

## MEDIA RELEASE

# Council grants to help 26 local clubs, groups, and businesses

20 October 2023

Alexandrina Council has announced the successful recipients of its latest rounds of Business Initiatives Grants, Community Environment Grants and Community Wellbeing Grants, allocating more than \$60,000 to assist 26 local businesses, clubs, and organisations.

“Every year Council distributes financial and in-kind support to the community through its Grants Program, providing assistance for a range of projects and activities that build up our community,” Alexandrina Council Chief Executive Officer Nigel Morris said.

“These grants generate economic development benefits, they help community groups preserve biodiversity, and they assist organisations with programs to increase well-being across the community.

“The Business Initiatives Grants aim to assist small businesses to increase their online presence and build their digital capability to stay competitive.

“The Community Environment Grants support community-led projects to generate environmental or sustainability benefits within our district.

“The Community Wellbeing Grants seek to help achieve an active and healthy community, a connected and inclusive community or work towards improving our community places and spaces that provide opportunities for social and cultural interaction.

“Council received 38 grant applications across the three categories and the 27 submissions from 26 groups recommended by the grant assessment panels for final endorsement were unanimously supported by Council.”

The successful 2023-2024 Business Initiatives Grant recipients are:

- o Clayton Bay Riverside Holiday Park \$3,000
- o Peninsula Providore Farm Pty Ltd \$3,000
- o Hey Baker Middleton \$3,000
- o Metal & Stone Jewellers \$3,000
- o Mobile Dietitian \$3,000
- o Pelican Retreats \$2,000 and
- o Carriage of Occasion \$1,000

The successful 2023-2024 Community Environment Grant recipients are:

- o Angas River Catchment Group \$3,000
- o Milang & District Community Association Inc. \$3,000
- o Hindmarsh Island Landcare Group Inc. \$3,000
- o One Million Trees Group \$3,000
- o Friends of Nurragi Association \$2,000
- o Captain Sturt Revegetators \$2,000 and
- o Chris Williams \$2,000

The successful 2023-2024 Community Wellbeing Grant recipients are:

- o Port Elliot Bowling Club \$1,000
- o South Coast Suicide Prevention Team \$2,500
- o Goolwa Visual Arts Group Inc \$2,500
- o Armfield Wooden Boats Inc \$2,500
- o Milang & District Community Association Inc \$2,500
- o Goolwa Uniting Church \$2,500
- o Langhorne Creek Cricket Club \$2,500
- o Coorong Quays Boat Shed Incorporated \$1,250
- o Milang & District Historical Society Incorporated \$1,875
- o Hope Forest Residents Association Inc \$1,000
- o Strath Neighbourhood Centre \$1,875
- o Coorong Dragons Incorporated \$1,875 and
- o Goolwa Croquet Club \$1,125.

For further details about the grant programs and the selected applicants, head to our website [www.alexandrina.sa.gov.au](http://www.alexandrina.sa.gov.au) for the 16 October 2023 Council Meeting agenda.

\*The Milang & District Community Association Inc received a Community Environment Grant and a Community Wellbeing Grant for two separate applications.

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