



# LOCAL COMMUNITIES

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Delivery of local community projects providing grants to local councils and non-government organisations across New South Wales to support community engagement, local sporting organisations, local tourism and local economies. Local projects include:

## SUPPORTING COMMUNITIES

- **\$25 million** to establish the Byron Bay Sustainable Tourism Fund to manage the impact of tourism on the region and locals.
- **\$11.6 million** to continue funding the Ability Links NSW disability program in 2019-20.
- **\$8 million** towards stage one of the North Coast Beaches Multi Purpose Community Centre in Woolgoolga.
- **\$7.5 million** towards the first stage of a new Australian Opal Centre in Lightning Ridge.
- **\$5 million** to Cabonne Council for a new library, community hall and learning centre in Molong.
- **\$4 million** towards to the Berry Rotary Club for the Berry kids playground.
- **\$3.4 million** to the Oxley Vale Lifelong Learning Centre to provide more appropriate spaces for activities undertaken by students, community groups and the elderly.
- **\$3.3 million** to commence construction of Grace's Place, a world-first residential recovery centre, to help children and young people through the trauma of losing a loved one due to homicide.
- **\$2 million** to Albury Local Council to support community engagement, local sporting organisations for young women, local tourism and local economies.
- **\$2 million** to provide improved security infrastructure for more than 30 Jewish places of worship, aged-care facilities and schools.
- **\$1.5 million** to upgrade Edward Bennett Park, Cherrybrook and make it an inclusive playspace.
- **\$1.5 million** grant to Lismore Council to support community activities.
- **\$207,000** to support churches in Granville, including St. Mary's Antiochian Orthodox Church in Mays Hill and St. Anthony's and

St. Paul's Coptic Orthodox Church in Guildford.

- **\$100,000** to replace the roof at St Joseph's Catholic Church and improve accessibility at St Mary & St Joseph's Coptic Orthodox Church in Oatley.
- **\$100,000** to the Animal Hospital in Lismore.
- **\$35,000** for equipment at the Koala Triage, Treatment and Pathology Clinic in Lismore.

## INVESTING IN SPORT AND RECREATION

- **\$25 million** from the Growing Local Economies Fund for a purpose-built sporting precinct at Orange.
- **\$25 million** to Newcastle Basketball to build a new indoor sports stadium at Hillsborough.
- **\$15 million** to build a new sports hub in Cooma, including a synthetic athletic track and an indoor sports facility with three courts.
- **\$13.5 million** to the Bega Valley Shire Council to upgrade the Bega and Pambula Sporting Complexes and Merimbula Basketball Courts.
- **\$10 million** for the Coffs Harbour Recreational Boat Ramp.
- **\$10 million** to the Verge Street Fields (Kempsey Sporting Complex) Project.
- **\$10 million** to upgrade the Goulburn Aquatic and Leisure Centre.
- **\$9 million** to fully upgrade the Mark Taylor Oval in Waitara.
- **\$4.5 million** to the Southern Districts Football Association to upgrade Ernie Smith Reserve.
- **\$1.2 million** to Alstonville Football Club for the clubhouse and lighting redevelopment.
- **\$3.8 million** for a new Brunswick Heads Surf Club. **\$3.6 million** to upgrade Kingsford Smith Park, Ballina.
- **\$3.5 million** to expand the Hornsby Mountain Bike Trail.
- **\$3 million** to the Dubbo Rifle Club for a new purpose built shooting complex for approved target shooting disciplines.
- **\$3 million** to upgrade Tuncurry Golf Course.
- **\$3 million** to Bowraville Recreational club for the Bowraville Sport and Youth Hub.
- **\$3 million** to upgrade sporting fields at Parramatta Park.
- **\$3 million** to Penrith City Council to upgrade the synthetic running track, the oval, amenities and lighting at Parker Street Fields.
- **\$2.5 million** to Hornsby Shire Council for bushwalking trails.
- More than **\$2 million** to upgrade the sports grounds at Tahmoor and Picton.
- **\$2 million** for the redevelopment of Gladesville Oval and Reserve.
- **\$2 million** to upgrade the Oberon Football Ground and Fitness Park.
- **\$1.8 million** to Easts Rugby Club to upgrade facilities to improve equality for female athletes.
- **\$1.5 million** to upgrade the amenities block at Penrith Tennis Centre.
- **\$1.5 million** to Hornsby Shire Council for a synthetic pitch for the Northern Suburbs Football Association.
- **\$1.5 million** to Hornsby Shire Council to upgrade the Ron Payne Reserve at North Epping.
- **\$900,000** to Georges River Council for decontamination of the Oatley Bowling Club.
- **\$750,000** to Blue Mountains Council to upgrade amenities at Lapstone Oval.

- **\$750,000** to Canterbury Bankstown Council to upgrade sporting facilities for local sporting teams using Marco Reserve and provide a modern clubhouse.
- **\$750,000** to upgrade amenities and complete the second block at Leonay Oval.
- **\$500,000** to Penrith City Council to upgrade the Eileen Cammack Reserve.
- **\$400,000** towards a new clubhouse and other amenity upgrades at the Hammondville Oval, including storage facilities, change rooms for female participants and disability bathrooms.

- **\$200,000** to Mid Coast Council to upgrade Myall Lakes Tennis Centre.

### LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE

- **\$44 million** to build a new road connection between Garfield Road at Denmark Road and Westminster Street, near Riverstone.
- An additional **\$14.3 million** towards Stage 1 of the Moss Vale Bypass, bringing total investment to \$20 million.
- **\$5.5 million** to the NSW Rail Museum to re-open the Picton Loop Line, a 152 year old line between Buxton and Colo Vale.

- **\$2 million** towards the final stage of the Gannons Park water quality Improvement and stormwater harvesting project.

- **\$600,000** to the Tweed Shire Council for maintenance of the Northern Rivers Rail Trail.

- **\$93,000** to Mullumbimby High School for a new Bus Shelter.

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### OTHER LOCAL PROJECTS

#### EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION GRANTS PROGRAM

- **\$14,850** to Bundanoon District Preschool to build a new chicken pen and vegetable garden to enhance their weekly cooking program, and to build children's understanding of where their food comes from. As well as \$60,000 to the Port Stephens Mobile Preschool Activity Van to continue its services.

#### FIRE STATION IN LISMORE

- Provide planning funding for a new co-located Fire and Rescue NSW and Ambulance station in Lismore.

#### NEW KINGSLIFF FIRE STATION

- Provide funding to purchase land and build a new fire station in Kingscliff.

#### NEW RESCUE RAFT FOR SES HOLROYD

- Provide **\$10,000** to the Holroyd SES unit to purchase a new rescue raft and other equipment.

#### UPGRADE OLDS PARK

- Provide **\$500,000** to Georges River Council to install new irrigation and resurface the field at Olds Park Field 2.

#### NEW MULTI-USE COMMUNITY SPORTS PAVILION AT GRANVILLE PARK

- Provide **\$2.7 million** to Cumberland Council from within the Greater Sydney Sports Facility Fund, for a new multi-use community sports pavilion at Granville Park, Merrylands.

#### UPGRADE THE PENNANT HILLS DEMONS AFL CLUB

- Provide **\$965,000** to build a new club house for the Pennant Hills Demons AFL Club at Ern Holmes Oval.

#### MARK LEECE FIELDS UPGRADE

- Provide **\$1.3 million** to Penrith City Council to upgrade Mark Leece Fields at St Clair.

#### PORTLAND TOUCH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION UPGRADES

- Provide **\$500,000** to Portland Touch Football Association towards upgrades of its facilities.

#### UPGRADE KNAPSACK PARK

- Provide **\$750,000** to the Blue Mountains Council to upgrade Knapsack Park in Glenbrook.

#### NEW MULTI-SPORT PRECINCT

- **\$2.2 million** from the Greater Sydney Sports Facility Fund to the Wollondilly Shire Council towards the Wilton Recreational Reserve multi-sports precinct.

#### INSTALLING SAFETY LIGHTING FOR REGIONAL TOWNS

- **\$110,000** towards installing safety lighting in Jindabyne, Bombala, Berridale and Cooma.

## **NEW PORTLAND CEMENT WORKS MUSEUM**

- Provide **\$500,000** to 'the Foundations' to build a new Portland Cement Works Museum.

## **UPGRADE BANGALOW LIONS CLUB**

- **\$228,000** to upgrade the Bangalow Lions Club bar and BBQ kiosk.

## **UPGRADE COOMA CBD**

- **\$1 million** to upgrade Sharp Street in the Cooma CBD.

## **REVITALISE LISMORE CBD**

- **\$1.5 million** to the Lismore City Council to revitalise the Lismore CBD.

## **SCONE MAIN STREET UPGRADES**

- **\$7 million** to the Upper Hunter Shire Council for the Scone Main Street upgrades.

## **ESTABLISH A CITRUS CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE**

- **\$300,000** to the Griffith Centre for Irrigated Agriculture (GCIA) to establish a Citrus Centre of Excellence in Griffith.

## **UPGRADE YASS WATER TREATMENT PLANT**

- Provide **\$1.2 million** to upgrade the Yass water treatment plant from the Safe and Secure Water Program, following business case finalisation.

## **INVESTIGATION OF COEDUCATIONAL FACILITY AT HORNSBY**

- Commence a feasibility study to build a new coeducational facility to meet growing demands of residents in Hornsby.

## **BANKSIA MENTAL HEALTH UNIT REDEVELOPMENT**

- Planning for the redevelopment of the Banksia Mental Health Unit in Tamworth under the State-wide Mental Health Infrastructure Program.

## **NEW QUEANBEYAN RESPITE CARE CENTRE**

- **\$750,000** to build a respite care centre in Queanbeyan to support people suffering from terminal and chronic illness.

## **FUNDING FOR GARRAWARRA CENTRE RESIDENTIAL AGED CARE FACILITY**

- **\$177,000** for a new bus and equipment at the Garrawarra Centre residential aged care facility.

## **KARITANE RESIDENTIAL SERVICE UPGRADE**

- **\$130,000** to Karitane Residential Service for upgrades to support their work helping new parents and babies.

## **ONG JETTY HEALTHCARE CENTRE UPGRADE**

- **\$110,000** to upgrade air conditioning units at the Long Jetty Healthcare Centre.

## **NEW EQUIPMENT FOR MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL**

- **\$17,000** for two medical grade treadmills at Mount Drutt Hospital.

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