

## 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

| 2017/18 funding rounds | Opens           | Closes         | Decision made   | Projects to occur after |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 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.