



# Terms and Conditions

## **Purpose**

The Dyson Group of Companies (The Funder) Community Support Program has been established to provide support to a range of community-based organisations providing services to the community of Victoria.

As a caring corporate citizen, The Funder recognises that many community-based organisations do good work that makes a difference to people's lives. Often these

organisations struggle to raise funds through the competitive funding environment and we should support that work where possible.

To that end we have established the Dyson Group of Companies Community Support Program to assist community-based organisations to provide their services and continue their good work.

## The Program

The Program will have two funding rounds with grants limited to a maximum of \$1000 (inclusive of GST) per application. Applicants can apply for any amount of funding up to, but not exceeding, \$1000.

The opening and closing dates of each round will be published separate to these terms and conditions, as determined by The Funder.

## Eligibility

To be eligible to apply for a grant your organisation should meet one or more of the following criteria.

1. Be a registered not-for-profit with DGR status, or
2. Be an incorporated not-for-profit, or
3. Be a registered sporting club recognised by your sport's peak body, league or association, or
4. Be an early learning, primary or secondary educational institution
5. Other groups may apply at The Funders discretion

Organisations applying for funding must be based within or deliver the majority of their services within Victoria.

Funding is not available to individuals. Funding is not available for political or religious projects.

Funding is available for projects that provide a definable benefit to the community and whose outcomes can be clearly measured.

Funding as a joint funder will be considered where the applicant can demonstrate that the balance of funding to complete the project is secured prior to their application being lodged for this grant.

Organisations are not eligible to apply for a grant in a round following a round where they have been provided a grant.

Funding over more than one round for the one project will not be considered.

Should you not be sure of your eligibility please contact the Program Manager – details are included at the end of these terms and conditions.

## **Acquittal**

Organisations receiving a grant must provide proof of appropriate use within 12 months of the grant being received or by an agreed alternative date. Failure to do this to the satisfaction of The Funder may result in the grant being withdrawn and repayable to The Funder.

Your acquittal report should include proof of expenditure in line with the grant application budget.

## **General Conditions**

The funds available for each round are limited and it is likely that not all applications will receive funding.

The Funder may choose to offer part funding to an applicant at The Funder's discretion.

Applications received after the closing date of a round will be held over until the next round of funding.

The Funder will not provide feedback on the reason for not funding an application.

The Funder reserves the right to vary the terms and conditions of the program without notice.

Organisations shall acknowledge Dyson Group of Companies as the source of funding wherever practical including media releases and any communications to members.

The Funder reserves the right to publish in any public forum, including the media, the results of each funding round, including the details of successful grant applicants.

The recipient agrees to attend a presentation ceremony if requested by The Funder to receive their grant. This may be a public event and have subsequent media attention.

The recipient agrees that The Funder can use their details, including photos, on their website and for any other publicity purposes.

## **Privacy**

The information provided in the application form will only be utilised by The Funder and the program consultant and will not be provided to any other company or organisation to be used for any commercial purpose.

The applicant understands and accepts that they may receive information from The Funder.

## **How to Apply**

The Dyson Group of Companies Community Support Program application form is available online at <http://dysongroup.com.au/about/community-grants>

Applications will only be accepted via online lodgement.

## **Contact:**

For any further details please contact:

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