

Community Grants

Financial assistance is available to community based groups, individuals and organisations that provide programmes, activities and projects to enrich the diversity of cultural and social opportunities to residents of the Cairns Region. The grants are for a maximum of \$8,000 including GST. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Community Organisations can apply for these grants.

The Community Development stream aims to provide financial assistance to not-for-profit community organisations and individuals within Cairns Regional Council area towards projects and activities including Arts and Cultural initiatives.

Eligible community groups are able to apply for a grant of up to \$8,000 excluding GST. There will be two funding rounds per financial year.

Round One applications must be received by COB on the last Friday of March.
Round Two applications must be received by COB on the last Friday of August.

Please note that submitting an application for the Community Development stream does not guarantee approval as this is a competitive process.

Council encourages all applicants to attend one of the Grant Information Sessions prior to submitting their application. Dates for these workshops will be advertised on the Council website. Please contact Community Planning and Development Officer for an appointment prior to submitting an application.