

2021 Grants & Philanthropic Funding

Disaster Relief

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About this resource

Museums & Galleries Queensland has compiled a listing of grant and philanthropic funding opportunities of interest to museums, galleries and other collecting institutions in Queensland.

Funds for 'Disaster Relief' could include the following:

- Support to areas affected by a natural disaster, including equipment, infrastructure, etc.
- Disaster preparedness

Disclaimer

This resource, created by Museums & Galleries Queensland, is intended as a starting point only and does not necessarily represent all levels of funding available to any particular group. This information is also subject to change. Grant seekers should check the funding body's website and speak to a funding body representative before applying. This listing does not include: funding for film, television or radio projects; sponsorship opportunities; or funding for commercial/for-profit arts businesses.

AUSTRALIAN CULTURAL DIPLOMACY GRANTS PROGRAM

Australian Government – Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Funds: \$10,000 - \$60,000

Closes: Check website in mid-2021 for next round

Purpose: To support the economic and social recovery efforts of the Australian creative industries sector and communities adversely affected by the COVID-19 pandemic and/or the 2019-2020 bushfires; promote Australia's economic, artistic and cultural assets to an international audience; influence perceptions of Australia at home and abroad; and build people-to-people and/or institutional links internationally.

Eligible applicants: Australian not-for-profit organisation; local government body; state/territory government body; an incorporated association; or an individual.

Eligible projects: Research, design and development of grant activity/project; consultations with stakeholders and partners; promotional and outreach activities; communications and translations; performances, exhibitions, webinars, seminars, workshops, publications, recordings and films.

Ineligible projects: Project cannot cover: capital expenditure; salaries; ongoing administrative costs; school activities; scholarships.

Contact: Australian Cultural Diplomacy Grants Program Secretariat Phone: **02 6261 1111** Email: Cultural.Diplomacy@dfat.gov.au

Website: dfat.gov.au/people-to-people/public-diplomacy/acdgp/australian-cultural-grants-program

GAMBLING COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND

Queensland Government – Department of Justice and Attorney-General

Funds: \$500 – \$35,000

Closes: 30 April 2021, 30 June 2021, 31 August 2021, 31 October 2021

Purpose: Grants are allocated to not-for-profit community groups to enhance their capacity to provide services, leisure activities and opportunities for Queensland communities.

Eligible applicants: Applications must be from community-based organisations with not-for-profit objectives that is incorporated or registered as an act of parliament (or sponsored by an organisation incorporated or registered as an Act of Parliament).

Eligible projects: The Gambling Community Benefit Fund website lists funding priorities for each round. Check the website for updated details.

Priority 1: Items/facilities directly affected, damaged or destroyed by a declared natural disaster in the last 2 years

Priority 2: Equipment and facility improvements

Priority 3: Buses, cars, caravans, boats, tractors, trailers, large mowers, motorbikes and similar items

Priority 4: Community events, training, workshops, festivals, publications and website development

Priority 5: Organisations that have received a grant or grants from the GCBF of more than \$15,000 in the past two years.

Unlikely to be funded projects: Salaries and wages; administration expenses such as stationery, postage, office supplies; rent and lease costs; consumable items; uniforms; catering.

Ineligible projects: Grant writer fees, contingency costs, repayment of debts and loans, overseas travel costs, project management fees, gifts, funding for a staff or member social event.

Contact: Phone: 1800 633 619 Email: cbf@justice.qld.gov.au

Website: justice.qld.gov.au/initiatives/community-grants

QUEENSLAND RESILIENCE AND RISK REDUCTION FUND

Queensland Government – Queensland Reconstruction Authority

Funds: A total of \$19.1 million

Closes: Closed for 2021, check website for next round

Purpose: This funding is to help reduce, mitigate and manage the risks of disasters and to make Queensland communities and infrastructure more resilient to disasters.

Eligible applicants: Local government bodies, regional organisations of Councils, Queensland Government departments, regional natural resource management bodies, river improvement trusts, incorporated non-government organisations (including volunteer groups) and Queensland-based not-for-profit organisations. Eligible applicants demonstrating a limited capacity to self-fund a project, may be considered for a higher funding percentage.

Eligible projects: Projects must deliver resilience, risk reduction, risk mitigation and/or risk management outcomes for Queensland communities.

Infrastructure projects may include:

- roads, bridges, culverts, floodways, causeways, drainage management pump stations, stormwater systems, major drains
- mitigation infrastructure, e.g. stormwater detention, levees
- disaster management equipment, such as emergency generators (with evidence to support voltage required), portable communications kits, lighting towers and frequency radios
- weather warning and monitoring systems and flood warning infrastructure

Non-infrastructure projects may include:

- education programs to help communities plan for, respond to, and recover from disasters
- capacity building programs for local volunteers
- natural hazard modelling, risk assessments and studies, including risk reduction/mitigation options assessments
- recovery capability and/or resilience building programs
- activities to improve disaster-related information sharing, data collection and communication
- strengthening the long-term resilience and wellbeing of disaster-affected residents
- research/studies to identify and address resilience or risk reduction and/or risk management priorities
- bushfire mitigation activities, such as fuel reduction activities and new/upgraded fire trails and breaks
- building and supporting local disaster management and leadership capabilities
- risk management studies suitable for complying with the State Planning Policy requirements for natural hazards, risk and resilience for making or amending planning schemes
- salary of temporary risk reduction and resilience officers within program timelines, and up to no later than 30 June 2023

Contact: Email: QDRF@gra.qld.gov.au

Website: gra.qld.gov.au/QDRF

STRENGTHENING RURAL COMMUNITIES – SMALL AND VITAL

Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal

Funds: Up to \$10,000

Closes: 25 May 2021, 24 August 2021

Purpose: Grants are available for a broad range of grassroots, community-led initiatives that directly and clearly benefit local communities. Applications are accepted on an ongoing basis and assessed quarterly.

Eligible applicants: Not-for-profit and community-based organisations in regional and remote Australia.

Eligible projects: Projects funded must align with one or more of the following charitable outcomes:

- Bringing people and community organisations together to foster stronger, more resilient communities;
- Fostering and celebrating a sense of identity, diversity and cultural connection within the community;
- Improving community health and social wellbeing;
- Enabling people to develop skills, knowledge and confidence to lead and contribute to the prosperity and renewal of their community;
- Building a sustainable volunteer base and/or supporting the wellbeing of volunteers;
- Celebrating and resourcing volunteer-led efforts;
- Increasing access and inclusion for vulnerable and disadvantaged groups, including remote communities;
- Enhancing places where communities gather;
- Promoting connection to place and enabling initiatives that champion a community's social, cultural or economic aspirations;
- Increasing capacity and capability of local community organisations to support preparedness and recovery from natural disasters;
- Enabling locally-led responses within rural, regional and remote communities endeavouring to reduce the impacts of the changing climate within their community.

Priority areas include communities with fewer than 15,000 people, particularly communities whose size, remoteness and relative access to services, funding, and resources present particular ongoing challenges.

Contact: Phone: 1800 170 020 Email: info@frrr.org.au

Website: <https://frrr.org.au/funding/place/strengthening-rural-communities/>

STRENGTHENING RURAL COMMUNITIES – BUSHFIRE RECOVERY STREAM

Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal

Funds: Up to \$25,000

Closes: 25 May 2021, 24 August 2021

Purpose: Grants are available for a broad range of grassroots, community-led initiatives that directly and clearly benefit local communities. Applications are accepted on an ongoing basis and assessed quarterly.

Eligible applicants: Not-for-profit and community-based organisations in regional and remote Australia, affected by the Sept 2019 – Feb 2020 bushfires.

Eligible projects: Projects funded must align with one or more of the following charitable outcomes:

- Bringing people and community organisations together to foster stronger, more resilient communities;
- Fostering and celebrating a sense of identity, diversity and cultural connection within the community;
- Improving community health and social wellbeing;
- Enabling people to develop skills, knowledge and confidence to lead and contribute to the prosperity and renewal of their community;
- Building a sustainable volunteer base and/or supporting the wellbeing of volunteers;
- Celebrating and resourcing volunteer-led efforts;

- Increasing access and inclusion for vulnerable and disadvantaged groups, including remote communities;
- Enhancing places where communities gather;
- Promoting connection to place and enabling initiatives that champion a community's social, cultural or economic aspirations;
- Increasing capacity and capability of local community organisations to support preparedness and recovery from natural disasters;
- Enabling locally-led responses within rural, regional and remote communities endeavouring to reduce the impacts of the changing climate within their community.

Projects that support the recovery of rural, regional or remote communities affected by the Sept 2019-Feb 2020 bushfires

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Website: <https://frrr.org.au/funding/place/strengthening-rural-communities/>

TACKLING TOUGH TIMES TOGETHER

Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal

Funds: Up to \$20,000 and \$150,000

Closes: 25 May 2021, 24 August 2021

Purpose: Helps communities access the resources they need to support one another through the ongoing effects of the drought.

Eligible applicants: The program has a strong preference to support grassroots organisations based in drought-affected regions over those delivering services to, but not based in affected regions. Projects led by local communities will be given strong preference.

Eligible projects: Project must demonstrate a focus on one of the following activities:

- Building community resilience
- Developing organisational resilience and capacity
- Enhancing environmental sustainability
- Fostering cultural vibrancy
- Lifelong learning and education
- Economic strength
- Improving community health and social wellbeing

Contact: Phone: 1800 170 020 Email: info@frrr.org.au

Website: <https://frrr.org.au/funding/disaster-resilience-and-climate-solutions/tackling-tough-times-together/>