

Henderson-Massey Local Board

Local Grants Programme 2017/2018

Our Grants Programme aims to provide contestable and discretionary community grants to local communities.

Outcomes sought from the local grants programme

Our grants programme will be targeted towards supporting the following outcomes, as outlined in our local board plan:

- A community where we know our neighbours work together on issues and value diversity
- A good life for young and old
- We get back to our eco-city roots
- A vital business sector that values local employment opportunities

Our priorities for grants

The Henderson-Massey Local Board welcomes grant applications that align with the following local board plan priorities:

Note: these priorities relate to the local board initiatives as outlined in the local board plan.

- Events that foster community spirit
- Trialling a local match fund
- Strengthen governance capacity in our community and recreational organisations
- Providing a fund for local community safety projects
- Enhancing and celebrating our natural environment
- Enhancing community and economic opportunities
- Fostering arts, culture and sport in the community

Higher Priorities:

Events which can demonstrate:

- smoke free programmes
- waste minimisation practices
- healthy food alternatives

Lower Priorities:

The Henderson-Massey Local Board has identified the following activities as lower priorities:

- events that charge an admission fee
- catering
- fundraising events
- travel

In addition to the eligibility criteria outlined in the Community Grants Policy the Henderson-Massey Local Board will not fund:

- groups that have not met previous grant accountability requirements
- salaries or project management fees

Investment approach

The Henderson-Massey Local Board has allocated budgets to support the grants programme as follows:

- Quick Response Grants:
 - Minimum amount per grant: \$500
 - Maximum amount per grant: \$2,000
- Local Grants
 - Generally the local board will fund local grants between \$2,000 and \$5,000.

Application dates

Grant rounds for 2017/2018 will be as follows:

Quick Response

| 2017/18 funding rounds | Opens | Closes | Decision made | Projects to occur after |
|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| Round one | 12 June 2017 | 7 July 2017 | 15 August 2017 | 1 September 2017 |
| Round two | 18 September 2017 | 13 October 2017 | 21 November 2017 | 1 December 2017 |
| Round three | 16 April 2018 | 11 May 2018 | 19 June 2018 | 1 July 2018 |

Local Grants

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|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Round One | 10 July 2017 | 18 August 2017 | 17 October 2017 | 1 November 2017 |
| Round Two | 5 February 2018 | 16 March 2018 | 15 May 2018 | 1 June 2018 |

Multi-board funding

The Henderson-Massey Local Board may allocate grants to a project that benefits multiple local board areas on a case-by-case basis.