

Community Grants Judging Matrix

Each application will be assessed on 4 criteria and rated from 'not evident' to 'excellent'.

	Criteria	Not evident	Fair	Good	Excellent
1	The project has been developed specifically to meet a need in one or more of the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art, Culture & Heritage • Education • Sport & Recreation • Environment & Sustainability; or • Health & Well-being 	Unclear and/or not evident.	Basic evidence/information provided.	Clear, but not distinctive.	Very clear, convincing and distinctive project brief.
2	The project will have a positive impact within the next 12 months	Unclear and/or not evident.	Basic evidence/information provided.	Clearly shows opportunity for positive impact in the next 12 months.	Very clearly shows and justifies the impact of the project in the next 12 months.
3	The project will benefit the community	Unclear and/or not evident.	Basic evidence/information provided.	Clearly identifies the benefits to the wider community.	Very clearly identifies and effectively justifies short term and long term benefits to the community.
4	There are clear measurement and evaluation instruments to determine whether it has been successful in achieving the desired outcomes.	Unclear and/or not evident.	Basic evidence/information provided.	Clearly identifies realistic measurement tools and evaluation process.	Measurement and evaluation tools are comprehensive and sound, with clear systems in place to assess success.