

2020-21 Community Development Fund

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Introduction

Welcome

Please read the Community Development Fund 2020/21 Guidelines before starting an application.

Your group or organisation must **have submitted an Acquittal Report (Financial Reporting Form)** for past funded community grant applications or your application may be **ineligible**. **Note: Council will accept applications from groups who have not completed an acquittal from the 2019/20 round only, and only after groups have sought an extension due to COVID-19.**

To seek an extension due to COVID-19, please request, via an email, to the appropriate Council contact listed under **Information & Assistance** in the grant guidelines.

Projects which deliver outcomes that support the endorsed objectives of the following will be strongly supported:

- [Active Warrnambool Strategy 2019-2030](#)
- [Warrnambool 2040 Community Plan](#)
- [Warrnambool - A Healthy City 2017-2021](#)
- [Green Warrnambool 2018](#)
- [Warrnambool Event Strategy 2018-2022](#)

AS YOU FILL OUT THIS APPLICATION FORM, IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU CLICK 'SAVE PROGRESS' BUTTON EVERY 10 MINUTES OR YOU MAY LOSE YOUR DATA.

Help is available: Council Officers are available if you require assistance applying online, or have questions about the Community Development Fund. Refer to the Key Council Contacts listed in the Guidelines if you have any questions about the program.

Preparation for a funding application: Please ensure you have read the Guidelines and refer to the Making an Application section. Please allow sufficient time to prepare and submit your application before the closing date.

Completing your application: You do not have to complete this application form all at once. You can press 'save' at any point and log out. When you log back in, your draft application will be saved and you can start where you left off.

If you leave the Application page to view the guidelines or to view other templates, remember to **GO BACK** on your browser - do not close or you will need to log in again.

Submitting your application: To ensure that the application is submitted, make sure that you **review and submit your application**. When you review, if there are any errors, or compulsory questions that have not been completed, **Smarty Grants** will let you know.

Remember: Once you have submitted your application, no further changes can be made. You will know you have successfully submitted your application when you receive a confirmation screen. A pdf copy of the application will be emailed to the address nominated in the application form.

Attachments and support documents: To upload attachments you must have the documents saved on your computer. If you are not able to upload a document, please contact Council for support.

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Technical Assistance: Refer to the Smarty Grants User Manual on [Community Grants - Application Help](#) for detailed instructions on how to review and submit your application.

If you have technical issues or need assistance with your password, please contact service@smartygrants.com.au or (03) 9320 6800.

Applicant and Organisation Details

* indicates a required field

Auspecting Organisation and Applicant Organisation

Applications are only accepted from legally incorporated groups or organisations.

Groups that are not legally incorporated need to be auspected by a group that is legally incorporated, to make an application.

Is your application being auspected? *

- Yes
 No

Auspecting Organisation Details

Auspice organisation registered name *

Organisation Name

Auspice contact name *

First Name

Last Name

Position in the organisation *

Auspice ABN *

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register
ABN
Entity name
ABN status
Entity type
Goods & Services Tax (GST)
DGR Endorsed

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ATO Charity Type	More information
ACNC Registration	
Tax Concessions	
Main business location	

Must be an ABN.

Auspice email *

Must be an email address.

Auspice website

Must be a URL.

Applicant Organisation Details

I confirm that the applicant organisation has completed all due Acquittal Reports for past funded grants *

- Not applicable
- Yes
- No, if no - please call Council before proceeding
- Unsure. If you don't know, please call Council before proceeding.

At least 1 choice and no more than 1 choice may be selected.

Applicant organisation registered name *

Organisation Name

Australian Business Number (ABN) - not required by auspiced applicants. (If group DOES NOT have an ABN, a Statement by Supplier Form is required. Attach with supporting documentation)

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register	
ABN	
Entity name	
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Entity type	
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Main business location

Must be an ABN.

Organisation postal address *

Address

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, Postcode, and Country are required.

Applicant contact name *

Title First Name Last Name

Position in the organisation *

Applicant email *

Must be an email address.

Applicant contact mobile number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

How many members are in your organisation/group? *

Child Safe Organisation

Victorian organisations that provide services or facilities for children are required by law to implement Child Safe Standards to protect children from harm.

Organisations and businesses that employ children to provide goods or services, whether paid or unpaid, must also implement the standards.

Children are defined in the standards as anyone under 18 years old.

For more information visit www.cyp.vic.gov.au/child-safety/being-a-child-safe-organisation/

Does your organisation meet its obligations under the Child Safe Standards? *

- Yes
- No, please refer to website above, as all applicants must comply
- Not applicable

Project Details

* indicates a required field

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About Your Project

Applicants should note;

If your application is successful, the details you provide below will be published on Council's website, Facebook page and in local media.

Project Name *

Provide a name for your project/event. Your title should be short but descriptive

Start Date: *

Completion Date: *

W2040 - Our Visions & Goals

All Community Development funded projects and activities will contribute to achieving the goals of the **Warrnambool 2040 Community Plan**.

Indicate which goal(s) your project or event will best support.

OUR PEOPLE

- A welcoming and inclusive city
- A safe and connected community
- Warrnambool's people are healthy
- Value local Aboriginal identity and culture
- A learning community

OUR PLACE

- An affordable and accessible place to live for everyone
- Encourages and prioritises sustainable transport
- Well-connected outside the city
- Has accessible, high-quality public spaces and facilities

OUR ECONOMY

- Embrace digital innovation and technological change
- Grow a resilient and diverse economy
- Foster a creative and collaborative culture
- Think globally

OUR ENVIRONMENT

- ZERO Warrnambool - innovative, solutions for zero net emissions
- ADAPTABLE Warrnambool - adapt to the impacts of climate change
- WISE Warrnambool - a wise city, that wastes not
- NATURAL Warrnambool - enjoy, love, respect and care for the natural environment
- BLUE Warrnambool - water for life
- GREEN Warrnambool - a city in nature

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Funding Category

What is the funding category for the proposed project? *

- Sport and Recreation (up to \$5,000)
- Culture and Arts (up to \$5,000)
- Environment and Sustainability (up to \$3,000)
- Events (up to \$5,000)

Can only select one category only

Sport & Recreation Category

Which category does your project align with? *

- Doing Sport Differently - innovative projects that increase opportunities for participation in sport and recreation by people who are less active.
- Access & Inclusion - projects that increase access to sport or active recreational activities for women & girls, juniors and people with a disability.
- Increasing Participation & Membership - promotional activities that raise awareness of the club/organisation and invites participation.
- Capacity Building - training and/or development opportunities that increases the strength and capacity of the club or organisation.
- Purchase of Equipment - purchase of assets that contribute to the capacity of a club organisation to deliver programs.

At least 1 choice and no more than 1 choice may be selected.

Culture & Arts Category

Which category does your project align with? *

- Innovative Opportunity - encourage grassroots participation in creative outcomes.
- Access & Inclusion - projects that increase access to creative activities for people with a disability or young people (aged 17-24 years)
- Increasing Participation & Membership - promotional activities that raise awareness of the club/organisation and invites participation.
- Capacity Building - training and/or development opportunities that increases the strength and capacity of the club or organisation.
- Purchase of Equipment - purchase of assets that contribute to the capacity of a club organisation to deliver programs.

At least 1 choice and no more than 1 choice may be selected.

Environment & Sustainability Category

Which category does your project align with? *

- Green Warrnambool - development and delivery of environmental or sustainability projects or programs within the municipality.
- Zero Warrnambool - renewable energy, water efficiency & sustainability improvements to community buildings and facilities to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and/or save water.
- Adaptable Warrnambool - works, activities or programs that support and prepare the club or organisation for climate change adaption.
- Wise Warrnambool - projects that support, incorporate or develop a waste free or plastic free event.

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- Naturally Warrnambool - projects that undertake revegetation or weed control activities, including maintenance and infill planting of previous re-vegetation sites.
- Blue Warrnambool - projects and programs that save water and protect waterways, coastal areas and the marine environment.
- Increasing Participation & Membership - promotional activities that raise awareness of the club/organisation and invites participation.
- Capacity Building - training and/or development opportunities that increases the strength and capacity of the club or organisation.
- Purchase of Equipment - purchase of assets that contribute to the capacity of a club organisation to deliver environmental or sustainability programs.

At least 1 choice and no more than 1 choice may be selected.

Events Category

Which category does your project align with? *

- Seed Funding - supports the development of new events that demonstrate a strong community focus.
- Growth Funding - supports existing events that provide significant benefits to the City (economic, social & cultural growth)

At least 1 choice and no more than 1 choice may be selected.

Events Only

* indicates a required field

Festivals and Events

Briefly describe how your event aligns with the Event Strategy 2018-2022? *

Must be no more than 100 words.

How often is the festival or event proposed to be held? *

- One-off
- Annually
- Other (please specify)

If Other, please describe how often the event is proposed to be conducted.

Must be no more than 50 words.

Website (event related)

Must be a URL.

Event Attendance

If you have conducted this event before, what was the total attendance? *

Must be a number.

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If first time event, please use '0'

Please estimate the number of visitors from outside Warrnambool this festival or event is likely to attract and the estimated number of local residents who are expected to attend.

Number of visitors? *

Must be a number.

Number of local residents? *

Must be a number.

Visitor Numbers

Please provide an estimate of where you expect visitor and participant attendees to come from.

Warrnambool (% of attendees) *

Must be a number.

Within 1 hour (% of attendees) *

Must be a number.

Other Regional Victoria (% of attendees) *

Must be a number.

Interstate (% of attendees) *

Must be a number.

International (% of attendees) *

Must be a number.

Participation Numbers

Please provide details on how the community will participate in this festival or event.

Number of paid personnel involved in the primary delivery of the festival or event? *

Must be a number.

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Number of volunteers involved in the primary delivery of the festival or event? *

Must be a number.

Projected number of additional participants actively involved in creating or working with the festival or event? (i.e workshop providers, artists etc) *

Must be a number.

Cost for the community to participate or attend the festival or event? *

Must be a dollar amount.

Event Growth Funding

If you are successful with Event Growth funding, detail how the funding will enable your event to grow? *

Must be no more than 150 words.

Eg. increase participation, diversity of activities, expansion into new markets etc.

Public Liability Insurance

Public liability insurance is required for all Council Event grants. A current certificate of currency or evidence of application for public liability insurance is required.

Generally, if your project is auspiced, public liability insurance is the responsibility of the applicant, not the auspice organisation.

If you do not currently have public liability insurance and your grant request is successful, you will be required to obtain public liability insurance prior to payment of the grant.

Public Liability Insurance *

- Yes, our group has PL insurance for our project
- No, our group does not have PL insurance, as yet, for our project

Please attach a copy of the Certificate of Currency

Attach a file:

Project Overview

* indicates a required field

Project Details

Describe your activity/project *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 150 words.

Describe how the project will benefit the community or club. *

Must be no more than 150 words.

How many PAID participants in the project? *

Must be a number.

How many VOLUNTEER participants in the project? *

Must be a number.

How many will the project BENEFIT? *

Must be a number.

Project Budget

* indicates a required field

Budget

There is one budget table to fill out, which will auto calculate the budget totals for income and expenditure.

You will need to attach written quotations to verify amounts listed in your budget according to the following;

- Items under the value of \$500 including GST, **DO NOT** require a quote.
- Items over the value of \$500 including GST, require **one (1)** written quote.
- Items over the value of \$1,000 including GST, require **two (2)** written quotes.

FUNDING MAY COVER THE ENTIRE COST OF THE PROJECT OR PART THEREOF. If funding does not cover the cost of the whole project, the applicant will need to demonstrate that sufficient funds are available to cover the shortfall.

For more information, see Budget section of the Community Development Fund 2020/21 Guidelines, on Council's website at <https://www.warrnambool.vic.gov.au/community-funding-programs>

Budget Income & Expenditure

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INCOME - list ALL funding sources to pay for your project.

EXPENDITURE - list what are you proposing to spend on the project. Do not include IN-KIND in table.

NOTE: the TOTAL income and TOTAL expenditure columns should EQUAL.

Income - item description	Amount (inc GST if applicable)	Expenditure - item description	Amount (inc GST if applicable)
Community Grant request amount			
Your group cash amount, if required			
Other income, if applicable			
List details of all income items	Must be whole dollars	List details of all expenditure items	Must be whole dollars

Budget Summary

How much are you requesting in this grant application? *

\$

Check the Community Grants Guidelines for maximum funding limits

What is the INCOME total from the table? *

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

What is the EXPENDITURE total from the table? *

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

Attachments and Supporting Documentation

You are required to attach supporting documents to your application.

1. Written quotes for purchase of equipment or services from qualified professionals. NOTE: Website quotes must clearly include a description of the purchase, price, the vendor name and contact details. An emailed price from a supplier does not qualify as a quotation.
2. The most recent official financial statement or audited report or treasurers report from your organisation as evidence that your group has sufficient funds to contribute financially, if required.
3. Written quotations or letters of support confirming cash support from other groups or individuals listed in your budget table.
4. Groups that DO NOT have an ABN, download a [Statement by Supplier Form](#) and attach below.

1. Written quotations for all items requested to be funded by the grant *

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Attach a file:

2. Bank Statement or Audited Report or Treasurer's Report *

Attach a file:

Maximum 25mb per file attachment. Recommended no more than 5mb per attachment.

3. Written confirmation of funding from other sources listed in income table (if applicable)

Attach a file:

4. Statement by Supplier Form (if applicable)

Attach a file:

Applicant's Declaration

* indicates a required field

Declaration

I certify that to the best of my knowledge the statements made in this application are true.

I am authorised by my group/organisation to be the applicant for this grant and complete this form and I agree that;

- The statements made in this application are true
- All necessary permits/approvals will be obtained prior to the beginning of the project
- The project will be covered by appropriate insurance
- All relevant health and safety standards will be met
- Council does not accept any liability or responsibility for the project

If successful, I as the authorised applicant will ensure that my group/organisation will abide by the following **General Conditions**:

- The group will enter into a funding agreement with Council for the grant amount awarded
- Grant funds can only be spent on the project approved by Council. If grant funds are spent on any other project or activity then Council must be reimbursed an equivalent amount. Similarly, any unspent funds must be reimbursed to the Council
- The grant funds are for a specific period and cannot be construed as being a commitment by Council for recurrent funding
- Any proposed major variations of project plans, milestones, budgets or timelines as outlined in your application form need to be discussed with Council in advance. If your variation is agreed to, a variation request in writing must be sent to Council before any changes to the project can be funded

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- An acquittal report must be submitted by the due date 30 May 2021. This report will include photos, copies of media and receipts for purchase of goods and services, as evidence of funds having been dispersed as agreed

Limitations on available funding I understand that the Community Development Fund Program is limited by the amount of funds available and applications will be viewed within the context of Council's overall budget. I am aware that applicants are not guaranteed funding nor can any applicant be guaranteed full funding.

Council acknowledgement terms I understand that successful funding recipients are required to acknowledge and/ or promote the financial contribution made by Council to their project

Privacy Notice

Warrnambool City Council is committed to protecting your privacy and ensuring that all information provided in and arising from this Grant Application be kept confidential.

Warrnambool City Council may need to collect, use and disclose information about the person, the organisation, the project or other relevant people stipulated in this Grant Application.

By ticking the box below, your consent is given to Warrnambool City Council to disclose the information contained in and arising from this Grant Application to a third party so that the third party is able to assist Warrnambool City Council in assessing the Grant application.

I understand that if the application is successful, the project summary, name of the applying organisation and amount funded will be made public.

I have read the above and confirm acceptance. Yes

*

Do you give permission for your contact Yes

details to be given to local media for grant promotion purposes? *

No

Submitted By

Person completing application *

First Name

Last Name

Position in organisation *

Date *

Must be a date.

Feedback

You are now coming to the end of your application process and before you **REVIEW** and click the **SUBMIT** button please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

We would value any feedback you may have regarding our online grants application process.

Please indicate how you found the online application process:

- Very easy Easy Neither Difficult Very difficult

How many minutes did it take you to complete this application? *

Please estimate in minutes e.g. 1 hour = 60 minutes

How did you find out about the Community Development Fund? *

Please provide us with any improvements and/or additions to the application form, guidelines or grant information session that you think we need to consider.

No more than 100 words.