



Traceability Grants Program - Round 2

Questions and Answers

The application form must be submitted by 11:00 PM Canberra local time (AEDT) on Thursday 21 January 2021. It is recommended that you submit your application well before the closing time and date.

1. If I am not able to submit my application by the due time and date, can I be granted an extension?

No, extensions will not be given.

If an application is late or the Community Grants Hub is requested to approve a lodgement after the closing date the <u>late application policy</u> available on the Community Grants Hub website will apply.

2. How much funding is available for this program?

For the Traceability Grants Program – Round 2 a total of \$3 million (GST exclusive) is available.

3. Is the funding on-going?

No, projects funded under Traceability Grants Program – Round 2 will cease when the projects are completed.

4. When will I know the outcome of my application?

You will be notified of the outcome of your application at the end of the selection process. For probity reasons, to treat all applicants fairly and equally, it is not possible to give you information about the status of individual applications during the selection process.

5. How can I submit the application form?

The form is an online application form that you must submit electronically. The Community Grants Hub will not provide application forms or accept application forms for this grant opportunity by fax, email or through Australia Post unless otherwise stated in the grant opportunity documents.

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6. Do word limits apply to the assessment criteria?

Yes, there is a word limit of approximately 525 words (3,500 characters) per assessment criterion.

7. Where should I go for further information?

Please email your enquiries to support@communitygrants.gov.au

Please quote 2020-4615 - Traceability Grants Program - Round 2

Question and Answer added on 15 December 2020

8. Would Australian timber product exports be considered for this round? Yes.

Question and Answer added on 11 January 2021

9. Is the grant applicable for non-food aquaculture products such as Australian native Akoyas or South Sea Pearls?

Yes, the Traceability Grants Program – Round 2 is applicable to non-food aquaculture products such as Australian native Akoyas or South Sea Pearls. Applications for this grant program will be assessed against the eligibility criteria and the assessment criteria in the Grant Opportunity Guidelines.

Question and Answer added on 14 January 2021

10. Can you define 'governance investigation' in relation to the 'Reportable Events' section of the application form?

We are asking whether there has been any external investigation into the governance arrangements of your organisation.

Governance is the way your organisation is managed, directed and held accountable for achieving its goals. For further information regarding governance, please refer to the 'Governance' page of the Community Grants Hub website.