



## National Radioactive Waste Management Facility Community Benefit Programme – Barndioota, South Australia

*The programme provides funding for community groups, local councils and Australian businesses to take on projects that will lead to strengthening social and/or economic outcomes in and around Barndioota.*

### *What does it offer?*

Applicants can apply for grant funds to undertake a project that will provide a social and/or economic benefit to communities in and around the nominated site of Barndioota.

The minimum grant per application is \$5,000 and the maximum is \$1 million.

The project must be completed by 30 June 2020.

### *Who can apply?*

To be eligible you must have an Australian Business Number (ABN) and be one of the following

- a company, incorporated in Australia
- a corporate trustee on behalf of a trust
- a not for profit organisation, including community groups with voting and/or financial membership of at least five individuals
- an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander organisation, council or incorporated association
- the Outback Communities Authority
- the Flinders Ranges Council.

Joint applications are acceptable, provided you have a principal applicant who is the main driver of the project and is eligible as per the list above.

### *Who is not eligible to apply?*

You are **not** eligible to apply if you are

- an individual, partnership or trust (however, a corporate trustee may apply on behalf of a trust)
- a Commonwealth or state government agency or body (including government business enterprises).

### *What projects are eligible?*

To be eligible your project must

- be within 50km radius of Barndioota South Australia plus the remainder of the Local Government Area of the Flinders Ranges Council. A map of the area is on [business.gov.au](https://business.gov.au)
- include eligible activities and eligible expenditure
- have at least \$5,000 but no more than \$1 million worth of planned eligible expenditure.

### *How will my application be assessed?*

If eligible we will assess your application against the merit criteria.

To be competitive you must score highly against all of the following criteria

- Merit Criterion 1 – Capacity and capability to carry out the project
- Merit Criterion 2 – The benefit to the community the project will achieve
- Merit Criterion 3 – The value for money offered by your project

### *How do I apply?*

You should read the [Programme Guidelines](#) and [grant agreement](#) before you apply.

To apply you must

- complete the online application form
- address all eligibility and merit criteria
- submit your application by the advertised closing date

### *What will I need to do if successful?*

You will need to sign a grant agreement with the Australian Government. The terms and conditions of the grant agreement are not negotiable.

The grant agreement requires you to report on your completed activities.

### *Where can I find more information?*

Visit [business.gov.au/NRWMFCBP](https://business.gov.au/NRWMFCBP) or call 13 28 46.