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LOCAL GROUPS INVITED TO APPLY FOR INFRASTRUCTURE GRANTS

Local community groups can now apply for grants to support new and upgraded facilities for sport and recreation, arts and culture and emergency preparedness under the NSW Government's improved Infrastructure Grants program.

Applications are open until **Monday 21 August** for the first of four new funding rounds each year as part of changes that give more communities the chance to access funding more often.

Organisations including councils, non-profit organisations and non-trading cooperatives are invited to apply for grants in the following new funding ranges:

Sport & Recreation: \$100,000 to \$300,000 per project

Arts & Culture: \$50,000 to \$200,000 per project

Emergency Preparedness: \$10,000 to \$200,000 per project

Infrastructure Grants are funded through Clubgrants Category 3, which reinvests 0.4 per cent of clubs' gaming machine profits over \$1 million back into community projects.

Liquor & Gaming NSW offers \$12.5 million in grants each year for projects to support new and upgraded facilities that make a real difference to local communities.

Priority consideration is given to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities, regional and remote communities, disadvantaged communities and culturally and linguistically diverse communities.

Organisations have four opportunities to apply for grants throughout the year: August and November 2017, February and May 2018.

[Visit our website](#) for more information about eligibility and how to apply, or contact the Grants team on (02) 9995 0992.

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