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MEDIA RELEASE

DLGC HAVE RELEASED COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS

Department of Local Government and Communities has released a new grant round for implementation of community development initiatives. Grant amount is maximum $20,000 per project.

Program outcomes:

* Local governments have an enhanced understanding of community development.
* Local governments have an understanding of the benefits of community development in building community well-being.
* Local governments have an understanding of their role in community development.
* Local governments are able to engage effectively with community groups from the not-for-profit sector to enhance services to members of their community.
* Local governments deliver services that better meet the needs of their community.
* Local governments establish partnerships with community organisations.
* Local governments use existing resources to enhance community development.

## Funding may be used for:

Costs directly related to project delivery including:

* Equipment/venue hire
* Minor administration costs such as postage or phone
* Publication costs of materials produced through the project
* Resource materials
* Publicity, communications and marketing costs
* Facilitation or other workshop related costs.

Register your interest in participating in a working group or sharing your ideas to [cdo@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdo@goomalling.wa.gov.au) or 08 9629 1101.

The Community Strategic Plan can be viewed at the below link (alternatively you can contact the Shire Administration office for a hardcopy):

<http://www.goomalling.wa.gov.au/Assets/Documents/plans_reports_etc/Goomalling_Strategic_Community_Plan_2013.pdf>

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