletin a number of grants and prizes that would be relevant to individuals and groups or organisations in the Moreton electorate.

The grants range from funding for artists to grants for community groups, sporting clubs and everything else in between.

Please share this information around and be wary of the closing dates as a number of the grants in this bulletin require applications to be submitted in the coming days.

Please feel free to share this information to Moreton community groups and if you have received this via a friend, please let us know and I will happily add you to my mailing list.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Graham Perrett".

Graham Perrett MP
Federal Member for Moreton

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Arts, Community & Culture

Saluting Their Service Commemorative Grants Program

Purpose: To promote appreciation and understanding of the experiences of service and the roles that those who served have played, and to preserve, add to the sum knowledge on, or provide access to information about Australia's wartime heritage.

Funding Provider: Department of Veterans' Affairs

Amount: \$10,000 to \$150,000

Closing Date: Batch 1 closes on 20 June 2024 at 9:00pm AEST

The Australian Government is inviting eligible organisations to apply for grant funding under the Saluting Their Service Commemorative Grants Program.

There are 2 categories of grants available under the program:

1. Community Grants (STS-CG)

Grants to a maximum of \$10,000 are available for local, community-based projects and activities.

2. Major Grants (STS-MG)

Grants between \$10,001 and \$150,000 are available for major commemorative projects and activities that are significant from a national, state, territory and/or broader regional perspective.

To view eligibility requirements and apply, click [here](#).

National Justice Reinvestment Program – Round 2

Assessment Cycle 2

Purpose: The Australian Government is inviting applications through an open non-competitive process to deliver justice reinvestment initiatives.

Funding Provider: Attorney-General's Department

Amount: undisclosed

Closing Date: 10 September 2024 9:00pm (ACT Local Time)

Assessment Cycle 2 is open from 10 May 2024 to 10 September 2024.

Funding is available from 2024-25 to 2026-27 for place-based community-led justice reinvestment initiatives. The National Justice Reinvestment Program is an ongoing program beyond 2026-27.

The objective of this grant opportunity is to:

- Support the development and delivery of community and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander-led justice reinvestment initiatives across Australia, by supporting:
 - The development, implementation, and evaluation of local justice reinvestment strategies and activities
 - Local project teams and leadership structures to undertake the work of developing, implementing and evaluating justice reinvestment strategies

The intended outcomes of this grant opportunity are:

- Improving justice outcomes and reducing contact with the criminal justice system and incarceration of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander adults and young people, in line with Closing the Gap Targets 10 and 11
- Contributing to systemic reform of government systems that intersect with the justice system
- Contributing to building a strong and sustainable Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community-controlled sector delivering high quality services to meet the needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people across the country

Eligibility:

The National Justice Reinvestment Program draws upon the strength and knowledge of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

Programs that are eligible must demonstrate how the work is place-based, meaning how it will centre on the needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people living in your community, including by demonstrating you have support and authority to lead or act as the coordinating body for this work within a community, and that the work will be delivered in partnership with community members.

Community-led First Nations initiatives across Australian states and territories may apply for funding through the National Justice Reinvestment Program.

For further information and to apply, click [here](#).

Community and Cohesion Support Program Grants

Purpose: To support Australian Palestinian, Muslim and Arab community grassroots organisations undertaking critical work to respond to the acute needs of the communities affected by the ongoing conflict.

Funding Provider: Department of Home Affairs

Amount: up to \$50,000

Closing Date: Friday 28 June 2024 11:55pm

The Albanese Government is continuing to provide funding to support communities impacted by the ongoing Hamas-Israel conflict.

The Community and Cohesion Support Program (CCSP) grant includes \$4 million over one year for community-led projects that support Australian Palestinian, Muslim and Arab communities. Through an open and competitive grant process, the CCSP provides grants of up to \$50,000 for projects that promote community connections and resilience.

CCSP seeks to promote a sense of belonging and connection, while building social inclusion and cohesion. It aims to strengthen whole-of-community engagement and has a strong focus on youth and women.

Organisations can apply from Thursday 6 June. If you are an eligible organisation, you can apply via the online submissions form [here](#), or through submission of the PDF application form via email at grants@ccsp.org.au.

Examples of activities that would meet the aims of the Program are:

- Activities that respond to the acute needs of the community, focused on fostering inclusive environments that support community wellbeing and social inclusion and cohesion;
- Activities aimed at supporting women and youth in affected communities who are particularly affected by the conflict;
- Activities aimed at bridging cultural divides and enhancing unity across different racial and religious groups;
- Activities that are an emergency response measure and are intended to address a particular emergency;
- Activities designed to foster inclusivity and understanding between Muslim, Palestinian and Arab communities within the wider Australian community;
- Activities aimed at reducing bias or prejudices towards Muslim, Palestinian and Arab Communities.

Australia Post 2024 Community Grants Program

Purpose: To connect people and improve mental wellbeing in local communities.

Funding Provider: Australia Post

Amount: up to \$10,000

Closing Date: Monday 1 July 2024 11:59pm

Australia Post recognizes the importance of local community groups in creating positive change in people's lives. In support of this, each year, they award Community Grants of up to \$10,000 to fund community-led, local projects.

This year, the grants program is focused on projects that connect people and improve mental wellbeing in local communities.

Applications are open to projects that meet all the following criteria:

- The primary purpose of the project is to improve mental health and mental wellbeing outcomes of a community;
- The project will help people meaningfully connect in their local community for improved mental health and mental wellbeing outcomes; and
- The project is locally-led and locally-delivered.

Organisations whose projects meet the above criteria can apply [here](#).

Applications are open from Tuesday 4 June to 11:59pm on Monday 1 July 2024. Successful organisations will be notified in September 2024.

To view the grant guidelines, click [here](#).

Business & Employment

Support Plantation Establishment 2024-25 (Round 2)

Purpose: The Australian Government is inviting organisations via a Demand Driven (eligibility-based) process to apply to deliver services under the Support Plantation Establishment 2024-25 Program (Round 2).

Funding Provider: Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

Amount: undisclosed

Closing Date: 27 June 2024 9:00pm (ACT Local Time)

Objectives:

- Increase future plantation forest resources available for processing, as well as for plantation forest management, harvesting and haulage employment.
- Support private industry, First Nations businesses, farm foresters and state and territory government forestry bodies to expand the Australian plantation forest estate.

- Contribute to meeting Australia’s carbon emission reduction targets.

Intended outcomes:

- Increase domestic timber supply, particularly construction and manufacturing timber resources, to contribute to the demands of the Australian market.
- Support private industry, First Nations businesses, farm foresters and state and territory government forestry bodies to reduce their carbon footprint by storing it in plantation trees and to contribute to Australia’s carbon emission reduction targets.
- Support the retention and/or creation of regional jobs and support for regional communities.

Eligibility

To be eligible, you must be one of the following entity types:

- Company
- Corporate State or Territory Entity
- Incorporated Association
- Indigenous Corporation
- Sole Trader
- Cooperative
- Partnership

If you are applying as a Trustee on behalf of a Trust, the Trustee must have an eligible entity type as listed above. Additional eligibility requirements apply. Please refer to the Grant Opportunity Guidelines section 4.

To apply for this opportunity, click [here](#).

Industry Growth Program

Purpose: The program supports innovative SMEs undertaking commercialisation or growth projects that will build Australian capabilities in priority areas for the National Reconstruction Fund (NRF).

Funding Provider: Department of Industry, Science and Resources

Amount: \$50,000 to \$5 million

Closing Date: undisclosed

Grants for the Industry Growth Program (IGP) are now open for Australian startups and innovative SMEs who want to scale up their business.

There are two matched funding grant opportunities for startups and SMEs that fall under the NRF priority areas:

- **Early-Stage Commercialisation Grants** – from \$50,000 to \$250,000 to help establish the commercial viability of an innovative product, process or service.
- **Commercialisation and Growth Grants** – from \$100,000 to \$5 million to help push ideas from prototyping through to market readiness stages. Grants will help develop strategies for entry to market and scaling up into national and international markets.

Grant funding through these programs is matched with the IGP's specialised advice and mentoring program.

After receiving advisory services and a commercialisation and growth report under the Industry Growth Program, eligible businesses can choose to apply for these grant opportunities.

Not all businesses will go on to apply for funding, and matched grant funding will be awarded to those most meritorious in their applications.

Details on how to apply to the Industry Growth Program [can be found here](#).

Education

Suburban University Study Hubs Program

Purpose: To improve access to tertiary education for underrepresented and disadvantaged students living in outer metropolitan and peri-urban areas of Australia.

Funding Provider: Department of Education

Amount: undisclosed

Closing Date: 29 July 5:00pm AEST

The Suburban University Study Hubs Program builds on the successful Regional University Study Hubs Program, taking an innovative approach to improve access to tertiary education for underrepresented and disadvantaged students living in outer metropolitan and peri-urban areas of Australia.

The primary functions of a Suburban University Study Hub are to:

- Respond to the identified support needs of the specific community they serve

- Facilitate open, safe access to higher education across Australia
- Provide wrap-around support to students to scaffold success
- Increase aspiration for tertiary study by facilitating outreach activities, including with local schools
- Support students to succeed in tertiary study by creating links with local tertiary education providers and industry

Up to 14 Suburban University Study Hubs will be funded in 2024.

Eligibility

Body corporates, or organisations who can become body corporates, are eligible to apply for funding under this Program.

To read the Program Guidelines, click [here](#).

To submit an application, click [here](#).

For support in preparing your application, view the Application Guide [here](#).

For more information, click [here](#).

Environment

Protecting the Great Barrier Reef – Community Stewardship Program Round 1

Purpose: The program will fund large coordinated, community based on-ground Reef protection projects.

Funding Provider: Dept of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water

Amount: \$500,000 to \$6,500,000

Closing Date: 19 June 2024 5:00pm (ACT Local Time)

The objectives of the grant opportunity are to:

- Improve the health and resilience of key Reef habitats
- Enhance the commitment and participation of local communities, including Traditional Owners, to protect and care for the Reef through environmentally responsible practices
- Strengthen coordination and delivery of Reef protection activities by local communities across the Great Barrier Reef Catchments.

The program will fund large coordinated, community based on-ground Reef protection projects that:

- Target key habitats for ecosystem and species health
- Build long-lasting community stewardship and enhanced commitment to protect and care for the Reef.

Project activities must contribute to at least one of the [Reef Trust Outcomes](#).

The minimum grant amount is \$500,000 and the maximum project duration is 3 years.

Eligibility

You can apply if you have an ABN and are one of the following entities:

- An entity, incorporated in Australia
- An Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporation
- An incorporated association
- An incorporated not for profit organization
- A publicly funded research organization (PFRO) as defined in section 14 of the grant opportunity guidelines
- An Australian local government agency or body as defined in section 14 of the grant opportunity guidelines
- Queensland state government agency or body

For further information and to apply, click [here](#).

Health

Health Workforce Program Leaders in Indigenous Medical Education (LIME) Network

Purpose: To support quality and effective teaching of First Nations health in medical education, to promote best practice and foster stronger relationships between key organisations.

Funding Provider: Department of Health and Aged Care

Amount: \$2,720,000 in total

Closing Date: 10 July 2024 2:00pm (ACT Local Time)

In line with the Priority Reforms under the National Agreement on Closing the Gap, the LIME program has been identified by the Department to transition to a First Nations-led organisation.

The intended outcomes of the grant opportunity are:

- Increased number of First Nations medical students enrolled in tertiary medical education
- Increased number of First Nations medical graduates
- Increased number of mentoring opportunities for First Nations medical students
- Increased capacity of the broader medical workforce to understand and address the needs of First Nations people
- Increased collaboration and relationships between Aboriginal community-controlled health organisations and specialist medical colleges

The Australian Government has a total of \$2.72 million (GST exclusive) over four years for this grant opportunity. Eligibility requirements for applying are provided in Section 4 of the Grant Opportunity Guidelines.

For more information and to apply, click [here](#).

Touch Football Australia – DoorDash Footy Cash

Purpose: To support Touch Footy players, teams and clubs.

Funding Provider: DoorDash and Touch Football Australia

Amount: up to \$25,000

Closing Date: 31 July 2024

Over the last two years, DoorDash has supported 33 clubs nationwide, granting over \$200,000 in funding. Touch Football Australia is teaming up with DoorDash once again to offer clubs across Australia the opportunity to apply for funding.

Whether you're looking for equipment upgrades, recovering from theft or vandalism, fostering opportunities for minority groups, or in need of disaster relief, your club could secure up to \$25,000 in funding if successful.

For more information and to apply, click [here](#).

Medical Research Future Fund 2024 BioMedTech Incubator Grant Opportunity

Purpose: This opportunity looks to fund suitable organisations to identify, select and support Australian SMEs undertaking early-stage medical research and medical innovation projects that have commercial potential.

Funding Provider: Department of Health and Aged Care

Amount: undisclosed

Closing Date: 31 July 2024 5:00pm (ACT Local Time)

The 2024 BioMedTech Grant Opportunity is part of the Medical Research Future Fund and the Medical Research Commercialisation Initiative.

The intended outcome of the research funded by this grant opportunity is to improve the health and wellbeing of Australians by increasing the number of SMEs developing novel biomarkers, diagnostics, therapeutics, assistive devices and/or digital technologies that have progressed through the early stages of research and development to the point where they are 'de-risked' and attractive to private investment for commercialisation.

Applicants may propose to support development of innovations in their area/s of strength.

Eligibility

You can apply if you:

- have an Australian Business Number (ABN)
- are incorporated in Australia.

You must also be one of the following:

- a medical research institute
- a university
- a corporate Commonwealth entity
- a corporation (including businesses and not for profits)

You cannot apply if you are:

- an individual
- a partnership
- an unincorporated association
- any organisations not included in section 4.1 of the Grant Opportunity Guidelines
- a trust
- a non-corporate Commonwealth entity

- an organisation, or your project partner is an organisation, included on the national Redress Scheme's list of Institutions that have not joined or signified their intent to join the Scheme
- an employer of 100 or more employees that has not complied with the *Workplace Gender Equality Act (2012)*

For more information and to apply, click [here](#).

Women

National Women's Alliances

Purpose: To strengthen the National Women's Alliances program to deliver expert and strategic advice on the solutions required to meet the vision of *Working for Women: A Strategy for Gender Equality (the Strategy)*.

Funding Provider: Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet

Expected Opening Date: May 2024

Amount: undisclosed

Closing Date: 3 July 2024 5:00pm (ACT Local Time)

The Office for Women administers the Working for Women Program (WfWP) as a key lever supporting the Australian Government's implementation of Working for Women: A Strategy for Gender Equality (the Strategy). The objectives of the WfWP is to improve outcomes for women and gender equality in Australia, focusing on the five priority areas set out in the Strategy:

- Gender-based violence
- Unpaid and paid care
- Economic equality and security
- Health
- Leadership, representation and decision-making

The Government is providing up to \$10.88 million from December 2024 to June 2029 to strengthen the National Women's Alliance program to deliver expert and strategic advice on the solutions required to meet the vision of the Strategy.

Organisations and consortia are encouraged to apply to represent one or more of the following themes and/or diverse groups consistent with the priorities of the Strategy:

- Gender-based violence
- Women's economic equality and leadership

- Migrant and refugee women
- First Nations women
- Women living in rural, regional and remote areas
- Women with disability

Up to 6 organisations may be selected through this open competitive process to provide collaborative, intersectional, evidence-based gender expertise and strategic advice to Government to inform ongoing progress of the Strategy's outcomes.

For more information and to submit an application, click [here](#).