

Energising Your Community Fund

Grant application form

AusNet Services, Indigo Shire's electricity delivery service, is proud to partner with the Indigo Shire Council to introduce the "Energising Your Community" grant fund of \$20,000.

The Energising Your Community fund provides community organisations and groups with the opportunity to apply for a grant of up to \$3,000 to deliver a sustainable project that benefits the local community.

Applications close 14 December 2018

Grants Criteria

Successful applications must:

- Benefit the local community
- Offer a sustainable solution for a community event or project
- Be developed in consultation with all stakeholders and have broad community support
- Be practical and have clear objectives with the ability to achieve a successful outcome within a reasonable timeframe
- Demonstrate the ability to make effective use of grant funds
- Identify financial capability and accountability via references from previous projects
- Identify opportunities for AusNet Services to promote the Energising Your Community fund

Please note: Applications won't be considered for individuals, travel projects, political parties, projects which don't benefit the community or are discriminatory against minor groups, projects that don't foster the community's best interest nor projects that are hazardous to the community and environment.

Application details

*Organisation name	
Organisation ABN (if applicable)	
Is your organisation incorporated? If not, please have an incorporated body auspice the application.	
Name of contact person	
Position title (if applicable)	
Email address	
Street or PO address	
Business hours telephone number	
Mobile number	
Email address	

*Please note, if your application is successful, the Energising Your Community Fund grant will be made payable to the stated organisation name. If no ABN is available, you may wish to identify who has approved your application.

Please answer all of the following questions to maximise the potential of your grant application being successful. Grant forms can be downloaded at – <https://www.ausnetservices.com.au/Community/Sponsorships-and-donations>. Please keep your submission to a maximum of four pages.

Grant details

1. Provide an overview of the organisation/group	
2. What is the name of your project?	
3. What are the key project objectives? Be as specific as possible.	
4. What are the benefits from the grant to the community?	

<p>5. What amount is being requested from AusNet Services? Please provide a breakdown of project costs.</p>	
<p>6. Please identify other bodies involved in the project?</p>	
<p>7. If there is a shortfall in funding, how will you secure the remaining funds?</p>	
<p>8. What is the grant timeline? Please highlight key milestone dates.</p>	
<p>9. How will you ensure the funding objectives are achieved? Who will be involved in the delivery?</p>	
<p>10. How will this positively support AusNet Services' relationship with your community?</p>	
<p>11. What opportunities would be generated to promote AusNet Services' grants program?</p>	
<p>12. Are there any other details you would like to share with us?</p>	

Thank you for your grant application and be assured that we will review all applications equally and hopefully be able to advise you of a successful outcome.

If your application is successful, you will receive cheque payment 4-6 weeks after the grant recipients are announced.

What to submit

Grant application form	Please use the official grant application form for your project submission.
Electronic application	If completing this application by computer, please keep within the set framework and a maximum of four pages.
Attachments and supporting materials	Additional information may be included to support your grant submission. Applicants are requested to not include original documents with their submission as they cannot be returned.

How and where to submit?

There are two ways to submit your CDF grant application. Please choose one of the two methods listed below:

1. Post to: Sarah Ward
AusNet Services
Corporate Relations
Level 31, 2 Southbank Boulevard
Southbank VIC 3006
2. Email to: corporate.affairs@ausnetservices.com.au

All applications are due by 5 pm 14 December 2018

By signing the form below, you give permission for AusNet Services and Indigo Shire Council to use photographs of your project and the name of your organisation for advertising purposes.

Name _____

Signature _____

Position _____

Date _____