

ATTACHMENT 1 - LIST OF GRANT AND FUNDING SOURCES

Department of Planning and Community Development (DPCD)

There are a number of grant and funding programs provided by the Department of Planning and Community Development (DPCD) that may be applicable to your organisation. Details of all grant and funding programs provided by DPCD are available at the following website www.grants.dpcd.vic.gov.au including:

- 1. Community Facility Grants:** Country Football Netball, Strengthening the World Game, Sustainable Sports Grounds, Community Facilities (planning, major & minor, seasonal pool renewal, better pools).
- 2. Equipment/Uniform:** Emergency: Sporting and Recreational Equipment, Sporting Uniforms: Our Club, Our Future.
- 3. Other:** Country Action Grant Scheme, Victalent, Significant Sporting Events.

Alternatively, call the **Grants Information Line** on **1300 366 356** (the cost of a local call) weekdays between 8.30am and 10.00pm (except public holidays).

Additional Information

A selection of other organisations that provide assistance or information relating to sponsorship, grants and funding opportunities is listed below. Applicants are reminded to review the eligibility requirements and guidelines prior to submitting an application.

1. Australian Sports Commission:

The ASC provides a number of grants and funding programs which maybe applicable to your organisation. Details for these grant and funding programs can be found at the following website. www.ausport.gov.au/supporting/funding/grants_and_scholarships

- Elite Indigenous Travel and Accommodation Assistance Program (EITAAP)
- Local Sporting Champions grants program
- National Officiating Scholarship program
- Sport Leadership Grants and Scholarships for Women
- Multicultural Youth Sports Partnership Program (MYSP)

2. State Sporting Associations (SSA's):

Some of the peak bodies responsible for the administration and management of a sport in the state have funding programs available (e.g., Netball Victoria, Basketball Victoria). Please check the State Sporting Organisation's website or contact directly the relevant organisations.

3. Local Government Authorities:

These authorities are known to administer funding programs that support various community and recreational activities. Contact your local member or click on the link below which will take you to the page naming all the Local Government Authorities in Victoria.

Refer to: www.dpi.vic.gov.au/dpi/vro/vrosite.nsf/pages/lwm_catchment_localgov_links

4. The Australian Sports Foundation (ASF)

ASF, established by the Australian Government, assists community organisations raise funds for the development of Australian Sport. The ASF operates a Sport Incentive Program, aiming to increase opportunities for Australians to participate in sport and/or excel in sports performance.

Refer to: www.asf.org.au/how

5. VicHealth

Adds strength to other organisations working in health promotion through the provision of funding opportunities and other resources. Grants and funding that may be applicable for your organisation are listed below or refer to:

www.vichealth.vic.gov.au/en/Funding-Opportunities/About-Funding.aspx

- **Active Club Grants**
- **Active Participation Grants**

6. Vicsport

Provides an online version of the publication *A Guide to Grants and Funding for Victorian Recreation and Sporting Organisations* funded by Sport and Recreation Victoria.

Refer to: www.vicsport.asn.au/

More Funding and Grant Opportunities

A. Layne Beachley's 'Aim for the Stars' Foundation: The aim of this foundation is to inspire girls and women across Australia to dream and achieve. Applications close in November each year.

Refer to: www.aimforthestars.com.au/apply/default.asp

B. Sportscover Sponsorship Fund: Supports grassroots sporting clubs and associations so that they then can support their amateur men and women who are striving to achieve sporting greatness.

Refer to: www.sportscover.com/sponsorship.asp

C. Telstra Community development fund: supports community-based projects that connect children and young people to their communities.

www.telstrafoundation.com.au/dir148/tfweb.nsf/communitydevelopmentfund/communitydevelopmentfund?opendocument&menu=2

D. Telstra Kids Fund: Aims to support a project or activity run by a not-for-profit organisation involving a child, 18 years or under, in Permanent Telstra Group employee's immediate family.

<http://www.telstrafoundation.com.au/dir148/tfweb.nsf/telstraskidsfund/telstraskidsfund?opendocument&menu=3>

E. Telstra Assistance Fund: Aims to help those communities affected by the devastating floods in Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria by providing equipment grants.

www.beinvolved.telstra.com/top-about-be-involved/offsite-get-support-taf

F. RACV Foundation: Is committed to serving the community and therefore created this foundation to deliver funds to not for profit community groups. Refer to:

www.racv.com.au/wps/wcm/connect/internet/primary/about+racv/community+engagement/racv+community+foundation

G. St George Foundation: Funds programs run by smaller charities that work closely with families, attract little funding from government and cannot generate significant fundraising income.

Refer to: promos.stgeorge.com.au/stgeorgefoundation/

H. ANZ Trustees Program: Community inclusion for people with a disability in Victoria: Enables children with physical disabilities to gain access to mainstream community activities and to provide access to work, education and mainstream community activities for people with physical, intellectual or psychiatric disabilities.

Refer to: www.anz.com/personal/private-bank-trustees/trustees/apply-grant/trustees-programs/

I. City of Melbourne Individual Athlete Grant: Provides financial assistance to athletes representing a club or organisation competing at an international level. This is available to athletes who are a resident of the City of Melbourne or play, train or compete in the municipality Assistance is available for costs associated with training and competitions only.

Refer to: www.melbourne.vic.gov.au/AboutCouncil/grantssponsorship/ActiveMelbourne/Pages/IndividualAthlete.aspx

J. Cash 4 Clubs: This is a sports funding scheme which gives clubs a chance to apply for grants to maintain and improve the club. The scheme provides funding for sporting clubs that can be used to improve facilities, purchase new equipment, gain coaching qualifications and generally invest in the sustainability of their club.

Refer to: cash4clubs.betfair.com.au/

K. EasyGrants: Part of the ourcommunity.com.au website, EasyGrants is a monthly newsletter released to paid subscribers with lists of potential grants and funding sources, including a section for Sport and Recreation. It covers Federal and State funding, philanthropic and corporate grants. Subscriptions are \$55 per annum for Not-for-Profits and Schools. An online search facility for individual grant inquiries is available free of charge for newsletter subscribers.

Refer to: http://www.ourcommunity.com.au/funding/grant_main.jsp#eg

L. Multicultural Festivals and Events Grants: These grants, funded by the Victorian Multicultural Commission, aim encourage cross cultural awareness as well as foster intercultural relationships, community contributions, mutual respect, understanding and community unity. Grants of up to \$20,000 can be provided, however the high volume of applications means awarded grants are usually between \$500 and \$3,000. Applicants who have secured other funding and financial partners will be looked upon favourably.

Refer to: <http://www.multicultural.vic.gov.au/grants/categories/multicultural-festivals-and-events-grants>