

Grants Information Sheet

Large Grants 2025



As of May 2025

Welcome to the Greater Dandenong City Council Community Grants Program. This information sheet contains important dates for the Large Grants Program.

The Large Grants Program offers non-profit organisations the opportunity to apply for funding to support sustainability and capacity-building of important local services, the delivery of projects that contribute to the achievement of Councils Plans and Strategies, and initiatives that build community capacity, social inclusion, healthy partnerships and/or provide social and economic benefit to the City of Greater Dandenong.

Large Grant Information Sessions

Grant information sessions are held throughout the application period and cover information on the grants program, time frames, completing the online form and tips on writing a great application.

- Tuesday 22 July: 5.30pm - 6.30pm (In person at the Dandenong Civic Centre, 225 Lonsdale Street, Dandenong).
- Thursday 31 July: 10am - 11am (In person at the Springvale Community Hub, 5 Hillcrest Grove, Springvale).
- Wednesday 6 August: 1.30pm - 2.30pm (online).

Bookings are essential. Please RSVP [here](#).



Important Dates

Applications must be submitted by the closing date. Late applications will not be accepted.

Partnerships Grants Program

Opening Date: Monday 14 July 2025

Closing Date: 11.59pm AEST Monday 11 August

Notification of Outcome: January 2026

Project Period Starts: 1 July 2026

Project Period Ends: 30 June 2028



Online Application Process

Council has an online grant application process. Access to the grant guidelines and application portal is found on the website.

greaterdandenong.vic.gov.au/grants.

Application Support

The Community Funding Team are here to help! Grant application support is offered during office hours and evenings by appointment.

To contact the team please email commgrants@cgd.vic.gov.au or phone 8571 1432



Grants Program Overview

PROGRAM	STREAM	AMOUNTS
SMALL GRANTS	Individual Achievement Grant	Up to \$500
	Community Group Activities Grants	Up to \$1,500
	Entry Level Grants	Up to \$1,000
	Responsive Project Grants	Up to \$1,500
MEDIUM GRANTS	Community Development	Up to \$10,000
	Climate Change	Up to \$5,000
	Arts, Festivals and Events	Up to \$10,000
	Individual Artists	Up to \$5,000
LARGE GRANTS	Partnership Grants	Up to \$50,000
	Strategic Grants	Up to \$80,000
	Sponsorships	Up to \$40,000

Further information including eligibility requirements, program dates and the online application form can be found on Council's Grants Program can be found on Council's website.

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