



COMMUNITY FUNDING PROGRAM 2018-2019

The Community Funding Program provides grants to communities to improve facilities/programs in their township or to improve the overall amenity of their town. All community groups that represent the ratepayers of their community are eligible to apply for funding.

Projects that will be considered for funding but not necessarily restricted to:

- Beautification projects
- Projects to improve or construct recreation facilities
- Projects that will improve the amenity of the township/community

Projects that will not be considered:

- Any projects on privately owned land or which cannot be freely accessed by all community members
- Capital Works projects (ie. Footpaths, kerb and guttering etc.)

Eligibility

- All community groups that represent the ratepayers of their township/area are eligible to apply for funding.
- Only local **NOT-FOR-PROFIT** community groups will be given consideration for funding assistance.
- Preference will be given to incorporated organisations with proven capacity to administer grants.
- Community Groups who have not acquitted previous grants, will not be eligible to apply.



The submission must address the following criteria:

- 1. Description of the project**
Applicants need to provide a clear outline of their project (including sketch or plan if applicable)
- 2. Benefit of the proposal to the local community**
Applicants must clearly explain how the project or activity will benefit their community.
- 3. Sustainable outcomes**
ie. If the project involves the development of infrastructure, how will this infrastructure be maintained long term.
- 4. Support for the project**
Applicants should demonstrate strong support for their project, including possible financial and in-kind support from the community and other organisations.
- 5. Organisational, financial and project management issues**
Applicants must provide a budget and costings for their project and also outline how the proposal is to be implemented.

Applications can be made under the Community Funding Program up until Monday 25 February, 2019. For further information contact Erica Lowry or Chris Hughes at the Council Office on 6376 7900, Erica.lowry@bodc.tas.gov.au or chris.hughes@bodc.tas.gov.au or download from Council's website www.bodc.tas.gov.au

Please note:

When forwarding your completed application form, please attach the completed cover page to your submission



COMMUNITY FUNDING PROGRAM COVER PAGE FOR SUBMISSION

Name of Organisation: _____

Postal Address: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone: **B/H:** _____ **A/H:** _____

Email: _____

Is your organisation an incorporated body? Yes/No

ABN (if applicable): _____

Description of Project:



PROJECT BUDGET

Total Cost of Project \$ _____ (a)

Funding Requirements

Amount sought from Council \$ _____

What amount will be contributed
by your organisation \$ _____

Will any other organisations be providing funding
(provide details below of any confirmed or anticipated contributions from other sources)

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..... \$ _____
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..... \$ _____
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..... \$ _____

TOTAL:
\$ _____ (b)

Note: (a) should equal (b)

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Please ensure that you address the 5 questions listed on the second page of this form.