

# GRANT SUBCOMMITTEE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING Agenda 23 September 2021

#### **NOTICE OF MEETING**

Due to COVID-19 restrictions this meeting will be held via video conference. All members participating via video conference will count for the purpose of the meeting quorum in accordance with clause 25B of Schedule 7 to the Local Government Act 2002. This meeting will be livestreamed and will be available to view on our YouTube channel.

The meeting will be held under the above provisions and will commence at 5.30pm with the express purpose of deliberating on community and youth grant applications.

#### MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE

Mayor Alex Beijen (Chair), Councillors Leigh Hay, Pam Colenso, Garrick Emms, Brian Jephson, Brenda West and Rebecca Fox.

Alternates: Councillors Ross Vickery, Alistair Plimmer and Pip Maynard.

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Conflicts of Interest
- 3. Deliberations
  - 3.1 Grant Funding Allocations 2021-22 Report
    - Applications are available on the **SWDC** website

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#### **GRANTS SUBCOMMITTEE**

**SEPTEMBER 2021** 

#### AGENDA ITEM .1

#### **GRANT FUNDING ALLOCATIONS 2021-22**

#### **Purpose of Report**

To present the review of grant funding applications for 2021-22.

#### Recommendations

Officers recommend that the Subcommittee:

- 1. Receive the Grant Funding Allocations 2021-22 Report.
- 2. To consider allocating funding to Community and Youth grant applicants for grant applications received for the 2021-22 financial year.

#### 1. Background

The Community and Youth Grant applications for 2021-22 are submitted for review and consideration to the Subcommittee.

#### 2. Discussion

Applications for Community and Youth discretionary grants for 2021-22 year closed on 16<sup>th</sup> August 2021.

The total available discretionary grants for the 2021-22 financial year were set by Council as part of the Long-Term Plan 2021-31.

Council allocated \$170,000 for community grants and \$75,000 for youth grants.

Council delegated authority to the Grants Subcommittee to allocate grants as per the Grants Policy and up to the specified budgeted limits set out in Year One of the Long-Term Plan.

#### 2.1 Grants Policy

Council's policy seeks to support and resource initiatives that meet identified community needs, which contribute to community empowerment and strengthen communities. Community and Youth grants are primarily for the benefit of the district's residents.

The Policy sets out the eligibility and outcomes Council considers when allocating grant funding.

#### 2.1.1. Outcomes

Grants will be allocated to organisations which contribute to the community in at least one of the following six areas. The funding categories are aligned to the community outcomes as outlined in the Long-Term Plan (LTP).

Funding Categories	LTP Community Outcome
Arts, museums, heritage and culture (includes Maoritanga)	Vibrant and Strong Communities
Environment	Sustainable South Wairarapa
Events	Vibrant and Strong Communities
Sport and Recreation	Accessible Communities, Vibrant and Strong Communities, Healthy and Economically Secure
Social and Educational Services	Educated and Knowledgeable, Healthy and Economically Secure, Vibrant and Strong Communities
Economic Development	Healthy and Economically Secure, Accessible Communities

The activities must benefit the South Wairarapa district, or, at the discretion of the Council, the Wairarapa region. Regional funding will be considered on a per capita basis and must show a tangible direct or indirect benefit to South Wairarapa.

In addition, Youth Grants are targeted to support activities that encourage development and enable participation of young people in the South Wairarapa.

#### 2.1.2. Eligibility

As per the Grants Policy applicants need to meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Community organisations with a formal legal structure e.g. incorporated societies, trusts, clubs with formal rules.
- Commercial organisations where the activity has tangible benefit to the wider
   South Wairarapa community and the application is:
  - To cover the costs of delivering a free community event or activity;
  - To subsidise the costs of a charged-for event or activity (i.e. reducing fees to enable community access); or
  - To provide a charged-for event or service that would otherwise not be commercially viable, where that event or service will help achieve community outcomes. Any charge must be set at level that encourages broad participation.
- The applicant does not need to be based in the South Wairarapa but the applicant must be able to demonstrate that the activity benefits the South Wairarapa community. Applications for region-wide or national activities must have tangible benefit to the South Wairarapa community.
- Applicants may not be in receipt of any other Council or Council-administered grant given for the same activity in the same financial year.

#### 2.1.3. Partnership Funding

This year the Grants Policy allows Council to enter into partnership funding agreements to provide support on an ongoing basis to enable organisations to cover operational costs. The agreement can be for a maximum period of 3 years but, for this triennium, will not extend past 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023. The intention is for Council to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with recipients which would set out conditions or deliverables tailored to each organisation. These could include regular reporting on key measurables that support the achievement of one or more of the funding categories, and provision to provide annual financial statements.

#### 2.1.4. Project Funding

Project funding is for the purpose of delivering a project and does not include operational costs. Recipients will be required to return an Accountability Report from previous grant allocations prior to receiving further funding. A set of financial statements is also required for any applications in excess of \$5,000.

#### 2.1.5. Ineligible Costs

As per the Grants Policy, applications that will not be funded are:

- Overseas travel.
- Private expenses outside of the agreed scope.
- Activities seeking to promote commercial, political or religious objectives.
- Sponsorships or endowments.
- Applications to provide social welfare or health treatment/benefits to individuals.
- Costs associated with fundraising events where profits or proceeds are redistributed to other organisations or individuals.
- Sports team accommodation, travel or uniform without evidence of an application being made to a Gaming Trust or other funding provider or clear evidence of club contribution.
- Applications from individuals (except applications to the Māori Standing Committee).
- Ongoing operational expenses e.g. staff or contractor salaries, rent, rates, insurance, vehicle operating and maintenance costs, and debt payments, except where covered by a partnership arrangement.
- Applications from organisation which have not completed accountability requirements for previous grant funding.

#### 3. Appendices

Appendix 1 – SWDC Grant applications 2021-22 (Excel)

Contact Officer: Katrina Neems, Chief Financial Officer

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# South Wairarapa District Council Grants Tracking Tool 2021-22

## **Youth Grants**

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		House of Science Wairarapa Charitable Trust	Youth	Social & Ed	\$5,000.00	Yes	\$5,000.00	Yes	Yes	\$5,000.00			\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,500.0
	20211014a	Featherston Booktown Trust	Youth	Events	\$30,000.00	Yes	\$15,000.00					One year only		
	20211021	Swim with Sophie	Youth	Sport & Rec	\$5,000.00	Yes	\$5,000.00	No						
	20211022	Divine River NZ Trust	Youth	Social & Ed	\$9,820.00	No	\$1,500.00	No				Emailed to request Financial Statements be provided prior to meeting	\$ 4,880.00	\$ 1,500.0
		Te Kura O Papatuanuku Wairarapa Earth School	Youth	Environment	\$4,800.00	Yes	\$2,000.00	No						\$ 2,600.0
		Featherston Junior Football Club inc	Youth	Sport & Rec	\$3,738.00	Yes		Yes	Yes	\$2,964.00				
	20211033	1st Greytown Scouts Club	Youth	Sport & Rec	\$10,000.00	No	\$5,000.00	No				On receipt of material costs. Partially funding - need to fundraise		
	20211034	Wairarapa Whanau Trust	Youth	Social & Ed	\$25,000.00	Yes	\$25,000.00	Yes	Yes	\$35,000.00				
	20211035	Wairarapa Youth Orchestra	Youth	Social & Ed	\$25,390.96	Yes	\$0.00	No				Not a focus for council at this time. Other funding sources may be available. Creative NZ application		
	20211036	Wairarapa Youth Orchestra	Youth	Social & Ed	\$21,768.80	Yes	\$0.00	No				Not a focus for council at this time. Other funding sources may be available. Creative		
	20211038	Dragonfly	Youth	Events	\$2,000.00	Yes	\$2,000.00	No				Turning Sources may be available. Creative		
					\$461,976.49		\$60,500.00			\$42,964.00	\$0.00			

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**Community Grants** 

Community Grants    Funding Round   Application #   Application #   Application   Accountability   Accountab																				
Funding Round Closing Date	Application #	Applicant Name	Category	Funding Criteria	Project Title	Brief Project Description	Purpose of Funding	\$ Amount Requested	Application Complete	\$ Amount Allocated	Status	Area	% of application granted	Accountability Form Required	Accountability Form Received from last year's grant	2020-21 1st round	2020-21 2nd round	Comment	CDC	MDC
	20211001	Wairarapa Road Safety Council	Community	Social & Ed	Operational	Assisting young drivers to get licenses, which increase job/college prospects & reduces accidents.	Partnership	\$5,000.00	Yes			District		Yes	Yes	\$5,000.00			\$ 5,000.00	\$10,000.00
	20211002	Wairarapa Balloon Festival inc	Community	Events	Staging	Funds will be used for staging event which puts Wairarapa on the map, and increases local trade.	Partnership	\$10,000.00	Yes			District		No						\$10,000.00
	20211003	Sandoval Promotions Ltd	Community	Events	Staging of cycle classic race	To assist with staging event which showcases Martinborough and attract many spectators and gets TV coverage. Promotes cycling in NZ	Partnership	\$22,000.00	Yes			District		No						
	20211004	Access Radio Wairarapa	Community	Arts	Additional radio set up for more rural listeners	To help fund a Southern area coordinator to allow service to more remote areas. Allows all groups to have access.	Project	\$5,000.00	) Yes			District		Yes	Yes	\$2,000.00			\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00
	20211005	Order of St John Wairarapa	Community	Social & Ed	Health Shuttles	To assist with operating health shuttles to allow residents to get to medical appointments.	Partnership	\$5,000.00	Yes			District		No					\$ 4,000.00	\$ 2,500.00
	20211006	Wairarapa Healthy Homes	Community	Economic Dev	Warm Health Kiwi Homes	SWDC has been a beneficiary of this programme for many years	Partnership	\$5,000.00	Yes			District		Yes	Yes	\$4,000.00			\$ 5,000.00	
	20211007	Alzheimers Disease & related Dementia Society	Community	Social & Ed	Operational costs	for some to get to Masterton. Support those with	Partnership	\$5,000.00	Yes			District		Yes	Yes	\$5,000.00			\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
	20211008	Wairarapa Search & Rescue	Community	Environment	Operational Costs	disease and family.  To assist in the operational costs of the Search and rescue and providing Wandatrak Pendants to patients who may wander away from place of	Partnership	\$3,007.00	Yes			District		Yes	Yes	\$4,660.00			\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,500.00
	20211009	Pasifika O Wairarapa Trust	Community	Social & Ed	Census and support of Pasifika	care.  Assisting Pasifika families to work and settle in the Wairarapa. Mostly RSE workers who are greatly	Partnership	\$10,000.00	Yes			District		No				No financial statements. New organisation	\$ 5,000.00	
	20211010	Featherston Heritage Museum	Community	Arts	Operational Costs	needed.  Assit in running costs to keep museum operational which is a great benefit to visitors and schools to	Partnership	\$4,823.57	Yes			Featherston		Yes	Yes	\$3,588.00				
	20211011	Featherston Community Centre	Community	Social & Ed	Carport structure	learn about history at the POW camp in Featherston.  Install a carport structure to provide shelter for mobility scooters, prams, bikes etc close to a room	Project	\$8,500.00	Yes			Featherston		Yes	Yes	\$5,000.00				
	20211013	Aratoi Regional Trust	Community	Arts	Operational and future planning	with easy disability access.  To ensure continued South Wairarapa Taonga Maori and cultural artefacts are made accessible	Partnership	\$25,000.00	Yes			District		Yes	Yes	\$10,000.00				
	20211014b	Featherston Booktown Trust	Community	Events	Develop Aotearoa New	for communities and visitors to region. \$20,000 PA for running the event, \$30,000 for	Partnership	\$25,000.00	Yes			Featherston		Yes	No	\$15,000.00		Emailed to request accounability form be		
					Zealands only booktown.	Festival of young readers programme.												submitted before 16th September meeting		
	20211015	Family Works Wairarapa	Community	Social & Ed	Rent for Family works location	This money will pay rent on our Family Works location allowing us to help more whanau in the community.	Partnership	\$25,000.00	Yes			District		No						
	20211016	Greytown Heritage Trust	Community	Arts	Upgrade website and leaflet	Upgrade Historic walk component of Web site and re write Historic Greytown leaflet	Project	\$1,750.00	Yes			Greytown		Yes	Yes	\$5,128.00				
	20211017	Cobblestones Museum	Community	Arts	Operational costs	To continue its work and contribute to a number of wellbeing outcomes identified in the long term plan.	Partnership	\$25,000.00	Yes			Greytown		Yes	No	\$15,000.00		Emailed to request accounability form be submitted before 16th September meeting		
		Wairarapa Dark Sky Association Wairarapa Safer Community	Community		Dark Sky status operational costs Insurance costs for	Planning to achieve Dark Sky status which would be a major attraction for the region. For SWDC to continue to pay insurance costs as	Partnership Partnership	\$9,400.00 \$1,100.00				District District		No Yes	Yes	\$8,000.00				
		Trust  Kahutara Parents & Citizens	Community		vehicle  Sports equipment	they have since 1995.  To purchase equipment for the Kahutara & local		\$15,000.00				Rural		No	163	\$6,000.00				
		Martinborough Waiwaste & Food Box Charitable	Community		Operational expenses	community all weather sport court.  So money earmarked for food can be used for food and volunteers don't use their own money	Partnership	\$10,000.00				District		No						
	20211025	Volunteering Wairarapa	Community	Social & Ed	Operational	which is what happens.  To assist with the running costs of the Volunteering hub, which streamlines the process	Partnership	\$2,500.00	Yes			District		No		\$2,500.00			\$ 2,000.00	5,000.00
						of finding oppurtunaties for volunteers and gives a wider pool of resources.														
	20211026	Country Village Heaven	Community	Events	Chrismas festival	Assist with costs of street decorations, light show to enable this festival to grow larger and in turn boost local economy.	Partnership	\$25,000.00	Yes			District		No						
		Featherston Community Partol	Community		Operational Costs	Running costs of the community patrol vehicle, uniform PPE, we also report to the Council on a wide range of issues spotted on partrol.	Partnership	\$3,238.16				Featherston		Yes	Yes	\$3,000.00				
	20211028	Wellington Regional Sports Education Trust	Community	Sport & Rec	Sports field reports	Report on available and potential sports facilities to benefit the whole community and get those less active more active.	Project	\$3,000.00	Yes			District		No				Emailed to request Financial Statements be provided prior to meeting		
	20211029	Papawai Community Trust Inc	Community	Environment	Papawai-Mangarara Stream	Riarian planting, eliminate weeds, lay path to allow visitors to wander along the edge of the stream, Restoring stream to its formar glory.	Project	\$11,000.00	No			Maori/lwi		No				Emailed to request Financial Statements be provided prior to meeting		

20211031	Greytown Football Club	Community	Sport & Rec		Line marking machine and paint to enable the marking of 5 pitches, currently use a back pack sprayer for 2.4km of pitches.	Project	\$3,690.00	Yes		District		No			\$2,369.00								
20211032	Wairarapa Vintage Machinery Club inc	Community	Events		Assist with organising and running of event at A&P showground in Feb 2022	Project	\$4,000.00	Yes		District		No					\$ 2,000.00	\$ 4,000.00					
20211039	Wharakaka Trust	Community	Social & Ed		New fit for purpose system, to assist the elderly and frail with needs.	Project	\$12,000.00	Yes		District		Yes	No			Emailed to request accounability form be submitted before 16th September meeting							
20211040	Fell Locomotive Museum Inc	Community	Arts		To help keep the museum open to the public, attract tourists to the town, good for local economy as visitors use cafes and shops.	Partnership	\$2,000.00	Yes		District	0%	Yes	No			Emailed to request accounability form be submitted before 16th September meeting							
20211041	Digital Seniors	Community	Sport & Rec	Operational Costs	To keep the free courses for Seniors to learn how to access the digital world, this opens up communiction and is known to reduce isolation.	Partnership	\$10,000.00	Yes		District	0%	No			\$2,000.00		\$ 2,000.00						
20211042	Martinborough Museum	Community	Arts		Fixed costs to keep the musuem running, SWDC traditionaly assist with these costs as only donations and fundraising are income.	Partnership	\$2,000.00	Yes		Martinborough	0%	Yes	No	\$2,000.00		Emailed to request accounability form be submitted before 16th September meeting							
20211043	Wellington Free Ambulance	Community	Social & Ed	Running costs	Asking SWDC to donate \$1 per person who needed help in the Wairarapa last year.	Partnership	\$10,450.00	Yes		District	0%	No			\$10,450.00								
20211044	Wairarapa Safer Community Trust - Pro-active Parenting	Community	Social & Ed		Provide 8 module programme consisting of 2.5 hour modules per week.	Project	\$10,000.00	Yes		District	0%						\$ 5,000.00						
20211045	Community Networks Wairarapa	Community	Social & Ed	Opeartional Costs	Contribution towardscosts to continue to facilitate community networking in South Wairarapa.	Partnership	\$5,000.00	Yes		District	0%												
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