



Bridge to Opportunity

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COMMUNITY groups in need of a hand to get a project off the ground are encouraged to apply for a share of the Rural City of Murray Bridge Grants Program now open.

A variety of grants are available for initiatives that benefit the community including:

- Community Grants
- Sport & Recreation Facility Grants
- Environmental & Climate Change Grants
- Youth at Risk Grants
- Riverfront Activation Grants
- Building Enhancement Grants.

Mayor Brenton Lewis said the grants program aimed to support community groups, clubs and non-profit organisations to deliver projects, events and activities that contribute to the wellbeing and quality of life for residents.

"We see a vast array of projects and events delivered across the Rural City of Murray Bridge each year, from environmental initiatives, to sporting infrastructure, community events and everything in between," he said.

"I encourage our community groups to consider initiatives they want to deliver and apply for Council funding - especially if they have not applied for funding previously.

"We would certainly love to be able to lend a hand where we can."

Community and Environmental Climate Change Grants are capped at \$5,000 each, with recipients required to match the amount dollar-for-dollar or in-kind.

Applicants must be incorporated or have the support of a suitable incorporated body to receive funds on the applicant's behalf.

Previous grant recipients must acquit their last grant before applying for another.

An information session will be held 12 noon Thursday 18 February in upstairs at the Murray Bridge Town Hall. Please RSVP by Tuesday 16 February to Simone Zrna on 8539 1182 or email s.zrna@murraybridge.sa.gov.au.

For more information on Council Grants or to download an application form, visit murraybridge.gov.au or the Local Government Centre.

Applications for this round close 4.45pm Friday 5 March 2021 - those recommended for approval following assessment will be considered at the April Council Meeting.