

DEPARTMENT OF JOBS, SKILLS, INDUSTRY AND REGIONS

RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

2024-25 FINANCIAL AND PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES

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Public Accounts and Estimates Committee
Inquiry into the 2024-25 Financial and Performance Outcomes

Questions taken on notice and further information agreed to be supplied at the hearings.

Portfolio:	Regional Development
Witness:	Xavier Csar, CEO Regional Development Victoria
Committee Member:	Ms Jade Benham, MP
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Relevant text:

Jade BENHAM: Can we have a list as to what programs were open last year and who the Tiny Towns grants went to? That would be terrific. Just by government area is fine.

Matt CARRICK: Just in terms of Tiny Towns – absolutely. We will come back with grants by LGA for you. We will get you that information.

Answer:

In 2024-25, Regional Development Victoria had 2 grant programs open. This included the Tiny Towns Fund - Round 2, which opened in August 2024 and closed in October 2024, and the Regional Worker Accommodation Fund - Round 2, which opened in November 2024 and closed in January 2025.

A total of 392 approved Tiny Towns Fund grants under Round 1 and Round 2 were distributed across 54 local government authorities in Victoria and are listed by Local Government Area, project name and town/location and approved grant amount in Table 1.

The Tiny Towns Fund is currently open for Round 3 applications.

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Table 1 - Tiny Towns Fund Grants for Rounds 1 and 2

Local Government Area	Project Name	Town Name	Approved Grant
Alpine Shire Council (9 grants)	Dederang Football Oval Lighting Upgrade	Dederang	\$50,000
	Harrietville Community Hall Entry, Access and parking	Harrietville	\$50,000
	Bright Senior Citizens Centre Outdoor Improvements - covered BBQ, fence and pave area	Bright	\$50,000
	Mount Beauty Amateur Swimming Club Storage Shed Project	Mount Beauty	\$46,025
	Myrtleford Community Resilience Leadership Program	Myrtleford	\$40,328
	Bright United Football and Netball Club Storage Upgrade	Bright	\$17,104
	Dinner Plain Community Garden	Dinner Plain	\$41,025
	Harrietville Trails Masterplan	Harrietville	\$37,300
	Ireland Street illumination, installing lights in medium strip	Bright	\$18,160
Ararat Rural City Council (3 grants)	Buangor Recreation Reserve Pavilion Redevelopment - completion of the new building extension, public amenities and new storage facilities	Buangor	\$50,000
	Great Western historical sculpture park	Great Western	\$50,000
	Willaura Environmental Garden and Artspace	Willaura	\$50,000
Ballarat City Council (4 grants)	Cardigan Village Reserve Upgrade - new accessible play space equipment.	Cardigan Village	\$50,000
	The Buninyong Christmas Festival	Buninyong	\$28,000
	Warrenheip Nature Playground	Warrenheip	\$50,000
	Burrumbeet Soldiers Memorial Hall - Storage and improved access project	Burrumbeet	\$39,440
Bass Coast Shire Council (7 grants)	All abilities access to Clubhouse	Newhaven	\$29,788
	Archies Creek Public Hall Upgrade and Redevelopment Stage One.	Archies Creek	\$50,000
	The River Garden - Developing a place-based hub for gathering, learning and growing community in Bass	Bass	\$39,700
	Coronet Bay Community Garden Room and Shelter	Coronet Bay	\$30,784
	Essential upgrade of Smiths Beach Rescue Base - replacing the existing steel staircase with treated pine timber stairs	Smith's Beach	\$50,000
	Glen Alvie and Kernot Community Centre activation and resilience	Glen Alvie	\$37,500

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	Rhyll Wetlands Interactive Signage and Soundscape Experience	Rhyll	\$38,200
Baw Baw Shire Council (12 grants)	"Desperate for a Dignified Dunny"- Accessible Toilets for Hill End Community Centre	Hill End	\$42,026
	Ellinbank Badminton Club Venue New Roof and Insulation	Ellinbank	\$21,341
	Gerry's Shed Completion Project - Including accessible toilet/shower, mess/meeting room/kitchen, the consulting/tech/communication room	Neerim Junction	\$50,000
	Neerim District Discovery and Community Capacity Building Workshops	Neerim South	\$6,000
	Walhalla Museum Upgrade and Development	Walhalla	\$50,000
	Erica Public Memorial Hall - New Septic System	Erica	\$12,405
	Main Toilet Block upgrade and modernisation	Caringal	\$50,000
	Purchase and installation of integrated smoke alarm system	Trafalgar	\$46,344
	Revive Blue Rock Lake: Foreshore Stabilization and Community Path Renewal Project	Willow Grove	\$35,186
	Seaview Mechanics Institute Septic System Upgrade	Seaview	\$8,448
	The Noojee Railway Station Precinct Interpretive Signage Project	Noojee	\$32,000
	Thorpdale Mechanics Institute Roof Replacement	Thorpdale	\$30,964
Benalla Rural City Council (2 grants)	Baddaginnie Jubilee Hall Interior Restoration	Baddaginnie	\$9,988
	Keeping Devenish Public Hall alive - new stumps, replace floorboards	Devenish	\$50,000
Borough of Queenscliffe (3 grants)	The refurbishment of The Gil Allbutt Boat Shed	Queenscliff	\$50,000
	DAV Accessibility Carriage Restoration	Queenscliff	\$36,000
	Resurfacing the basketball court located at 22 Bowen Rd, Point Lonsdale	Point Lonsdale	\$39,252
Buloke Shire Council (7 grants)	Berriwillock Tennis Court Refurbishment	Berriwillock	\$50,000
	Culgoa Tourism Signage	Culgoa	\$30,750
	Lions Park Development - replace the existing gravel path with a concrete path	Charlton	\$17,885
	Nullawil Community Building Development	Nullawil	\$50,000
	Watchem Streetscape and Walking Track Improvements	Watchem	\$50,000
	Birchip Silo Art Project	Birchip	\$50,000
	Nandaly Tennis Court Refurbishment	Nandaly	\$50,000

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Campaspe Shire Council (8 grants)	Interpretive Signage - Gargarro Botanic Garden	Girgarre	\$30,595
	Rochester Go Kart Club Kitchen Upgrade and Renovation	Nanneella	\$44,740
	Active Rochester - Upgrading existing walking track and installation of a bike/tyre repair station	Rochester	\$37,108
	Purchase of multi-discipline down the line clay target shooting traps to replace our outdated, and old, traps	Burnewang	\$40,028
	Resurface of oval at Bamawm Extension Recreation Reserve	Bamawm Extension	\$9,610
	Rushworth Bowls Club Exterior Refurbishment - exterior painting of the Rushworth Bowls Clubhouse	Rushworth	\$9,500
	Stanhope Community Hall Upgrade- Including interior painting, repair toilets, emergency exit doors, hot water service, air conditioning units	Stanhope	\$34,000
	TCAC Rehab - Upgrading meeting rooms, replacing flooring covers and fittings in all rooms	Tongala	\$48,025
	Bunyip Connect Inc - Adventure Playground	Bunyip	\$38,086
	Cardinia Shire Council - Greenland Court Reserve Playspace Upgrade	Garfield	\$50,000
Cardinia Shire Council (10 grants)	Cardinia Shire Council - Lang Lang Public Artwork	Lang Lang	\$50,000
	Cora Lynn Recreation Reserve Committee - Dam restoration	Cora Lynn	\$8,250
	Koo Wee Rup Township Committee - Koo Wee Rup Train Mural	Koo Wee Rup	\$28,800
	Tonimbuk East Hall Committee - Tonimbuk Hall Outdoor Development Project	Tonimbuk	\$48,800
	Hillview Bunyip Aged Care - Eileen Dawes Activity Centre - Kitchen Fit out	Bunyip	\$5,000
	Bunyip Showgrounds and Reserve - Playground enhancement	Bunyip	\$50,000
	Moy-Yan Neighbourhood House - Community gardens upgrade and art space	Garfield	\$40,000
	Turning point church - Pathway to Care: Improving accessibility	Koo Wee Rup	\$50,000
	Blind Bight Community Centre - Refurbishment and upgrade to hall and office	Blind Bight	\$5,491
	Casey City Council - Greening Tooradin - Street beautification and Parks upgrade	Cranbourne	\$45,429
Casey City Council (7 grants)	Casey City Council - Warneet Recreation Reserve Playground Renewal	Warneet	\$50,000
	Casey City Council - Blind Bight Street and open space beautification	Blind Bight	\$43,422

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	Casey City Council - Greening Devon Meadows - Street and open space beautification	Devon Meadows	\$44,784
	Casey City Council - Irene Parade Playground Renewal Cannons Creek	Cannons Creek	\$50,000
	Toorak Angling Club and South Eastern Anglers - Clubhouse Upgrades	Warneet	\$50,000
Central Goldfields Shire Council (10 grants)	Adelaide Lead Hall Upgrades	Adelaide Lead	\$9,000
	Bealiba Historic Horse Trough Relocation	Bealiba	\$21,563
	Bowenvale Playground Upgrade	Bowenvale	\$50,000
	Majorca Historic Cemetery Beautification	Majorca	\$37,500
	Senior Citizens Hall Upgrade - Electrical switchboard and Heating / Cooling Upgrade	Dunolly	\$31,050
	Talbot Hall Renewal - Restump, structural repairs, re-lay flooring, pressed metal repairs and rood repairs.	Talbot	\$50,000
	Tullaroop Leisure Centre Upgrades - court resealing, carpet and security upgrades	Carisbrook	\$50,000
	Bealiba Hall History Room refurbishment and exterior painting	Bealiba	\$31,702
	Daisy Hill Community Centre Kitchen Upgrade	Daisy Hill	\$12,000
	Wareek Community Hall Upgrades - new accessible access ramp and security lighting	Wareek	\$12,000
Colac-Otway Shire Council (10 grants)	Beeac Recreation Reserve Surface Regeneration	Beeac	\$28,303
	Echidna House Community and Schools Campground	Kawarren	\$8,950
	Forrest hall upgrade - timber floor to be professionally sanded and resurfaced, update electrical board	Forrest	\$42,240
	Kennett River Tennis Reserve Upgrade	Kennett River	\$50,000
	Light the Hall - gallery lighting at the Red Rock Regional Theatre and Gallery	Cororooke	\$16,616
	Lighting, sound and projection purchase, install and training	Apollo Bay	\$40,000
	Reimagine Community Lawn Bowling - provide shade, seating, upgrade fencing and BBQ area	Birregurra	\$48,975
	Strengthening community through rebuild of the old Beech Forest bakery oven	Beech Forest	\$45,888
	Upgrade the vacated Preschool building for Community use	Apollo Bay	\$50,000
	Wye River SLSC Clubhouse Transformation - Enhancing Community Benefits	Wye River	\$28,263
Corangamite Shire Council (11 grants)	Add some art to the Park - quirky seating and community painted animal sculptures	Simpson	\$15,000

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	Alderwood Manor Sustainability Project - increasing the venue's capacity	Cobden	\$50,000
	Camperdown Botanic Gardens Pathway Upgrade	Camperdown	\$50,000
	Civic Hall Floor- new flooring glued and secret nailed to the existing floor	Terang	\$50,000
	Darlington Hall reflooring project	Darlington	\$40,000
	Dining Room Tales X Keayang Maar 2024 - internationally acclaimed Dining Room Tales	Dixie	\$40,000
	Cobden Tandarook Park Restoration Stage Three - including tables, seats, benches	Cobden	\$40,000
	Lismore Footbridge Replacement	Lismore	\$50,000
	Resurface of Camperdown Timboon Rail Trail between Timboon Township and the Curdies Historic Trestle Bridge	Timboon	\$46,500
	Skipton Jubilee Park Toilet Upgrade	Skipton	\$50,000
	South Purumbete Reserve Rejuvenation: Resurrecting the old football rooms to be vibrant community spaces	South Purumbete	\$50,000
East Gippsland Shire Council (20 grants)	All abilities upgrade - concrete pathway - disabled toilet to unisex	Lindenow South	\$37,200
	Bruthen Pottery and Arts Space	Bruthen	\$42,532
	Culture and Sculpture Wetlands Walk Rejuvenation	Nowa Nowa	\$9,167
	Gelantipy Hall Kitchen upgrade	Wulgulmerang East	\$50,000
	Lake Tyers Story of Place	Lake Tyers Beach	\$35,000
	'Lakeside' - public sculptor	Mallacoota	\$50,000
	Multi-Purpose Function Rooms Refurbishments	Omeo	\$27,047
	Nowa Nowa Pony Club Building Recladding	Nowa Nowa	\$18,000
	pARTicipate - Bringing the big screen and touring exhibitions to Orbost	Orbost	\$50,000
	Paynesville Community Expo	Paynesville	\$8,000
	Swifts Creek Pony Club Multi-Purpose Arena and Cross-Country Track	Swifts Creek	\$29,976
	Tubbut Resilience and Tourism Service Centre	Tubbut	\$50,000
	Undercover area and BBQ	Swan Reach	\$46,020
	Upgrading the Community Seedbank facility in Mt.Taylor	Mount Taylor	\$40,622
	Benambra Caravan Hub Facilities: Attracting and Serving Visitors and Enhancing Social Connectivity	Benambra	\$50,000

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	Community Outdoor Tables - Ten new Picnic Tables	Granite Rock	\$5,600
	Glenaladale Recreation Reserve Hall facilities upgrade	Glenaladale	\$48,000
	Jane Davidson Toilet Block	Buchan	\$50,000
	Johnsonville Community Play space	Johnsonville	\$50,000
	Mossi Hall Shed- installation of a storage shed	Mossiface	\$14,880
Gannawarra Shire Council (4 grants)	New Outdoor Seating	Cohuna	\$9,712
	I need a roof - A building to house a tram and carriage	Kerang	\$31,188
	Installation of a multi-purpose electronic scoreboard at the Leitchville Recreation Reserve	Leitchville	\$50,000
	Wellington Street Gate - Replace gates with an automated security gate for Kerang Racecourse	Kerang	\$15,400
Glenelg Shire Council (10 grants)	Bahgallah Hall Roof Replacement	Bahgallah	\$15,200
	Casterton Football/ Netball Club-Kitchen Refurbishment	Casterton	\$40,000
	Heathmere Recreation Reserve Playground Upgrade	Heathmere	\$21,725
	Merino Public Hall upgrades	Merino	\$11,312
	Nelson Outdoor Furniture Upgrades	Nelson	\$19,401
	Old Bore Site Upgrade	Merino	\$10,000
	Gavin Lowe Pavilion refurbishment	Sandford	\$17,500
	Play Safe Tyrendarra	Tyrendarra	\$40,000
	Spectator/Competitor Amenities Block	Heathmere	\$30,000
	Upgrades to the Mumbannar Hall, both internally and externally.	Mumbannar	\$50,000
Golden Plains Shire Council (6 grants)	Improvements to the Shelford Common	Shelford	\$11,551
	Inverleigh Public Hall Capacity Expansion Project	Inverleigh	\$50,000
	Linton Recreation Reserve Electronic Scoreboard	Linton	\$39,280
	19 th Century Police Stable - Paint and Repair	Smythesdale	\$12,700
	Making Cape Clear a vibrant community, liveable, green and safe to increase liveability and safety of Cape Clear.	Cape Clear	\$41,292
	Scoreboard and storage at the Don Wallace Reserve	Teesdale	\$50,000

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Greater Bendigo City Council (6 grants)	Axedale Township Basketball and Netball Half Court	Axedale	\$49,799
	Electrify Marong Feasibility Study	Marong	\$15,000
	Heathcote Main Street Revitalisation Design Project	Heathcote	\$50,000
	Neilborough Public Hall - New roof over existing Community Hall roof.	Neilborough	\$23,221
	Raywood Kitchen extension / renewal	Raywood	\$50,000
	Woodvale Recreation Reserve Play space	Woodvale	\$27,500
Greater Geelong City Council (7 grants)	Anakie and District Community House Garden Revamp	Anakie	\$19,800
	Ceres Recreation Reserve Playground Project	Ceres	\$50,000
	Clubhouse refurbishment of Indented Head Yacht Club	Indented Head	\$10,000
	Repainting of Point Richards Station and Signal Box Buildings	Portarlington	\$21,000
	Upgrade entrance surface and courtyard surface and shade	St Leonards	\$11,416
	Wallington Recreation Reserve Baseball field development	Wallington	\$50,000
Greater Shepparton City Council (8 grants)	Portarlington Coast carers: Pride in Place	Portarlington	\$15,600
	Keeping the Electricity Safe and On - Electrical switchboard upgrade	Tatura	\$11,000
	Multi Zone PA System	Shepparton East	\$17,500
	Community Garden Improvement- Path and BBQ shelter	Murchison	\$5,000
	Concrete Paths for - Bowling Green Access and BBQ area extension	Tallygaroopna	\$26,559
	Dookie Youth Spot Enhancement Project - outdoor table tennis table	Dookie	\$11,425
	Junior Playing Ground Irrigation System	Murchison	\$29,948
	Space for All: Tatura Community House Revamp	Tatura	\$29,185
Hepburn Shire Council (11 grants)	Upgrade of Lighting System for existing Merrigum Bowls Club Green	Merrigum	\$17,736
	Accessible Equestrian Mounting Ramp Glenlyon Recreation Reserve	Glenlyon	\$37,500
	Lyonville Hall Landscaping project	Lyonville	\$50,000
	Mosaic Bollards in Creswick	Creswick	\$5,871
	Newlyn Recreation reserve Play Space Upgrade Planning	Newlyn	\$18,750
	Queens Park shade structure over the playground (Clunes)	Clunes	\$45,000

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	Trentham Outdoor Fitness Equipment Installation	Trentham	\$44,970
	Victoria Park, Daylesford Masterplan Development	Daylesford	\$50,000
	Welcome to the Courthouse - Complete refurbishment of the entry foyer of Creswick Courthouse Theatre	Creswick	\$8,000
	Completion of Bullarto Railway Station - Lighting, fencing, cabinetry and water tank	Bullarto	\$42,525
	Discover Anderson's Mill: a self-guided walk	Smeaton	\$20,000
	Korweinguboorra Recreation Reserve Uplift Project	Spargo Creek	\$24,000
Hindmarsh Shire Council (5 grants)	Dimboola Community Centre Refurbishment	Dimboola	\$46,500
	Nhill Off Leash Dog Park	Nhill	\$49,998
	Revitalisation of Jeparit's Roy Street	Jeparit	\$36,405
	Re-imagining Rainbow Holiday Park Entrance	Rainbow	\$50,000
	Yaapeet Streetscape works	Yaapeet	\$50,000
Horsham Rural City Council (10 grants)	Accessible toilet for the Moore Exhibition Centre	Longerenong	\$42,000
	Laharum Hall Upgrade - acoustic ceiling	Laharum	\$14,346
	Laharum Oval Community Facility Kitchen Upgrade	Laharum	\$11,363
	Natimuk and District Soldiers Memorial Hall Internal Upgrades	Natimuk	\$13,682
	Natimuk Showground Community Recreation Reserve Master Plan	Natimuk	\$17,748
	Quantong Community Centre Flooring upgrade	Quantong	\$25,000
	Horsham Golf Club Mini Golf Course Development Feasibility study	Haven	\$48,000
	Telangatuk East Hall Upgrade	Telangatuk East	\$18,900
	Upgrade of Dadswells Bridge Hall	Dadswells Bridge	\$22,000
	Wimmera Kart racing Club Inc Education, Communication and Safety Project	Dooen	\$8,309
Indigo Shire Council (15 grants)	Allans Flat Shelter - Shelter and seating	Allans Flat	\$48,578
	Beechworth Mountain Bike Skills Park	Beechworth	\$26,944
	Bringing sport back to Stanley - Oval resurface, cricket nets	Stanley	\$28,000
	Chiltern Bowling Club - Floodlighting upgrade	Chiltern	\$17,325
	Cornishtown Hall Reserve concrete path and toilet block lining project.	Cornishtown	\$6,200
	Kiewa Cricket Ground Fence	Kiewa	\$37,972

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	Tangambalanga Active Park shelter	Tangambalanga	\$50,000
	Wahgunyah Railway Reserve Playground	Wahgunyah	\$50,000
	Yack Tracks Red Loop Completion	Yackandandah	\$12,870
	Allans Flat Tennis Club Court Resurfacing	Allans Flat	\$30,000
	Barnawartha Streetscape Improvements	Barnawartha	\$45,125
	Chiltern Recreation Reserve Play space installation	Chiltern	\$45,198
	Installation of a toilet block at the Yackandandah Adult Riding Club	Yackandandah	\$34,618
	Rutherglen Maternal and Child Health Clinic Accessible Toilet	Rutherglen	\$40,944
	Sporting Infrastructure Upgrade - Soccer Goals for Yackandandah Sports Park Facility	Yackandandah	\$5,532
Latrobe City Council (5 grants)	Renewal of Cricket Nets - Toongabbie Recreation Reserve	Toongabbie	\$50,000
	Supply and installation of water fountains - Churchill	Churchill	\$5,748
	Tyers Recreation Reserve - Water fountain installation	Tyers	\$9,350
	Access improvements to the Yinnar Historical Society and Centenary Park	Yinnar	\$50,000
	Boolarra Memorial Hall Projector and Screen	Boolarra	\$8,380
Loddon Shire Council (4 grants)	Amenities Block upgrade	Tarnagulla	\$32,000
	Let's Light Up Court Two!	Boort	\$50,000
	Bridgewater Rec Reserve Multipurpose Court Resurfacing	Bridgewater	\$47,564
	Goods Shed Hub development	Inglewood	\$34,510
Macedon Ranges Shire Council (14 grants)	Build it and they will come - Lauriston Community Hall Grounds Landscaping	Lauriston	\$42,000
	Classy carpet for our much loved and historic hall	Newham	\$8,170
	Community and Visitor Information Screen	Malmsbury	\$29,104
	Lancefield Park Pump Track	Lancefield	\$16,000
	Malmsbury Town Centre Activation Plan	Malmsbury	\$10,000
	Mt Macedon Memorial Cross Narration Project	Mount Macedon	\$50,000
	Riddells Creek Town Centre Activation Plan	Riddells Creek	\$10,000

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	Volunteer Community Gardening Program - Capacity Building and Facility Improvement Project	Macedon	\$38,840
	Barfold Community Hall Upgrades	Barfold	\$50,000
	Bolinda Hall Walking Track	Bolinda	\$6,680
	Jubilee Hall Landscaping Project	Macedon	\$50,000
	Refurbishment of Seating at Memorial Cross Reserve	Mount Macedon	\$7,660
	Replace Annex Space Floor Covering	Lancefield	\$6,266
	Town Centre Action Plan Implementation: Station Street Enhancement Stage 1	Riddells Creek	\$10,800
Mansfield Shire Council (7 grants)	Billy's House - Relocation and weather proofing historic building	Bonnie Doon	\$50,000
	Creating a safe and secure community gathering place for recreation, and in times of emergency, as a refuge	Merrijig	\$45,005
	Gerrans Reserve Jamieson - Bandstand Proposal	Jamieson	\$17,701
	Goughs Bay Community Hub	Goughs Bay	\$19,419
	Merton Community Skate Park	Merton	\$50,000
	Upgrade of Tolmie Tennis Court	Tolmie	\$22,000
	Enhancing Safety at the Goughs Bay Boat, Sport, Recreation and Community Hub	Goughs Bay	\$23,800
Mildura Rural City Council (5 grants)	Carwarp Hall Restoration - Restumping	Carwarp	\$30,712
	Court Resurfacing- new acrylic surface	Underbool	\$49,692
	Koorlong Public Hall Rejuvenation Project	Koorlong	\$5,116
	Refurbishment of the balcony of the Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre	Red Cliffs	\$25,712
	Werrimull Campground Playground Project	Werrimull	\$27,290
Mitchell Shire Council (4 grants)	Netball/Tennis Court Spectator Tiered Seating	Pyalong	\$11,411
	Shade Structure at L.B.Davern Reserve Wandong	Wandong	\$10,000
	High Camp Community - a wonderful past, an exciting future	High Camp	\$38,252
	Mitchell Shire Council - We are Beveridge Community Art Project	Beveridge	\$9,695
Moira Shire Council (5 grants)	Invergordon Outdoor Activity Centre	Invergordon	\$50,000
	Nathalia Tennis Court Fencing	Nathalia	\$50,000

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	Community Gathering Park- all abilities BBQ fully covered	Tungamah	\$38,696
	Picola Bowls Club lighting upgrade	Picola	\$24,000
	Silo Art Waaia	Waaia	\$46,400
Moorabool Shire Council (8 grants)	Carberry Drive Recreation Reserve Upgrade	Hopetoun Park	\$50,000
	Clarendon Recreation Reserve Stage 3 Masterplan - multi age and abilities playground	Clarendon	\$45,000
	Undertake a native vegetation survey and develop an updated landscape concept plan for Paddock Creek Reserve	Gordon	\$25,240
	Ballan Cycling Hub Feasibility Study	Ballan	\$37,500
	Blackwood Hiking Hub Feasibility Study	Blackwood	\$37,500
	Dales Creek Community Reserve Upgrade	Dales Creek	\$50,000
	Lal Lal Falls Reserve Masterplan	Lal Lal	\$50,000
	Mount Egerton Memorial Park	Mount Egerton	\$7,200
Mornington Peninsula Shire Council (8 grants)	Mornington Peninsula Shire Council - Bittern Community Hall Amenity	Bittern	\$50,000
	Point Nepean Men's Shed - Stringer Reserve Facility Extension	Blairgowrie	\$22,000
	Westernport Biosphere Reserve - French Island Signage Project	Hastings	\$8,000
	WhiteCliffs to Camerons Bight Foreshore Reserve Committee - Blairgowrie recreational infrastructure upgrades	Blairgowrie	\$21,754
	Western Port Tourism - Tourism Information Boards installation and upgrades	Flinders	\$9,100
	Mornington Peninsula Shire Council - Merricks to Red Hill Rail Trail Wayfinding Signage	Red Hill South	\$46,100
	Mornington Peninsula Shire Council - Tyabb Tennis Lighting	Tyabb	\$50,000
	The Scout Association of Australia - Cook, Share, Connect: Red Hill Scout Hall Kitchen Project	Red Hill	\$50,000
Mount Alexander Shire Council (9 grants)	Fryerstown Public Park playground accessibility upgrade and BBQ area improvements	Fryerstown	\$50,000
	Keeping the ball in play - Removal and replacement of 50-plus year-old rail fence around the playing field	Newstead	\$49,709

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	Chewton Community Park welcomes everyone	Chewton	\$7,200
	James Park Upgrades - perimeter fencing and power bollards and improve drainage	Harcourt	\$50,000
	Maldon Golf Club Kitchen Upgrade	Maldon	\$28,800
	Metcalfe Recreation Reserve Upgrades	Metcalfe	\$49,400
	Recreation Reserve Fence Upgrade	Muckleford	\$44,120
	Walk Tarrangower Village - upgrading walking paths to 1.5mt	Maldon	\$14,553
	Weaving a River: a community arts and place-making project	Newstead	\$30,400
Moyne Shire Council (13 grants)	Beautification for Montgomery Pavilion	Mortlake	\$18,485
	Koroit Theatre Activation Business Case	Koroit	\$28,615
	Limestone Track Installation	Macarthur	\$18,081
	Nirranda Recreation Reserve Master Plan	Nirranda	\$24,317
	Port Fairy Basketball Stadium Refurbishment	Rosebrook	\$16,800
	Port Fairy Goods Shed 3 Phase Power	Port Fairy	\$22,368
	Apex Park Hawkesdale upgrade - asphalt paths, ground levelling, new signage, concrete spoon drainage.	Hawkesdale	\$50,000
	Garvoc Community Hall shade sail	Garvoc	\$18,860
	Killarney Beach Caravan Park / reserve refurbishment	Killarney	\$47,725
	Nullawarre Kindergarten upgrade	Nullawarre	\$14,325
	Peterborough Hall acoustic upgrade	Peterborough	\$23,039
	Winslow Hall Urgent and Essential works	Winslow	\$13,407
	Woorndoo Recreation Reserve kitchen upgrade	Woorndoo	\$50,000
Murrindindi Shire Council (9 grants)	Healthy Hamlets Sustainable Streetscapes	Alexandra	\$25,000
	Literal Pony Club barn-raising - demolition of existing enclosed storage shed and purchase and installation of new shed	Yea	\$32,000
	Re-surfacing the Acheron tennis court	Acheron	\$30,050
	Alexandra Indoor Heated Pool - install 2 Split systems	Alexandra	\$10,000
	Community Hub Upgrade Project - Install space-efficient storage units, update kitchen	Glenburn	\$18,803
	Fawcett connects and improves initiative - all-access paved path and upgrade in septic lines	Fawcett	\$34,185

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	Highlands Hall Security Upgrade	Highlands	\$6,000
	Construct a shade structure for all players, elderly, children and community spectators during bowls activities	Alexandra	\$30,400
	Toolangi cricket pitch refurbishment	Toolangi	\$16,000
Nillumbik Shire Council (9 grants)	A E Cracknell Recreation Reserve Committee - Audio, Video and Lighting System for the Hall Stage	Panton Hill	\$47,633
	Nillumbik Shire Council - Hurstbridge Community Hub Shade Sail	Hurstbridge	\$30,000
	Research Tennis Club - Replacement of tennis court surfaces	Research	\$39,766
	Strathewen Public Hall Inc - Acoustic panels	Strathewen	\$14,968
	Allwood Neighbourhood House - Allwood Performance Space Upgrade	Hurstbridge	\$50,000
	Arthurs Creek Community Centre - Kitchen Upgrade	Arthurs Creek	\$40,000
	Diamond Valley Archery Club - Target Range Disability Access Upgrade.	Yarrambat	\$17,886
	St Andrews Community Centre - St Andrews Tile Revival project	St Andrews	\$17,275
	Wattle Glen Tennis Club - LED Light Upgrade	Wattle Glen	\$23,374
Northern Grampians Shire Council (5 grants)	Halls Gap Hub Upgrade	Halls Gap	\$50,000
	Marnoo Memorial Park refurbishment and upgrade	Marnoo	\$50,000
	Public Art at the Pebble Church	Carapooee	\$8,694
	St Arnaud Country Club (SACC) - Clubhouse improvements to provide accessibility for disabled persons	St Arnaud	\$50,000
	Expansion and Integration of Stuart Mill communal areas	Stuart Mill	\$38,090
Pyrenees Shire Council (5 grants)	Community Hub Upgrade - roof guttering and sound proofing	Natte Yallock	\$49,292
	Refurbish windows and external timberwork of Evansford Community Centre	Evansford	\$12,000
	Resurfacing Putting Greens damaged by previous long wet winters	Beaufort	\$26,400
	Avoca Entrance Sculpture	Avoca	\$37,500
	Play for Life is the construction of a new playground at the Waubra Recreation Reserve	Waubra	\$50,000
South Gippsland Shire Council (18 grants)	Corner Inlet Community Kitchen Upgrade	Foster	\$9,520

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	Dance of the Leaves: a community performance project	Fish Creek	\$21,376
	Darlimurla Hall outdoor gathering space and storage expansion	Darlimurla	\$5,840
	Entertainment Makeover 2024 - Carpark makeover, stage lighting	Mount Best	\$6,360
	Jeetho - a town to remember - kit shelter and picnic table	Jeetho	\$19,970
	Loch Memorial Reserve Playground Renewal	Loch	\$41,425
	MDU FNC Netball Court Upgrade	Meeniyan	\$50,000
	Mirboo North Grain store Master Plan Development 2024	Mirboo North	\$18,845
	New Sandy Point "Welcome" sign	Sandy Point	\$10,000
	Purchase of new Male and Female umpires changerooms	Nyora	\$11,076
	Repairs and replacement of the train carrier's roofs	Korumburra	\$50,000
	Strzelecki Public Hall - Restumping and Internal Flooring	Strzelecki	\$44,676
	Tarwin Lower Pony Club facility upgrade	Tarwin Lower	\$14,740
	Koonwarra Public Shelter	Koonwarra	\$50,000
	Nerrena Cricket Club Nets Replacement Project	Nerrena	\$29,365
	Repair and Resurface Tennis Courts	Outtrim	\$40,000
	Upgrade to Kongwak Tennis Courts	Kongwak	\$50,000
	Yanakie Community Hall Rejuvenation	Yanakie	\$50,000
Southern Grampians Shire Council (7 grants)	Balmoral Rec Reserve Landscaping and Playground project	Balmoral	\$40,315
	Lighting Upgrade Penshurst Oval	Penhurst	\$20,000
	Community Gathering Space	Branxholme	\$5,524
	Dunkeld Arboretum Toilet Project	Dunkeld	\$30,000
	Mooralla Community Centre Ceiling Insulation and Air Conditioning	Mooralla	\$18,924
	St Peters meeting room and toilet facilities	Glenthompson	\$50,000
	Wannon Connect: bridges, boards and bikes	Wannon	\$23,613
Strathbogie Shire Council (3 grants)	Nagambie Mechanics Institute Kitchen Redevelopment Project	Nagambie	\$50,000
	Upgrade to Audio Visual facilities at the Violet Town Community Hall	Violet Town	\$32,000

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	R.A.G.E. Regional Art Group Euroa. A reclaimed, re-imaged and reused Art exhibition	Euroa	\$50,000
Surf Coast Shire Council (3 grants)	ASLSC Upgrade to Power Distribution Panel	Anglesea	\$30,000
	Aireys Inlet Community Information and Wayfinding Hub	Aireys Inlet	\$46,946
	Interpretive Signage for Winchelsea Arboretum Trail (WAT)	Winchelsea	\$40,000
Swan Hill Rural City Council (4 grants)	Activating and Illuminate Lake Boga Silo Art	Lake Boga	\$37,725
	Piangil Memorial Park Activation Project	Piangil	\$25,125
	Wattle Street Activation Project - installation of two Loop Outdoor Pods	Manangatang	\$25,125
	Memorial Park Stage 1- Pathway and WW1 plaques	Ultima	\$22,720
Towong Shire Council (9 grants)	Playles Hill Park Reinvigoration and Enhancement	Corryong	\$50,000
	Refurbishment of Building - replacement of kitchenette Rewiring, plumbing and landscapes	Tallangatta	\$27,681
	Talgarno Recreation Reserve Child-Safe Fire Pit	Talgarno	\$14,393
	Corryong Bowls Club Refurbishment and Upgrades	Corryong	\$20,656
	Documenting and sharing Leneva's heritage with new generations	Leneva	\$8,000
	Eskdale Visitor Information Centre Access and Revitalisation Project	Eskdale	\$50,000
	Gundowring Hall and Reserve Storage Facility	Gundowring	\$16,088
	Permanent Shelter Shed for Second Netball Court	Tangambalanga	\$11,200
	Wyebooboo Reserve Picnic Area	Tallangatta	\$34,252
Wangaratta Rural City Council (4 grants)	Glenrowan Augmented Reality Siege Site Experience - Streetscape	Glenrowan	\$50,000
	Acoustic Curtains, Main Stage Everton Hall	Everton	\$5,500
	Feasibility Study for upgrade of Moyhu Tennis Club courts and multipurpose facility.	Moyhu	\$41,000
	Gentle Annie Reserve Camp Kitchen	Whitfield	\$48,500
Warrnambool City Council (2 grants)	Bridge Rd/Woodford Primary School Footpath and Shared Zone	Woodford	\$50,000
	Allansford Missing Link Construction - 375 Linear metres of footpath	Allansford	\$50,000
Wellington Shire Council (9 grants)	Refurbish/renovate amenities in the Gormandale Football Netball Club changerooms	Gormandale	\$35,200

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	Repair and Reinstate All Abilities Track	Loch Sport	\$31,636
	Reroofing of Briagolong Quarry Reserve Pavilion	Briagolong	\$8,450
	Child safe rear fence around the rear of Scout property	Yarram	\$18,000
	Installation of aluminium windows to main hall	Heyfield	\$16,375
	Replacement of Asbestos roof	Maffra	\$50,000
	Sealing of Gippsland Plains Rail Trail through Heyfield	Cowwarr	\$18,400
	Toilet Block Refurbishment	Newry	\$50,000
	Upgrade to Dargo Community House Facilities	Dargo	\$20,480
West Wimmera Shire Council (2 grants)	Goroke Recreation Reserve Landscaping and Safety Fencing	Goroke	\$50,000
	Kaniva Shire Hall Restoration Project	Kaniva	\$50,000
Wodonga City Council (1 grant)	Baranduda Fields Grandstand Seating	Baranduda	\$50,000
Wyndham City Council (2 grants)	Wyndham City Council - Possy Newland Youth Shed	Little River	\$50,000
	Little River Mechanics Institute - Supply and Installation of stage lighting	Little River	\$17,048
Yarra Ranges Shire Council (8 grants)	Badger Creek Hall Committee - Hall and Carpark Safety and Security Lighting	Badger Creek	\$16,300
	Hilltop Recreation Association Inc - Olinda Reserve Asphaltting	Olinda	\$45,500
	Kallista Mechanics Hall - Hall Rejuvenation	Kallista	\$50,000
	Millgrove Residents Action Group - Millgrove River Reserve Revitalisation	Millgrove	\$46,800
	Warburton Bowls Club - Spectator Inclusion Project	Warburton	\$40,000
	The Scout Association of Australia - Warming Our Selby Scouts	Menzies Creek	\$7,920
	Villages of Mt Dandenong - Artistic Plant and Seating Installations	Sassafras	\$39,950
	Yarra Junction Community Group - Public Art project	Yarra Junction	\$50,000
Yarriambiack Shire Council (5 grants)	Beulah Community Centre Deck	Beulah	\$50,000
	Renewal of Rupanyup's Iconic Silo Art: A Canvas of Community Pride	Rupanyup	\$41,377
	We're Going Racing Stage 2 - Race infrastructure	Hopetoun	\$40,587
	Woomelang Accessible Carpark Precinct	Woomelang	\$48,366
	Murtoa's Innovative Public Interactive Playground at Lake Marma	Murtoa	\$48,400

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Relevant text:

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Has the department tracked the number of Victorian-developed projects under VicScreen that have gone on to shoot or complete production interstate over the past three years?

Claire FEBEY: Sorry. Could you repeat that question?

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Yes. It is the number of projects that have been developed in Victoria that have ultimately gone on to shoot or complete their production interstate over the last three years.

Claire FEBEY: I could not say if we have tracked that. Given how dynamic the screen ecology is in Australia and the strong roles that Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland would all play, along with other state jurisdictions, I am sure that we see work that is created in one place having inputs in another, so I am sure that that is the case.

I do not know if we would track it in detail, but I could take it on notice to see if there is anything we could provide on that.

Answer:

Yes. Two projects that received VicScreen development support went on to shoot or complete their production outside Victoria over the past three years.

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Relevant text:

Aiv PUGLIELLI: On digital games, can I confirm: is it the case that for VicScreen funding streams for digital gaming, the applicant needs to be an incorporated entity?

Claire FEBEY: I do not have the details of those particular grant application requirements in front of me, but I could come back to you on that and take it on notice.

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Okay. It would be good to know if there are any funding streams to which that provision does not apply and consequently how many streams it therefore does apply to also. Thank you. Is it currently a service on offer from the department that there is any kind of auspicings avenue for smaller projects where the applicant does not need to incorporate?

Claire FEBEY: Again, that is a level of detail I do not have in front of me, so I would take it on notice. I think you are interested, though, generally in how we make sure that small, medium and independent digital games proponents have opportunities within the funding landscape. That is what you are interested in?

Aiv PUGLIELLI: That is where the question comes from, yes, but it is particularly relating to the need to incorporate as an applicant for VicScreen funding when it comes to digital games.

Claire FEBEY: Okay. Thank you.

Answer:

Both individuals and companies can apply for VicScreen's digital games funding programs, it is not a requirement to be an incorporated entity to apply for a grant.

It is possible to apply for digital games funding through an auspicings arrangement, however such applications are uncommon due to the ability to apply as an individual.

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Relevant text:

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Thank you. Another matter that has been raised with me by new digital game developers is that they are having to personally contribute at least 50 per cent of the overall project cost through in-kind work, applicant cash, external funds or some other combination in order to receive state funding.

Is the department aware that in practice what that is leading to is that for a lot of people it is unpaid but 'in-kind' work that is occurring in the workforce?

Claire FEBEY: You are absolutely right to say that it is important to us from the creative industries portfolio - across all of the parts of the creative economy our goal is to get artists into paid and sustainable work, so thank you for raising your questions about the way that government grants interact with the work of artists and small businesses.

Again it is something that I would take on notice, certainly to see what we can respond to here but also to have further conversations with VicScreen to understand the feedback that you are sharing here at this table.

Answer:

An applicant to VicScreen's Victorian Production Fund (VPF) Games Program can apply for up to 50% of the budget. The remaining 50% is contributed by the applicant through any combination of external third-party funding, applicant investment/cash, in-kind work and other sources.

Having flexibility to accept in-kind contributions allows early career developers to leverage a greater value of VPF funding who may not have access to other third-party financing. It also recognises the value of their contributions to the project.

Each application is assessed case-by-case by screen industry experts on our external assessment panel. The assessment process considers all relevant aspects of a project, including the project scale, the applicant's experience and the makeup of the finance plan.

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Portfolio:	Regional Development
Witness:	Matt Carrick, Secretary, DJSIR
Committee Member:	Aiv Puglielli, MP
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Relevant text:

Puglielli: I understand there was additional funding to build on the regional package from the previous year, including 186 million that was allocated for 2024/25 for rural and regional healthcare.

Are you able to inform the committee if any of that 186 million has been used to support our healthy Loddon and Campaspe programme?

Carrick: I think that might not be within our departmental remit.

I'll quickly check with my colleagues, but to the best of my knowledge, I think that might be better directed towards our health colleagues.

Puglielli: It's one of those ones I'm concerned might fall between two different departments.

You're able to take it away and check for me. Is that all right?

Carrick: We'll certainly check about where responsibility lies and let you know.

Answer:

This matter falls within the responsibilities of the Department of Health.

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Portfolio:	Community Sport
Witness:	Georgina McCann
Committee Member:	Aiv Puglielli
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Relevant text:

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Thank you, Chair. Good afternoon. Just to start off, looking at the department performance statement of DJSIR, page 89, for 2024–25, of the 130 community facility grants can I ask what proportion of those were targeted towards upgrading women’s sporting facilities?

Georgina McCANN: Was that with specific reference to the community sport components?

Aiv PUGLIELLI: It comes under ‘Sport and recreation’.

Georgina McCANN: Yes. Just give me a moment. In terms of what I would say about our investment in women and sport generally, since 2014 about \$1 billion has been invested in facilities that support women and girls’ participation in sport and recreation. We do target all of our investment to supporting participation of women and girls. I do not have a specific number in terms of the facilities that will have targeted women and girls through this current round, but as I said, all of our facility investment is prioritised to under-represented groups, whether that is low SES or whether that is women and girls or other groups that are less well represented.

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Are you able to come back to the committee with a specific figure?

Georgina McCANN: Yes, that should be fine.

Answer:

The target for the performance measure *Community Facility Grants: number approved* was exceeded in 2024-25 with 152 projects approved against the target of 130 projects.

All projects funded in 2024-25 will provide a participation benefit for women and girls, subject to their use, with 15 projects specifically funded through the Women and Girls stream of the Regional Community Sports Infrastructure Fund.

Since 2014, the Victorian Government has invested more than \$1 billion in over 1,840 community sports and infrastructure projects to deliver new or upgraded female friendly facilities.

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Portfolio:	Economic Growth and Jobs
Witness:	Matt Carrick
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Relevant text:

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Okay. My next question goes to that pipeline you have just referred to. Can I ask: for the budget period, how many data centres received approval?

Danni JARRETT: I would need to –

Matt CARRICK: We will probably take that on notice, I think, for 2024–25.

Danni JARRETT: Yes.

Aiv PUGLIELLI: A list of those for the committee would be excellent if you could provide it.

Danni JARRETT: Yes.

Answer:

Five data centre projects from the Invest Victoria’s Investment pipeline were granted a planning permit during the 2024-25 financial year.

The publicly available information on these projects is listed in the table below:

Address	Permit issued	Responsible Authority
85 Sharps Rd, Tullamarine	28-Mar-25	Minister for Planning
20-38 Leakes Rd, Laverton North	6-May-25	Wyndham City Council
80 Kinloch Court, Craigieburn	17-Sep-24	Minister for Planning
171 Leakes Road, Truganina	4-Apr-25	Minister for Planning
54-80 Ferris Road, Cobblebank	3-Oct-24	Minister for Planning

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Portfolio:	Creative Industries
Witness:	Claire Febey
Committee Member:	Aiv Puglielli
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Relevant text:

Aiv PUGLIELLI: Can I ask: what proportion of funding was specifically targeted at digital games?

Claire FEBEY: I would take that on notice. Is there a particular time of interest for you? Are you asking in that particular budget period?

Aiv PUGLIELLI: For the budget period.

Claire FEBEY: So 2024-25? Yes.

Answer:

22.7% of the 2024-25 Victorian Production Fund (VPF) budget was allocated to Victorian digital games.

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Portfolio:	Tourism, Sport and Major Events
Witness:	Matt Carrick, Secretary, DJSIR
Committee Member:	Roma Britnell
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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: I will move on to events and tourism. How much money was spent on attracting and promoting overseas talent to Victoria?

Matt CARRICK: When you say ‘overseas talent’ –

Roma BRITNELL: Directed at overseas clientele, to attract them to Victoria as a destination

Matt CARRICK: In terms of marketing spend and things like that?

Roma BRITNELL: Yes.

Answer:

In the year ending June 2025, Victoria’s visitor economy reached new highs, with total spend climbing 5% to a record \$43.7 billion. The international sector was a key driver of growth with international spend surging by 20% year-on-year to a record \$9.8 billion. \$5.7 billion of this international spend in Victoria came from priority markets.

In financial year 2024-25, Visit Victoria was heavily focused on priority international markets. Around 75 per cent of spending from the destination marketing budget was targeted at international markets. This included campaign and media activities, social media campaigns, trade missions and training in wholesale markets.

In December 2024, the Premier announced the creation of the \$7 million Visit Victoria Industry Partnership Program (VVIIPP). The VVIIPP focused primarily on the international market and cooperative programs with airlines, hotels, sports organisations and travel agencies. This includes Delta Airlines, Singapore Airlines, Accor, the Australian Open and Klook. The program was oversubscribed and marketing activity related to the program has been running since January 2025 and will be complete in early 2026. Around 75 per cent of the spending was in priority international markets.

In addition to overseas activity, Visit Victoria also provides training programs for Victorian businesses seeking to sell directly into international markets. The International Business Accelerator Program trained around 50 businesses over the past three years.

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Portfolio:	Economic Growth and Jobs
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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: So you will provide that. Thank you. The Economic Growth Statement describes the sector as the beating heart of our economy. Secretary, what is the total amount of OIS funding that the sector requires to secure its ongoing financial viability?

Matt CARRICK: Well, in terms of financial viability, we certainly would be able to come to you with a figure for what that is, which helps maintain the viability of those research institutions.

Answer:

The Victorian Government's Operational Infrastructure Support (OIS) is a longstanding recurrent program which continues to provide significant funding to eligible Victorian independent medical research institutes (iMRIs) annually to support their indirect costs of research.

The Victorian Government has acted through the 2025-26 Victorian Budget, committing \$24.6 million over 2 years in additional funding to the OIS program to help meet the increasing costs of conducting medical research, and to include an additional iMRI. The Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions (the department) is currently implementing this budget outcome. Decisions about the OIS program's future state beyond 2026-27 are matters for the Victorian Government.

The Australian Government is the main source of health and medical research funding and further concerted action is needed to address the issue of unmet indirect costs of research.

The department continues to work closely with key sector stakeholders to understand the nature and scope of indirect costs of research being incurred by Victorian iMRIs.

The Victorian Government continues to advocate for Victoria's Health Technologies and Medical Research sector and has provided input to the Australian Government's National Health and Medical Research Strategy on this issue.

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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: Thank you. So with no funding for the hidden costs of research through the operational infrastructure support, OIS, program for medical research institutes for nine years and funding from this year's budget for only the next two years, how does the sector plan to invest into the future?

Matt CARRICK: In terms of OIS funding, as you are right to point out, there are a couple of years certainty in terms of funding there, and no doubt there will be future decisions made by government as to funding into the out years for those institutes. Ms Jarrett, is there anything you wanted to supplement my comments with on that?

Danni JARRETT: Thank you, and thank you for the question. The OIS funding provides, as you say, annual funding in support of grants for independent medical research institutes. The funding that is provided is an annual allocation that is given to each of the institutes.

Roma BRITNELL: I am asking about forward sustainability if they have only got the two years. You are now saying it is actually annual, not even two years.

Danni JARRETT: I think there was additional funding that was provided in the 2024–25 budget for additional funding to the –

Roma BRITNELL: Do you want to perhaps come back to the committee if you are not confident now?

Danni JARRETT: We can do that.

Roma BRITNELL: Is that all right?

Danni JARRETT: Yes.

Answer:

The Victorian Government's Operational Infrastructure Support (OIS) is a longstanding recurrent program. OIS continues to provide significant funding each financial year to eligible Victorian independent medical research institutes (iMRIs) to support their indirect costs of research. Since 2017-18, the OIS program has provided annual funding to 12 Victorian iMRIs, including over \$35 million in grant funding in financial year 2024-25.

The 2025-26 Victorian Budget committed additional funding of \$24.6 million over 2 years for the OIS program, to help meet the increasing costs of conducting medical research, and to include an additional iMRI. The Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions is currently implementing this budget outcome.

Decisions pertaining to additional funding for the OIS program beyond 2026-27 are matters for the Victorian Government.

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Portfolio:	Economic Growth and Jobs
Witness:	Matt Carrick
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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: Thank you very much. I now refer to page 79 of DJSIR's questionnaire relating to the health and medical research workforce action plan and carryover funding, which supported the delivery of six projects in alignment with the workforce action plan, all of which are currently in the monitoring phase. Secretary, when will the monitoring phase be complete for these six projects, and can you provide the committee with the details of each one?

Matt CARRICK: I will check with Ms Jarrett if we can. Otherwise, I might have to take that on notice, but I will check with Ms Jarrett whether we can convey some information right now for you.

Danni JARRETT: With regard to the workforce action plan, it is still in delivery mode, so we are still delivering the initiatives within the strategy. That strategy is a 10-year strategy, so it provides a framework for priorities, activities and investments in health and medical research from 2022 to 2032. Roma BRITNELL: So you are still in the monitoring phase?

Danni JARRETT: Well, sorry, we are in – you are looking at page 79. Is that correct?

Roma BRITNELL: 79.

Danni JARRETT: And the carryover supported delivery of the six projects in alignment –

Roma BRITNELL: Yes, with the workforce action plan – currently in monitoring phase. When will that monitoring phase be complete?

Danni JARRETT: We will need to probably take that on notice.

Matt CARRICK: We will take that on notice and come back to you, yes.

Answer:

In 2022 the Victorian Government released its Health and Medical Research Strategy 2022-32 (the Strategy), which provides a framework for Victorian activity and investment in health and medical research. One of the intended mechanisms for delivery of the Strategy is through the implementation of targeted action plans in response to emerging priorities and opportunities over the next decade to support the medical research sector.

In 2024 the Victorian Government released the first action plan, the Health and Medical Research Workforce Action Plan (the Action Plan). The Action Plan was accompanied by funding of \$2.9 million (announced on 18 December 2024) to support six key projects that aim to build a collaborative, equitable and highly skilled health and medical research workforce to improve people's health outcomes and drive economic growth in Victoria.

An overview and the planned end date for the monitoring phase of each of the six projects is provided in the table below.

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Project	Contracted Organisation	Overview	Monitoring end date
Workforce Skills Gap Project	Association of Australian Medical Research Institutes	This initiative, led by AAMRI Vic, supports a comprehensive investigation into workforce skills gaps.	31 December 2025
Centralised Health and Medical Research Portal	BioMelbourne Network	This initiative developed a centralised hub where the health and medical research sector can access career information and support. The hub included the development of a dedicated jobs and skills board.	30 June 2025 (project completed) Whilst the development of the Careers Hub and formal contract term are now completed, the use of the Careers Hub continues to be monitored).
Clinical Trials Training Platform	Monash University	This initiative, led by the Australian Clinical Trials Education Centre, is developing new content to address gaps in clinical trials workforce capabilities in Victoria.	30 June 2028
Regional Research Translation Coordinators	Deakin University	This initiative, led by Western Alliance, supports regional Research Translation Coordinators to be embedded in rural and regional health services to build research capacity and capabilities.	30 June 2026
Fostering Achievement in Research (FAIR) Fellowships	VESKI	This initiative supported grants for individuals who narrowly missed out on National Health and Medical Research Council Investigator Grant funding in the Emerging Leaders 2 stream. Eligibility criteria supported underrepresented cohorts of researchers.	28 Feb 2026
Community-Led Research: Empowering Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities to Conduct Research	Victorian Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation	This initiative supports a research project focused on determining Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander research priorities and fostering Community research skills.	31 July 2026

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Portfolio:	Department of Jobs, Skills, Industry and Regions
Witness:	Matt Carrick
Committee Member:	Mr Richard Welch MLC
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Relevant text:

Danni JARRETT: Thank you, Secretary. The digital jobs program was introduced in 2021, and it is intended to increase the skills profile across the workforce, particularly in digital, recognising that –

Richard WELCH: Could I just ask for clarity: is ‘digital’ a euphemism for AI, or is that AI-specific? Or does it incorporate –

Danni JARRETT: It is not specifically AI. There would be some elements within the delivery of the program that would touch on AI, but it is not a dedicated AI program.

Richard WELCH: Were there specific outputs from that work?

Danni JARRETT: The outputs in relation to the digital jobs program are specifically around job outcomes for people who participated in the program, who have increased their skills capability in the digital space.

Richard WELCH: Were there measurements so that we can see how successful that was?

Danni JARRETT: Well, the measurements are really in terms of the job outcomes for those participants, keeping in mind that a key part of the purpose of that program is also to help reskill people mid-career as well as –

Richard WELCH: Yes, so were there measurable outcomes that we can see?

Danni JARRETT: The measurable outcomes for those participants were employment outcomes. And so people receiving post program employment in the program as well as also within those targeted sectors that the program focuses on, such as manufacturing and construction and increase in digital capability.

Richard WELCH: Are they in a form that you can present to the committee so that we can see the outcomes?

Matt CARRICK: We can certainly bring you some more information. Absolutely

Answer:

The Victorian Government is addressing critical skill shortages through key skills programs such as Digital Jobs.

The Digital Jobs program was initially launched as a COVID response program in July 2021 to support mid-career Victorians to transition into digital careers and help address critical skills gaps for businesses including cyber security, AI, programming and data analytics.

In the 2024-25 State Budget, the program received funding of \$4.4 million which supported 1,070 participants to reskill for jobs in the digital economy.

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The 1,070 participants completed training in one of 12 specialist digital skills, with the most in demand courses in 2024-25 being digital marketing, data analytics, web development, user experience/user interface, and agile project management.

During this period:

- 390 participants undertook a 12-week specialist digital skills training course then accessed career coaching and employability services.
- An additional 680 program participants who had already completed their training, accessed career coaching and employability services.
- The career coaching and employability services included 1:1 coaching with a qualified career mentor, opportunities to apply for work placements with Victorian businesses, access to an online job seeker resource kit and participation in webinars.

Digital Jobs has been supporting women, migrants and older workers who are often underrepresented in the digital economy to transition into new tech careers. Of the 1,070 participants in 2024-25, 61% were women, 61% spoke a language other than English and 38% were over 40 years of age.

Other program outcomes from 2024-25 are not yet available. Participants will be surveyed 6 months and 2 years after program completion to assess how their career outcomes have been impacted by participating in the program.

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Portfolio:	Regional Development
Witness:	Xavier Csar, CEO Regional Development Victoria
Committee Member:	Ms Jade Benham, MP
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Relevant text:

Jade BENHAM: That \$50 million that you referred to, where is that located in the budget papers?

Xavier CSAR: It is in the forward estimates, profiled over four years, flat line.

Jade BENHAM: Do you know where it is? It is not listed under –

Matt CARRICK: Off the top of my head I do not, but we can come back to you in terms of that reference.

Jade BENHAM: Great. Thank you. That would be appreciated.

Answer:

Reference to the Victorian Investment Fund is located on pages 61 and 67 of the Victorian Budget 2025/26, Service Delivery Budget Paper No. 3.

Page 61, Table 1.16, Output Initiatives - Jobs, Skills, Industry, Regions references \$37.5 million per year over four years for the Victorian Investment Fund, under the Trade and Investment portfolio. The regional component of the Victorian Investment Fund is \$12.5 million per year over this period.

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Witness:	Xavier Csar, CEO Regional Development Victoria
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Relevant text:

Jade BENHAM: So how much money is available for regional grants over the forward estimates?

Answer:

Regional Development Victoria (RDV) Grant Program Funding over the forward estimates, both uncommitted (\$65,330,000 over 4 years) and committed (\$256,837,740 over 4 years) is provided in Tables 1 and 2.

The funding is made up of a combination of:

- a) **Uncommitted funds** – funding for a program that is available for regional grants that is yet to be committed to specific projects because:
 - i. the application process may be currently underway;
 - ii. the program may be scheduled to open later in the financial year; or,
 - iii. the program may be an open fund that expires when the funding has been fully committed.
- b) **Committed funds** – grant program funding that has already been:
 - i. contracted to specific projects currently in delivery, or
 - ii. has been committed to a project and is in the process of being contracted
 - iii. includes Commonwealth funding for projects where RDV is the administering the grant agreement and project delivery.

Table 1 - Uncommitted - RDV Grant Program Funding over forward estimates

PROGRAM	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	FY 2027-28	FY 2028-29
GIPPSLAND SUPPLY CHAIN RESILLIENCE PROGRAM	\$2,530,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AUSTRALIA 2025-28 (PROJECT FUNDING)	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
TINY TOWNS FUND	\$1,050,000	\$4,250,000		
TRUNK INFRASTRUCTURE TO UNLOCK REGIONAL ECONOMIC GROWTH	\$2,500,000	\$1,750,000	\$3,750,000	\$0
VICTORIAN INVESTMENT FUND (VIF)	\$11,875,000	\$11,875,000	\$10,875,000	\$10,875,000
TOTAL UNCOMMITTED FUNDING / FUNDING TO BE COMMITTED	\$18,955,000	\$18,875,000	\$15,625,000	\$11,875,000

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Table 2 - Committed - RDV Grant Program Funding over forward estimates

PROGRAM	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	FY 2027-28	FY 2028-29
ACTIVATE FOOD MANUFACTURING PRECINCT	\$1,100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
ALBURY WODONGA REGIONAL DEAL	\$1,500,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
BENDIGO ART GALLERY REDEVELOPMENT	\$2,000,000	\$19,000,000	\$0	\$0
COUNCIL SUPPORT PACKAGE	\$2,500,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
DELIVERING FOR RURAL AND REGIONAL VICTORIA	\$310,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
FREE REGIONAL CAR PARKS	\$6,784,440	\$0	\$0	\$0
GEELONG CITY DEAL - GREAT OCEAN ROAD PROJECTS	\$12,990,000	\$3,860,000	\$0	\$0
GEELONG CITY DEAL - SHIPWRECK COAST MASTER PLAN - PSBEF	\$6,400,000	\$3,630,000	\$0	\$0
GIPPSLAND LOGISTICS PRECINCT STAGE 2 (RGF)	\$7,560,000	\$1,320,000	\$0	\$0
COMMONWEALTH GROWING REGIONS	\$41,102,488	\$28,553,260	\$0	\$0
REFOCUSING REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN VICTORIA	\$975,000	\$0	\$150,000	\$0
REGIONAL JOBS AND INFRASTRUCTURE FUND	\$3,738,000	\$1,860,000	\$650,000	\$0
COMMONWEALTH REGIONAL PRECINCTS AND PARTNERSHIPS PROGRAM (RPPP)	\$21,893,515	\$17,311,037	\$0	\$0
REGIONAL WORKER ACCOMMODATION FUND (RWF)	\$46,500,000	\$16,500,000	\$1,000,000	\$0
THE LATROBE YOUTH SPACE	\$300,000	\$150,000	\$0	\$0
TRUNK INFRASTRUCTURE TO UNLOCK REGIONAL ECONOMIC GROWTH	\$0	\$2,000,000	\$0	\$0
VICTORIAN INVESTMENT FUND (VIF)	\$0	\$0	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
TINY TOWNS FUND	\$3,200,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL COMMITTED FUNDING	\$158,853,443	\$94,184,297	\$2,800,000	\$1,000,000

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Portfolio:	DJSIR
Witness:	Ms Lill Healy
Committee Member:	Ms Roma Britnell MP
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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: I will just ask another question on Melbourne Polytechnic. In March 2025 TEQSA revoked several registration conditions on Melbourne Polytechnic, stating that the provider now meets the relevant higher education standards. What was DJSIR's response to TEQSA's original conditions, and how have you supported the institute to address those concerns?

Matt CARRICK: I might ask Ms Healy whether she can shed any light on that, and in the event that we cannot, we can always take that one on notice.

Lill HEALY: Yes, thanks. Thanks, Secretary. Thanks for the question, Ms Britnell. The Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Authority, TEQSA, as you have mentioned, regulates higher education delivery in the country. A number of TAFEs deliver higher education, not just vocational. TEQSA's individual work with TAFEs in terms of their reregistration is not in the purview of the department because it is a Commonwealth piece. We can certainly take on notice anything –

Roma BRITNELL: Thank you. If you can take that on notice, I would appreciate it. Thank you, Ms Healy.

The CHAIR: Thank you. We are going to go to Mr Tak.

Answer:

Conditions imposed by TEQSA were relevant to Melbourne Polytechnic's last period of registration in 2019 and related to improvements needed for aspects of governance and performance monitoring processes.

Melbourne Polytechnic was required to report annually on how they were addressing these issues, and this included Melbourne Polytechnic undertaking an external review of their academic governance.

While Melbourne Polytechnic ensured that the Department was aware of the conditions and the work being undertaken in response, no direct support was required as Melbourne Polytechnic were able to address all the issues.

As you noted, Melbourne Polytechnic has been re-registered in 2025 without conditions in place for the maximum period of 7 years, and all of Melbourne Polytechnic's courses have been accredited by TEQSA with the maximum period of accreditation applied with no conditions. This demonstrates the comfort TEQSA has in the Higher Education (HE) provisions, and capabilities of Melbourne Polytechnic.

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Portfolio:	Economic Growth and Jobs
Witness:	Matt Carrick
Committee Member:	Richard Welch
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Relevant text:

Richard WELCH: I have one last question, if I can sneak it in. Has Breakthrough Victoria's investment mandate changed since inception?

Matt CARRICK: That is a good question. Can I take that on notice, Mr Welch, and come back to you in terms of that?

Answer:

No. As set out in the company's constitution, and in accordance with the *State Owned Enterprises Act 1992*, Breakthrough Victoria's principal objective is to perform its functions for public benefit.

Breakthrough Victoria's mandate remains to invest in and support innovation and research commercialisation and to catalyse private investment to deliver economic growth and impact for Victoria.

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Portfolio:	Creative Industries
Witness:	Matt Carrick, Claire Febey
Committee Member:	Roma Britnell
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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: Okay. All right. Secretary, page 33 of the DJSIR questionnaire points to the Melbourne arts precinct transformation and the additional funding of the \$395.44 million via the Treasurer's advance, of which \$289.79 million was spent. Will the Secretary confirm that the Melbourne arts precinct project, a very important project for the state, its tourism, its future, is now significantly over the budget and this advancement is to plug the gap? In particular, will you indicate the total value of the project with the additional funding delivered?

Matt CARRICK: Sure. I would not quite characterise it the way you have, but I will ask Ms Febey, the CEO of Creative Victoria, to comment on that. What I would say is you are absolutely right in terms of the importance of this project. This will be the single biggest cultural investment, basically, that the country has ever made. It is extraordinarily important in terms of what it will mean, positioning Victoria as a beacon for cultural visitation in the years ahead. But with that, I might hand to Ms Febey.

Claire FEBEY: Thank you. I think you were interested in the total estimated investment for the project. It remains that the Victorian government has committed \$1.7 billion towards the project, and that is inclusive of philanthropic commitments from the Arts Centre Melbourne and NGV. That TEI is as it was.

Roma BRITNELL: But I ask why it is necessary to make this whopping Treasurer's advance given maintaining sustainability and services levels is basic year-on-year funding, we would all have thought. It is basic funding.

Claire FEBEY: Thank you for clarifying. So you are asking me about the Treasurer's advance that obviously appeared in the questionnaire. That was money that is held in contingency for the project and that was released as it was needed. So that is the way that –

Roma BRITNELL: Can you outline, or perhaps you would like to provide it on notice, what that actually delivered and a breakdown of that?

Claire FEBEY: Certainly we can take on notice to provide an update on key deliverables in the project so far.

Roma BRITNELL: On the breakdown of what the Treasurer's advance was used for. Okay. Thank you very much.

Answer:

Victorian Government funding committed to the Melbourne Arts Precinct Transformation is held in central contingency and released annually in accordance with delivery requirements.

The 2024-25 figures reflect the annual drawdown from central contingency, not additional funding.

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This drawdown supported project delivery requirements including contractual commitments to capital works at Arts Centre Melbourne and across the precinct, 77 Southbank Boulevard (site of The Fox: NGV Contemporary), and delivery and disruption costs.

Construction undertaken in the period included excavation, heritage restoration and facility upgrades at Arts Centre Melbourne, construction of platforms for the 18,000 square metre public realm, and deconstruction of the former 77 Southbank Boulevard building, piling and groundworks.

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Portfolio:	Skills and TAFE
Witness:	Lill Healy
Committee Member:	2024-25 Financial and Performance Outcomes
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Relevant text:

Roma BRITNELL: Thank you. Just a quick question on TAFE once again: how many vacancies exist across the TAFE sector in the reporting period?

Matt CARRICK: I might hand to Ms Healy to talk to that question.

Lill HEALY: Thanks for the question. TAFE institute staffing numbers are internal numbers to the institutes. We do not collect that individual data in terms of vacancies at the state level. So the annual reports –

Roma BRITNELL: So you cannot get that information about how many vacancies exist across the reporting period?

Lill HEALY: The annual reports of TAFEs would contain the individual TAFE's staffing data and that would be the point – it is not something that is aggregated –

Roma BRITNELL: So it is not obtainable, or I can get that data from each individual TAFE's annual report but I cannot get it collated. Is that what you are saying? It is available, but I have to collate it.

Lill HEALY: At TAFE level – at the individual TAFE's level. It is at that level, not at the state level. Every TAFE annual report is a public report –

Roma BRITNELL: Are you able to provide us, the committee, with the vacancies across TAFE in Victoria? I mean, they are public – paid for by taxpayer dollars. Is it possible to have the information on how many vacancies exist, please?

Lill HEALY: I am happy to take it on notice, if we can, and gather what we –

Matt CARRICK: Absolutely. We will have a look at the annual reports and collate that for you

Answer:

TAFE Annual Reports do not include data on vacancies.

TAFEs are independent state-owned entities managed by boards of governance, responsible for the operation of their entity.

The Department does not collect information on vacancies as workforce matters, including workforce oversight and management fall under the responsibility of each individual TAFE.

Workforce data including the total number of staff employed by employment status is publicly available in TAFE Annual Reports.

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Portfolio:	Regional Development Victoria
Witness:	Xavier Csar, Chief Executive Officer Regional Development Victoria
Committee Member:	Jade BENHAM
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Relevant text:

Jade BENHAM: You can look forward to referrals, Dr Csar. Referring to page 57 of the 2024–25 RDV annual report, are you able to provide the committee with a full breakdown of that \$118.5 million in grants that were delivered in the 2024–25 financial year, including the funding amounts by project, local government area and the program stream?

Xavier CSAR: I would like to take most of that question on notice, but I would point out a few things beforehand just to temper some expectations. Firstly, individual grants to companies are seldom disclosed, because we are not in the business of overpaying and being gamed by the system, so that is important. Also many of them are commercial in confidence, so the businesses are actually very keen and require us not to disclose them, so I do temper that expectation.

Jade BENHAM: Yes. They also do not like it when you mention it on social media, I have noticed, if I somehow find out. Regional worker accommodation et cetera, et cetera, which is a great program, but if we could get a breakdown of what we are able to by amounts by project, local government area and program stream, that would be very helpful. Great. Thank you...

Answer:

Please see a summary of Grant Funding Delivered in FY24/25 in the table below.

PLEASE NOTE: The grant funding amount (net) delivered for some Programs / Local Government Areas may be negative as occasionally grant funding may be returned. This may occur when a grant recipient withdraws from a program / grant agreement; a project may be terminated due to non-delivery, or funding may be refunded in the event of partial delivery of a contracted program outcome.

PROGRAM STREAM	PROJECT	LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA	GRANT FUNDING AMOUNT (NET)
ACTIVATING GIPPSLAND'S INDUSTRY PRECINCT FUND	Gippsland Logistics Precinct - Stage 1B	Latrobe City	\$3,000,000
ALBURY WODONGA REGIONAL DEAL	AWH Key Health Worker Accommodation	Wodonga City	\$3,500,000
	Wodonga Creek Precinct Development	Wodonga City	\$2,000,000

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	Wodonga Tafe Heavy Vehicle Technology (HVTP)	Wodonga City	\$5,000,000
BENDIGO REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT PRECINCT	Bendigo Regional Employment Precinct	Greater Bendigo City	\$1,400,000
BUSHFIRE TOURISM AND BUSINESS FUND	Gateway to Alpine Adventure - Dinner Plain Activation Phase 1	Alpine Shire	\$150,000
COUNCIL SUPPORT PACKAGE	CSP S1 - Ballarat Major Events Precinct (BMEP) – Community Sporting Facilities Upgrade	Ballarat City	\$2,500,000
	CSP S1 - Community Booster Package Project	Greater Shepparton City	\$1,496,124
	CSP S1 - Initiatives across Latrobe City	Latrobe City	\$2,500,000
	CSP S1 - The Bendigo Low Line Project	Greater Bendigo City	\$500,000
COVID-19 CCC INFRASTRUCTURE STIMULUS	Ararat Hills Adventure Sports Precinct	Ararat Rural City	\$400,000
	Benalla Foreshore and Splash Park	Benalla Rural City	\$100,000
	Sorrento Ferry Terminal	Mornington Peninsula Shire	\$277,112
DOING WHAT MATTERS FOR LOCAL COMMUNITIES	Warrnambool Community Garden Election Commitment	Warrnambool City	\$15,000
FEDERATION UNIVERSITY GIPPSLAND BUSINESS AWARDS	Gippsland Business Awards Sponsorship 2024	Latrobe City	\$2,920
GEELONG CITY DEAL	Central Geelong (Malop Street to Myers Street) Revitalisation Project	Greater Geelong City	\$154,765
	City Arrivals Project - Geelong City Deal	Greater Geelong City	\$152,760
	Development of Moolap and Point Henry - Geelong City Deal	Greater Geelong City	\$400,000
	Green Spine Blocks 1 and 3 - Geelong City Deal	Greater Geelong City	\$286,926
	Improvements to Tourism Infrastructure at	Colac Otway Shire	\$400,000

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	Kennett River (GORCAPA - Geelong City Deal)		
	Wadawurrung Capacity and Urban Design Guidelines - Geelong City Deal	Greater Geelong City	\$89,000
	Private Sector Business Enablement Fund Projects – Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations	\$1,671,500
GIPPSLAND 2035	Gippsland Dairy Industry Strategy	Baw Baw Shire	\$5,000
	Gippsland New Energy Coordination	Latrobe City	\$50,000
GIPPSLAND 2035 - LATROBE CITY COUNCIL LOCAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY (STAGE 1)	G2035 - Latrobe City Council Local Development Strategy (Stage 1)	Latrobe City	\$715,000
GIPPSLAND SUPPLY CHAIN RESILIENCE PROGRAM	GSCRP - Stream 2 - ANC Forestry Group Pty Ltd	Latrobe City	\$20,000
	GSCRP - Stream 2 - Onsite Machining and Pipeline Services Australia Pty Ltd	Latrobe City	\$20,000
	GSCRP - Stream 2 - Southern Metal Works Pty Ltd	Latrobe City	\$20,000
	GSCRP - Stream 2 - Traralgon Industries Pty Ltd	Latrobe City	\$20,000
	GSCRP - Stream 2 - Willatton Transport	Latrobe City	\$20,000
	GSCRP - Stream 2 Fishers Pallets	Latrobe City	\$20,000
GTLC WORKER TRANSITION FORESTRY SUPPORT PROJECT	GTLC Worker Transition Forestry Support Project	Latrobe City	\$200,000
LATROBE YOUTH SPACE	Latrobe Youth Space	Latrobe City	\$450,000
LIVING LOCAL - REGIONAL	Portland Foreshore & Retail Precinct Landscape & Public Furniture Activation	Glenelg Shire	\$5,000
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Campaspe Shire	Campaspe Shire	-\$26,000

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	Council - Kyvalley Hall All Access Project		
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - East Gippsland Shire Council - Upgrade Omeo streetscape	East Gippsland Shire	\$20,000
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Golden Plains Shire Council - Linton Bowls Carpark Upgrade	Golden Plains Shire	\$8,250
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Indigo Shire Council - Kiewa River Community Park activation	Indigo Shire	\$9,000
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Millewa - Carwarp Landcare Group - Cullulleraine Foreshore nature play	Mildura Rural City	\$16,813
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Moorabool Shire Council - Darley Park Play Space Development	Moorabool Shire	\$20,000
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Regional Community Vet Clinic - Regional Community Relocatable Vet Clinic	Mount Alexander Shire	\$5,000
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Service Hub Network - Building Healthy and Resilient Communities through Service Equity (Stage 2)	East Gippsland Shire	\$19,894
	RRV stream 1 - LLRG - Swifts Creek Recreation Reserve Committee - Swifts Creek Recreation Reserve Public Toilets	East Gippsland Shire	\$19,497
LIVING REGIONS LIVING SUBURBS	GSC Workforce Pilot Coordination	Moyne Shire	-\$176,831
LOCAL ECONOMIC RECOVERY PROGRAM	Dark Skies Trail Gateway to Alpine Adventure – Dinner Plain Activation Phase 2	East Gippsland Shire	-\$10,000
	Great River Road Stage 2	Alpine Shire	\$200,000
	Great River Road Stage 2	Towong Shire	\$500,000

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	Sailors Grave Brewing - Dune Town	East Gippsland Shire	\$315,000
LVA - LEGACY	Traralgon Rotary Mental Health First Aid Training Program	Latrobe City	-\$609
	LVA GS3 - Carbon Economy Sector and Opportunity Analysis	Wellington Shire	-\$69,135
RDV FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENTS - INFRASTRUCTURE	Community Food Hub for Central Victoria	Greater Bendigo City	\$50,000
	Heathcote Civic Precinct Community Hub Stage 1	Greater Bendigo City	\$50,000
	Koroit Township Renewal - Precinct 1	Moyne Shire	\$200,000
	Lords Around the Grounds Project	Mansfield Shire	\$300,000
	Reinvigorating Our Riverfront: Creating Places for Everyone	Swan Hill Rural City	\$500,000
	rPPP - Bendigo East Urban Renewal Precinct	Greater Bendigo City	\$200,000
	rPPP - Colac Otway Adaptable Precincts	Colac Otway Shire	\$400,000
	rPPP - Cowes Foreshore Precinct	Bass Coast Shire	\$1,000,000
	rPPP - Mansfield Station Precinct Heritage Package Project – Stage 1 and Stage 2	Mansfield Shire	\$1,500,000
	rPPP - Transforming the Heart of Swan Hill Precinct	Swan Hill Rural City	\$100,000
	Seymour Community Wellbeing Hub - Stage 1	Mitchell Shire	\$1,000,000
	Victoria Park Multipurpose Facility: Meeting now & future community needs	Campaspe Shire	\$500,000
RECHARGE	Shearing Shed Show	Wellington Shire	-\$5,500
REGIONAL AUSTRALIA INSTITUTE STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP	Regional Australia Institute - Shared Inquiry Program 24/25 and 25/26	Melbourne City	\$150,000
REGIONAL CULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS	Benalla Art Gallery Redevelopment Stage 1a	Benalla Rural City	\$100,000

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REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AUSTRALIA 2023-2024	Food and Fibre Great South Coast - evokeAG 18-19 February 2025	Warrnambool City	\$10,000
	Great South Coast Economic Futures Program – Stage 2	Warrnambool City	\$48,000
REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AUSTRALIA 2024-2025	2025 Moira Jobs and Career Expo	Moira Shire	\$5,000
	Baw Baw Latrobe Local Learning and Employment Network (LLEN)	Latrobe City	\$10,000
	BSW Energy Transition Priorities Project (Workshops)	Moyne Shire	\$12,510
	Clean Energy Trade Skills & Research Hub - Detailed Business Plan Project	Warrnambool City	\$80,000
	Gippsland Regional Plan 2025-2030	Wellington Shire	\$110,000
	Loddon Mallee Zero Emissions Economic Opportunities Analysis and Action Plan	Mount Alexander Shire	\$10,000
	Project Air5428 Phase 2 & 3 Cost Benefit Analysis	Wellington Shire	\$80,000
	RDA Grampians Sponsorship of the 2025 East Grampians Business Awards	Ararat Rural City	\$3,000
	RDA Grampians Sponsorship of the Ballarat Bioenergy Forum	Ballarat City	\$10,000
	Tourism Together 2025 Conference Sponsorship	Greater Geelong City	\$7,000
REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES 2019/2020 - LABOUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT - 2019-20 BUDGET - FREE PUBLIC	Wimmera Southern Mallee Mining Collaboration Workshops	Horsham Rural City	\$20,000
	Free Public Wifi for Ararat and the Latrobe Valley	Ararat Rural City and Latrobe City	\$1,243,130

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REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES 2019/2020 - LABOUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT - FREE REGIONAL CAR PARKS	Regional Car Parks Fund: Latrobe City Council Main Works Package - Stage Two - Kay/Grey Street	Latrobe City	\$19,118,602
REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES 2019/2020 - LABOUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT - SEBASTOPOL REVITALISATION	SR - CoB - Hertford Street Upgrade – Bike Path Connection	Ballarat City	\$62,164
	SR - CoB - Implement Victoria-Albert Street Streetscape Project	Ballarat City	\$407,357
	SR - CoB - Yarrowee River Access Project	Ballarat City	-\$205,772
REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES 2019/2020 - LABOUR FINANCIAL STATEMENT - SUPPORTING COUNTRY WOMENS ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA	Enhancing Organisational Capability in the Delivery of Support by the CWA of Victoria	Statewide	\$220,000
REGIONAL JOBS AND INFRASTRUCTURE FUND (EXC. RJF - CIC)	5G Upgrade - Airport Fueling Facility	Glenelg Shire	\$17,615
	Bairnsdale South Industrial Estate Water Augmentation Project	East Gippsland Shire	\$20,000
	Buloke Play Spaces Trail	Buloke Shire	\$60,000
	Cabins Infrastructure for Tourism and Short Term Accommodation	Buloke Shire	\$1,066,112
	Camperdown Timboon Rail Trail - Bridge Replacement	Corangamite Shire	\$297,885
	East Beach Precinct	Moyne Shire	\$870,319
	Eureka Stadium and Sports Infrastructure - Relocation of Ballarat Showgrounds	Ballarat City	\$250,000
	Future Fibre - Hardwood Timber Manufacturing Hub Feasibility Study	Glenelg Shire	\$300,000
	Gateway to Alpine Adventure - Dinner Plain Snowmaking	Alpine Shire	\$200,000

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Geelong Waterfront Safe Harbour Precinct Public Access and Infrastructure Development	Greater Geelong City	\$470,000
GSRT Railway Precincts Development (Leongatha and Korumburra)	South Gippsland Shire	\$400,000
Hamilton CBD Liveability & Economic Revitalisation Project	Southern Grampians Shire	\$502,650
IFF 2022/23 - Murray River Regional Tourism - Murray River Adventure Trail (MRAT) Stages 2 & 3 'Investment Ready' project	Campaspe Shire	\$50,000
Koondrook to Kerang Rail Trail	Gannawarra Shire	-\$178,216
Local Freight Roads - Portland	Glenelg Shire	\$300,000
Milk Spray Dryer efficiency and reliability improvements	Corangamite Shire	-\$10,064
Nagambie Industrial Precinct Expansion – Improving Transport Access and Linkages	Strathbogie Shire	-\$180,000
Passions and Pathways 2019-2023	Greater Bendigo City	\$20,000
Portland North Employment Precinct Upgrade – Stage 2	Glenelg Shire	\$1,800,000
PortlandH2 - Hydrogen hub feasibility and pre-FEED assessment	Glenelg Shire	\$295,000
Pyramid Hill Community Centre Development - Stage 1	Loddon Shire	\$247,000
Rescue Station Amenities Block	Bass Coast Shire	-\$5,000
RIF 2020 2022 Rnd 2 - BF - The Ballarat Community Hub	Ballarat City	\$104,750

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RIF 2020 2022 Rnd 2 - HSC - Rainbow Rises Events Centre Infrastructure Development	Hindmarsh Shire	\$50,000
RIF 2020 2022 Rnd 2 - MSC - Navigators Community Multi Purpose Hub	Moorabool Shire	\$65,000
RIF 2022/23 - GOTAFE - Benalla Community & Regional Education Hub	Benalla Rural City	-\$44,668
RIF 2022/23 - Pyrenees Shire Council - Beaufort Lakeside Tourism Park Development	Pyrenees Shire	\$350,000
RIF 2022/23 - Shepparton FoodShare Inc - Shepparton Foodshare - New Warehouse	Greater Shepparton City	\$1,168,970
RIF 2022/23 - Swan Hill Rural City Council - Ngiwa-Kulaithi Play Precinct Robinvale	Swan Hill Rural City	\$85,051
RIF 2022/23 - Wellington Shire Council - North Sale Wetland and Biodiversity Reserve Project	Wellington Shire	\$350,000
Rural Councils Shared Municipal Building Surveying Services	Yarriambiack Shire	\$160,000
Scoping Study into AZURA Ocean Technology Australian Hub	Glenelg Shire	\$207,000
Surf Coast Aquatic and Health Centre - RDV	Surf Coast Shire	\$1,550,000
Traditional Owner and night-time activation of the Portland foreshore	Glenelg Shire	\$440,000
Unlocking Housing - Terang	Corangamite Shire	\$67,500

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REGIONAL JOBS FUND	All projects - Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations	\$6,172,492
REGIONAL PARTNERSHIPS	Ride High Country 4-Year NEVCO Marketing Program	Indigo Shire	\$310,000
REGIONAL PARTNERSHIPS	Private Sector Projects - Ride High Country Fund Round Two (RHCFR2) – Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations	\$130,000
REGIONAL RECOVERY FUND	R Radford & Son Pty Ltd Green Offal Room Project	Baw Baw Shire	\$160,000
REGIONAL TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE FUND	Omeo Mountain Bike Park Destination Project	East Gippsland Shire	\$200,000
	RTIF - High Value Projects – Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations	\$200,000
REGIONAL TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS (22/23 BUDGET)	RTIP22-23 - Bald Hill Activation - Stage 3 Summit Trail	Moorabool Shire	\$1,058,388
	RTIP22-23 - Budj Bim Visitor Experience at Lake Condah and the Tae Rak Traps	Glenelg Shire	\$2,450,000
	RTIP22-23 - Wycheproof Wetlands Precinct	Buloke Shire	\$93,102
	Private Sector Projects – Regional Tourism Infrastructure Projects (RDV) – Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations	\$235,000
REGIONAL TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS RTIP	RTIP22-23 - LightState - Where Light Knows No Borders	Mildura Rural City	\$500,000
	RTIP22-23 - Murray to Mountains Rail Trail Enhancements	Indigo Shire	\$2,550,000
REGIONAL WORKER ACCOMMODATION FUND	All projects - Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations	\$18,381,507
THE LADDER STEP UP PROGRAM	LVA ARSF - GTLC - Inclusive Employment and Workforce Transition Project	Latrobe City	\$360,000

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	LVWTS(2)-Ladder Step Up Latrobe Valley Pilot Project	Latrobe City	\$420,000
TINY TOWNS FUND	TTF1 - "Desperate for a Dignified Dunny"- Accessible Toilets for Hill End Community Centre	Baw Baw Shire	\$17,026
	TTF1 - Accessible Equestrian Mounting Ramp Glenlyon Recreation Reserve.	Hepburn Shire	\$12,500
	TTF1 - Activating & Illuminate Lake Boga Silo Art	Swan Hill Rural City	\$12,725
	TTF1 - Alderwood Manor Sustainability Project	Corangamite Shire	-\$25,000
	TTF1 - All abilities access to Clubhouse	Bass Coast Shire	\$4,788
	TTF1 - All abilities upgrade	East Gippsland Shire	\$12,200
	TTF1 - Allans Flat Shelter	Indigo Shire	\$23,578
	TTF1 - Amenities Block upgrade	Loddon Shire	\$7,000
	TTF1 - Archies Creek Public Hall Upgrade and Redevelopment Stage One.	Bass Coast Shire	\$25,000
	TTF1 - ASLSC Upgrade to Power Distribution Panel	Surf Coast Shire	\$5,000
	TTF1 - Axedale Township Basketball and Netball Half Court	Greater Bendigo City	\$24,799
	TTF1 - Balmoral Rec Reserve Landscaping and Playground project	Southern Grampians Shire	\$15,315
	TTF1 - Baranduda Fields Grandstand Seating	Wodonga City	\$25,000
	TTF1 - Beeac Recreation Reserve Surface Regeneration	Colac Otway Shire	\$3,303
	TTF1 - Beechworth Mountain Bike Skills Park	Indigo Shire	\$1,944

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TTF1 - Berriwilllock Tennis Court Refurbishment	Buloke Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Beulah Community Centre Deck	Yarriambiack Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Billy's House	Mansfield Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Bowenvale Playground Upgrade	Central Goldfields Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Bridge Rd/Woodford Primary School Footpath and Shared Zone	Warrnambool City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Bringing sport back to Stanley	Indigo Shire	\$3,000
TTF1 - Bruthen Pottery and Arts Space	East Gippsland Shire	\$17,532
TTF1 - Build it and they will come - Lauriston Community Hall Grounds Landscaping	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$42,000
TTF1 - Camperdown Botanic Gardens Pathway Upgrade	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Cardigan Village Reserve Upgrade	Ballarat City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Carwarp Hall Restoration	Mildura Rural City	\$30,712
TTF1 - Ceres Recreation Reserve Playground Project	Greater Geelong City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Civic Hall Floor	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Clarendon Recreation Reserve Stage 3 Masterplan	Moorabool Shire	\$20,000
TTF1 - Community and Visitor Information Screen	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$4,104
TTF1 - Community Hub Upgrade	Pyrenees Shire	\$24,292
TTF1 - Creating a safe and secure community gathering place for recreation, and in times of emergency, as a refuge.	Mansfield Shire	\$20,005

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TTF1 - CSFNC Kitchen Refurbishment	Glenelg Shire	\$15,000
TTF1 - Culgoa Tourism Signage	Buloke Shire	\$5,750
TTF1 - Darlington Hall reflooring project	Corangamite Shire	\$15,000
TTF1 - Dederang Lighting Upgrade	Alpine Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Dimboola Community Centre Refurbishment	Hindmarsh Shire	\$21,500
TTF1 - Dining Room Tales X Keayang Maar 2024	Corangamite Shire	\$15,000
TTF1 - Forrest hall upgrade	Colac Otway Shire	\$17,240
TTF1 - Fryerstown Public Park playground accessibility upgrade and BBQ area improvements.	Mount Alexander Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Gelantipy Hall Kitchen upgrade	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Gerry's Shed Completion Project	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Glenrowan Augmented Reality Siege Site Experience	Wangaratta Rural City	\$50,000
TTF1 - Halls Gap Hub Upgrade	Northern Grampians Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Harrietville Community Hall Entry, Access and parking	Alpine Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Heathcote Main Street Revitalisation Design Project	Greater Bendigo City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Heathmere Recreation Reserve Playground Upgrade	Glenelg Shire	\$5,857
TTF1 - Improvement of outdoor area at Bright Senior Citizens Centre	Alpine Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Interpretive Signage - Gargarro Botanic Garden	Campaspe Shire	\$5,595

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TTF1 - Invergordon Outdoor Activity Centre	Moirra Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Inverleigh Public Hall Capacity Expansion Project	Golden Plains Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Keeping the ball in play	Mount Alexander Shire	\$24,709
TTF1 - Kennett River Tennis Reserve Upgrade	Colac Otway Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Kiewa Cricket Ground Fence	Indigo Shire	\$12,972
TTF1 - Koroit Theatre Activation Business Case	Moyne Shire	\$3,615
TTF1 - LAKE TYERS. STORY OF PLACE	East Gippsland Shire	\$10,000
TTF1 - 'Lakeside'	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Let's Light Up Court Two!	Loddon Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Lighting, sound & projection purchase, install & training	Colac Otway Shire	\$15,000
TTF1 - Literal Pony Club barn-raising	Murrindindi Shire	\$7,000
TTF1 - Loch Memorial Reserve Playground Renewal	South Gippsland Shire	\$16,425
TTF1 - Majorca Historic Cemetery Beautification	Central Goldfields Shire	\$18,750
TTF1 - Marnoo Memorial Park refurbishment and upgrade	Northern Grampians Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - MDU FNC Netball Court Upgrade	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Merton Community Skate Park	Mansfield Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Mount Beauty Amateur Swimming Club Storage Facilities Improvement Project	Alpine Shire	\$21,025
TTF1 - Mt Macedon Memorial Cross Narration Project	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$25,000

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TTF1 - Multi-Purpose Function Rooms Refurbishments.	East Gippsland Shire	\$2,047
TTF1 - Myrtleford Community Resilience Leadership Program	Alpine Shire	\$15,328
TTF1 - Nagambie Mechanics Institute Kitchen Redevelopment Project	Strathbogie Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Nathalia Tennis Court Fencing	Moirra Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Nhill Off Leash Dog Park	Hindmarsh Shire	\$24,998
TTF1 - Nullawil Community Building Development	Buloke Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - pARTicipate - Bringing the big screen and touring exhibitions to Orbost	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Playles Hill Park Reinvigoration and Enhancement	Towong Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Raywood Kitchen extension / renewal	Greater Bendigo City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Refurbish/renovate amenities in the Gormandale Football Netball Club changerooms	Wellington Shire	\$10,200
TTF1 - Refurbishment of Building	Towong Shire	\$2,681
TTF1 - Reimagine Community Lawn Bowling	Colac Otway Shire	\$23,975
TTF1 - Renewal of Cricket Nets - Toongabbie Recreation Reserve	Latrobe City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Renewal of Rupanyup's Iconic Silo Art: A Canvas of Community Pride	Yarriambiack Shire	\$16,377
TTF1 - Repair and Reinstall All Abilities Track	Wellington Shire	\$6,636

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TTF1 - Repairs and replacement of the train carrier's roofs	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Resurfacing Greens	Pyrenees Shire	\$1,400
TTF1 - Re-surfacing the Acheron tennis court	Murrindindi Shire	\$5,050
TTF1 - Revitalisation of Jeparit's Roy Street.	Hindmarsh Shire	\$11,405
TTF1 - Rochester Go Kart Club Kitchen Upgrade and Renovation.	Campaspe Shire	\$19,740
TTF1 - Senior Citizens Hall Upgrade	Central Goldfields Shire	\$6,050
TTF1 - St Arnaud Country Club (SACC) - Clubhouse improvements to provide accessibility for disabled persons	Northern Grampians Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Strengthening community through rebuild of the old Beech Forest bakery oven	Colac Otway Shire	\$20,888
TTF1 - Strzelecki Public Hall - Project 1 (Priority) - Restumping and Internal Flooring	South Gippsland Shire	\$19,676
TTF1 - Swifts Creek Pony Club Multi-Purpose Arena & Cross-Country Track	East Gippsland Shire	\$4,976
TTF1 - Tangambalanga Active Park shelter	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - The Buninyong Christmas Festival	Ballarat City	\$28,000
TTF1 - The refurbishment of The Gil Allbutt Boat Shed	Borough of Queenscliffe	\$25,000
TTF1 - The River Garden – Developing a place-based hub for gathering, learning and growing community in Bass	Bass Coast Shire	\$14,700

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TTF1 - Tubbut Resilience & Tourism Service Centre	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Tullaroop Leisure Centre Upgrades	Central Goldfields Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Undercover area and BBQ	East Gippsland Shire	\$21,020
TTF1 - Upgrade to Audio Visual facilities at the Violet Town Community Hall	Strathbogie Shire	\$7,000
TTF1 - Upgrading the Community Seedbank facility in Mt. Taylor	East Gippsland Shire	\$15,622
TTF1 - Victoria Park, Daylesford Masterplan Development	Hepburn Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Volunteer Community Gardening Program-Capacity Building & Facility Improvement Project	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$13,840
TTF1 - Wahgunyah Railway Reserve Playground	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Walhalla Museum Upgrade and Development	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - Wallington Recreation Reserve Baseball field development	Greater Geelong City	\$25,000
TTF1 - Watchem Streetscape and Walking Track Improvements	Buloke Shire	\$25,000
TTF1 - We're Going Racing Stage 2 - Race infrastructure	Yarriambiack Shire	\$15,587
TTF1 - Woomelang Accessible Carpark Precinct	Yarriambiack Shire	\$23,366
TTF2 - Access improvements to the Yinnar Historical Society & Centenary Park	Latrobe City	\$25,000

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TTF2 - Acoustic Curtains, Main Stage Everton Hall	Wangaratta Rural City	\$5,500
TTF2 - Active Rochester	Campaspe Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Aireys Inlet Community Information And Wayfinding Hub	Surf Coast Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Allans Flat Tennis Club Court Resurfacing	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Allansford Missing Link Construction	Warrnambool City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Apex Park Hawkesdale upgrade	Moyne Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Avoca Entrance Sculpture	Pyrenees Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Ballan Cycling Hub Feasibility Study	Moorabool Shire	\$18,750
TTF2 - Barfold Community Hall Upgrades	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Barnawartha Streetscape Improvements	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Be cool and warm in the Alexandra Indoor Heated Pool	Murrindindi Shire	\$10,000
TTF2 - Bealiba Hall History Room refurbishment & exterior painting	Central Goldfields Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Benambra Caravan Hub Facilities: Attracting and Serving Visitors and Enhancing Social Connectivity	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Birchip Silo Art Project	Buloke Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Blackwood Hiking Hub Feasibility Study	Moorabool Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Bolinda Hall Walking Track	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$6,680
TTF2 - Boolarra Memorial Hall Projector and Screen	Latrobe City	\$8,380

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TTF2 - Bridgewater Rec Reserve Multipurpose Court Resurfacing	Loddon Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Bright United Football and Netball Club Storage Upgrade	Alpine Shire	\$17,104
TTF2 - Burrumbeet Soldiers Memorial Hall- Storage and improved access project	Ballarat City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Chewton Community Park welcomes everyone	Mount Alexander Shire	\$7,200
TTF2 - Childsafe Rear Fence	Wellington Shire	\$18,000
TTF2 - Chiltern Recreation Reserve Play space installation	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Cobden Tandarook Park Restoration Stage Three	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Community Garden Improvement	Greater Shepparton City	\$5,000
TTF2 - Community Gathering Park	Moirra Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Community Gathering Space	Southern Grampians Shire	\$5,524
TTF2 - Community Hub Upgrade Project	Murrindindi Shire	\$18,803
TTF2 - Community Outdoor Tables	East Gippsland Shire	\$5,600
TTF2 - Completion of Bullarto Railway Station	Hepburn Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Concrete Paths for - Bowling Green Access and BBQ area extension	Greater Shepparton City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Coronet Bay Community Garden Room and Shelter	Bass Coast Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Corryong Bowls Club Refurbishment and Upgrades	Towong Shire	\$20,656
TTF2 - Court Resurfacing	Mildura Rural City	\$25,000

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TTF2 - Daisy Hill Community Centre Kitchen Upgrade	Central Goldfields Shire	\$12,000
TTF2 - Dales Creek Community Reserve Upgrade	Moorabool Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - DAV Accessibility Carriage Restoration	Borough of Queenscliffe	\$25,000
TTF2 - Dinner Plain Community Garden	Alpine Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Discover Anderson's Mill: a self guided walk.	Hepburn Shire	\$20,000
TTF2 - Documenting and sharing Leneva's heritage with new generations	Towong Shire	\$8,000
TTF2 - Dookie Youth Spot Enhancement Project	Greater Shepparton City	\$11,425
TTF2 - Dunkeld Arboretum Toilet Project	Southern Grampians Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Enhancing Safety at the Goughs Bay Boat, Sport, Recreation and Community Hub	Mansfield Shire	\$23,800
TTF2 - Erica Public Memorial Hall - New Septic System	Baw Baw Shire	\$12,405
TTF2 - Eskdale Visitor Information Centre Access and Revitalisation Project	Towong Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Essential upgrade of Smiths Beach Rescue Base	Bass Coast Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Expansion and Integration of Stuart Mill communal areas	Northern Grampians Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Fawcett connects & improves initiative.	Murrindindi Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Feasibility Study for upgrade of Moyhu Tennis Club courts and multipurpose facility.	Wangaratta Rural City	\$25,000

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TTF2 - Garvoc Community Hall shade sail	Moyne Shire	\$18,860
TTF2 - Gavin Lowe Pavilion refurbishment	Glenelg Shire	\$17,500
TTF2 - Glen Alvie and Kernot Community Centre activation and resilience	Bass Coast Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Glenaladale Recreation Reserve Hall facilities upgrade.	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Goods Shed Hub development	Loddon Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Goroke Recreation Reserve Landscaping and Safety Fencing	West Wimmera Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Great Western historical sculpture park.	Ararat Rural City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Gundowring Hall & Reserve Storage Facility	Towong Shire	\$16,088
TTF2 - Harrietville Trails Masterplan	Alpine Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - High Camp Community - a wonderful past, an exciting future	Mitchell Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Highlands Hall Security Upgrade	Murrindindi Shire	\$6,000
TTF2 - Horsham Golf Club Mini Golf Course Development Feasibility study	Horsham Rural City	\$25,000
TTF2 - I need a roof.	Gannawarra Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Installation of a multi-purpose electronic scoreboard at the Leitchville Recreation Reserve.	Gannawarra Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Installation of a toilet block at the Yackandandah Adult Riding Club	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Installation of aluminium windows to main hall	Wellington Shire	\$16,375

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TTF2 - Interpretive Signage for Winchelsea Arboretum Trail (WAT)	Surf Coast Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Ireland Street illumination	Alpine Shire	\$18,160
TTF2 - James Park Upgrades, Harcourt	Mount Alexander Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Jane Davidson Toilet Block	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Johnsonville Community Playspace	East Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Jubilee Hall Landscaping Project	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Junior Playing Ground Irrigation System	Greater Shepparton City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Kaniva Shire Hall Restoration Project	West Wimmera Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Keeping Devenish Public Hall alive	Benalla Rural City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Killarney Beach Caravan Park / reserve refurbishment	Moyne Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Koonwarra Public Shelter	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Koorlong Public Hall Rejuvenation Project	Mildura Rural City	\$5,116
TTF2 - Korweinguboora Recreation Reserve Uplift Project	Hepburn Shire	\$24,000
TTF2 - Lal Lal Falls Reserve Masterplan	Moorabool Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Linton Recreation Reserve Electronic Scoreboard	Golden Plains Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Lismore Footbridge Replacement	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Lockup Repairs and Painting	Golden Plains Shire	\$12,700
TTF2 - Main Toilet Block upgrade and modernisation	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Making Cape Clear a vibrant	Golden Plains Shire	\$25,000

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community, livable, green and safe. (Increase livability and safety of Cape Clear)		
TTF2 - Maldon Golf Club Kitchen Upgrade	Mount Alexander Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Memorial Park Stage 1	Swan Hill Rural City	\$22,720
TTF2 - Metcalfe Recreation Reserve Upgrades	Mount Alexander Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Mooralla Community Centre Ceiling Insulation and Air Conditioning	Southern Grampians Shire	\$18,924
TTF2 - Mossi Hall Shed	East Gippsland Shire	\$14,880
TTF2 - Mount Egerton Memorial Park	Moorabool Shire	\$7,200
TTF2 - Murtoa's Innovative Public Interactive Playground at Lake Marma	Yarriambiack Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Nandaly Tennis Court Refurbishment	Buloke Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Nerrena Cricket Club Nets Replacement Project	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Nullawarre Kindergarten upgrade	Moyne Shire	\$14,325
TTF2 - Permanent Shelter Shed for Second Netball Court	Towong Shire	\$11,200
TTF2 - Peterborough Hall acoustic upgrade	Moyne Shire	\$23,039
TTF2 - Picola Bowls Club lighting upgrade	Moirra Shire	\$24,000
TTF2 - Play for Life	Pyrenees Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Play Safe Tyrendarra	Glenelg Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Portarlington Coastcarers: Pride in Place	Greater Geelong City	\$15,600
TTF2 - Purchase and installation of integrated smoke alarm system	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Purchase of multi-discipline down the line clay target	Campaspe Shire	\$25,000

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shooting traps to replace our outdated, and old, traps.		
TTF2 - R.A.G.E. Regional Art Group		
Euroa. A reclaimed, re imaged and reused Art exhibition.	Strathbogie Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Recreation Reserve Fence Upgrade	Mount Alexander Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Refurbishment of Seating at Memorial Cross Reserve	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$7,660
TTF2 - Refurbishment of the balcony of the Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre	Mildura Rural City	\$25,712
TTF2 - Re-imagining Rainbow Holiday Park Entrance	Hindmarsh Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Repair and Resurface Tennis Courts	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Replace Annex Space Floor Covering	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$6,266
TTF2 - Replacement of Asbestos roof	Wellington Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Resurface of Camperdown Timboon Rail Trail between Timboon Township and the Curdies Historic Trestle Bridge	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Resurface of oval at Bamawm Extension Recreation Reserve	Campaspe Shire	\$9,610
TTF2 - Resurfacing the basketball court located at 22 Bowen Rd, Point Lonsdale	Borough of Queenscliffe	\$25,000
TTF2 - Revive Blue Rock Lake: Foreshore Stabilization and Community Path Renewal Project (Stage 1)	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000

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TTF2 - Rhyll Wetlands Interactive Signage and Soundscape Experience	Bass Coast Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Rushworth Bowls Club Exterior Refurbishment.	Campaspe Shire	\$9,500
TTF2 - Rutherglen Maternal and Child Health Clinic Accessible Toilet	Indigo Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Scoreboard and storage at the Don Wallace Reserve	Golden Plains Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Sealing of Gippsland Plains Rail Trail through Heyfield.	Wellington Shire	\$18,400
TTF2 - Seaview Mechanics Institute Septic System Upgrade	Baw Baw Shire	\$8,448
TTF2 - Shade	Murrindindi Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Silo Art Waaia	Moira Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Skipton Jubilee Park Toilet Upgrade	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - South Purumbete Reserve Rejuvenation: Resurrecting the old football rooms to be vibrant community spaces	Corangamite Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Space for All: Tatura Community House Revamp	Greater Shepparton City	\$25,000
TTF2 - Spectator/Competitor Amenities Block	Glenelg Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Sporting Infrastructure Upgrade – Soccer Goals for Yackandandah Sports Park Facility.	Indigo Shire	\$5,532
TTF2 - St Peters meeting room and toilet facilities	Southern Grampians Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Stanhope Community Hall Upgrade	Campaspe Shire	\$25,000

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TTF2 - TCAC Rehab	Campaspe Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Telangatuk East Hall Upgrade	Horsham Rural City	\$18,900
TTF2 - The Noojee Railway Station Precinct Interpretive Signage Project	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Thorpdale Mechanics Institute Roof Replacement	Baw Baw Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Toilet Block Refurbishment	Wellington Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Toolangi cricket pitch refurbishment	Murrindindi Shire	\$16,000
TTF2 - Town Centre Action Plan Implementation: Station Street Enhancement Stage 1	Macedon Ranges Shire	\$10,800
TTF2 - Upgrade of Dadswells Bridge Hall	Horsham Rural City	\$22,000
TTF2 - Upgrade of Lighting System for existing Merrigum Bowls Club Green	Greater Shepparton City	\$17,736
TTF2 - Upgrade the vacated Preschool building for Community Use.	Colac Otway Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Upgrade to Dargo Community House Facilities	Wellington Shire	\$20,480
TTF2 - Upgrade to Kongwak Tennis Courts	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Upgrades to the Mumbannar Hall, both internally and externally.	Glenelg Shire	\$25,000
TTF2 - Walk Tarrangower Village	Mount Alexander Shire	\$14,553
TTF2 - Wannon Connect: bridges, boards and bikes	Southern Grampians Shire	\$23,613
TTF2 - Wareek Community Hall Upgrades	Central Goldfields Shire	\$12,000
TTF2 - Weaving a River: a community arts & place-making project	Mount Alexander Shire	\$25,000

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	TTF2 - Wellington Street Gate	Gannawarra Shire	\$15,400
	TTF2 - Werrimull Campground Playground Project	Mildura Rural City	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Willaura Environmental Garden and Artspace	Ararat Rural City	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Wimmera Kart racing Club Inc Education, Communication and Safety Project	Horsham Rural City	\$8,309
	TTF2 - Winslow Hall Urgent and Essential works.	Moyne Shire	\$13,407
	TTF2 - Woodvale Recreation Reserve Playspace	Greater Bendigo City	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Woorndoo Recreation Reserve kitchen upgrade	Moyne Shire	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Wye River SLSC Clubhouse Transformation – Enhancing Community Benefits	Colac Otway Shire	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Wyeeboo Reserve Picnic Area	Towong Shire	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Yaapeet Streetscape works	Hindmarsh Shire	\$25,000
	TTF2 - Yanakie Community Hall Rejuvenation	South Gippsland Shire	\$25,000
TINY TOWNS FUND - SUBURBAN	Funding for the delivery of the Suburbs portion of the Tiny Towns Fund, delivered by Suburban Development.	Metro - Various / Peri-urban LGAs	\$625,000
TRADITIONAL OWNER CORPORATIONS - DELIVERY OF THE REGIONAL PACKAGE	Dja Dja Wurrung Clans Aboriginal Corporation Regional Package Fund	Greater Bendigo City	\$410,000
	GLaWAC Regional Package Funding	East Gippsland Shire	\$400,000
	Wadawurrung Regional Package Funding	Greater Geelong City	\$809,000

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VISITOR ECONOMY - RECOVERY AND REFORM PACKAGE	ETF 21-22 - Rivercreek Agri-Tourism Investment - Business Case	Greater Geelong City	\$217,090
	ETF21-22 - The Great Ocean Pods - Investigations	Colac Otway Shire	\$4,800
	RTIF21-22 - Eildon Reserves Redevelopment – Investing in the Tourism Experience	Murrindindi Shire	\$1,050,000
	RTIF21-22 - Holden Heritage Centre	Baw Baw Shire	\$41,794
	RTIF21-22 - Mt Hotham Snow Play and Activity Hub Phase 2	Alpine Shire	\$2,250,000
	RTIF21-22 - NTAV - Tourism infrastructure at Mooramong	Pyrenees Shire	\$50,000
	RTIF21-22 - Omeo Mountain Bike Destination Project - Stage 2	East Gippsland Shire	\$317,167
	RTIF21-22 - Rokeby to Noojee Trail - Stage 1	Baw Baw Shire	\$1,500,000
	RTIF21-22 - Yea Wetlands - Discover - Experience	Murrindindi Shire	\$20,000
	RTIF-S - Goldfields Track Visitor Ready Interpretation and Enhancement Project	Mount Alexander Shire	\$80,000
	RTIF-S - Peshurst Volcanoes Discovery Centre Upgrade	Southern Grampians Shire	\$58,000
	RTIF-S - Phillip Island Brewing 'Micro Brewery' Project	Bass Coast Shire	\$20,000
	TIPF - Buloke Silo Art Trail Supporting Infrastructure	Buloke Shire	\$39,500
	TIPF - King Valley Prosecco Road Revitalisation	Wangaratta Rural City	\$250,000
	TIPF - RTIF 2021 - BGLC - Mallee Silo Art Trail Supporting Infrastructure	Horsham Rural City	\$50,000

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	Program - Barengi Gadjin Land Council	
	TIPF 2021 - BIFB - National Centre for Photography	Ballarat City
		\$3,200,000
	TIPF 2021 - HSC - Mallee Silo Art Trail Supporting Infrastructure	Hindmarsh Shire
		\$200,000
	Program - Hindmarsh Private Sector Projects – Tourism Infrastructure	
	Program-Flagship- RDV – Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations
		\$346,394
	Private Sector Projects – VERRP – RTIF Competitive Round – Commercial in Confidence	Multiple Locations
		\$979,915
TOTAL GRANT FUNDING		\$118,542,194