

# Attachment 1 to Item 4.3.1

Assessment Matrix – Resilient Hawkesbury Community Sponsorship Applications

Date of meeting: 21 November 2023

Location: Council Chambers

Time: 6:30 p.m.



Applicant: Hawkesbury Riding Club

Sponsored Activity: Funding to build a child safety fence around the junior's arena at Hawkesbury Riding Club. The arena will provide a safe area for children, teens and beginners to learn riding basics and allow for equestrian advancement of younger people in the Hawkesbury. The project will benefit the Hawkesbury community by providing access to a year round, enclosed arena thereby fostering education, training, masterclasses and competition by children, teens and beginners.

Funding Requested: \$3,000

Applicant did not score above the minimum threshold for funding

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
A connected	Create or builds community partnerships	No	0	0
community		Yes	1	
	Supports and expands active	No	0	1
	volunteering (volunteer involvement)	Yes	1	
		More than 10	3	
	Brings residents together	< 10 People	0	3
		10 to 25	2	
		People	3	
		> 25 People		
	Supports community leadership and	No	0	0
	builds community resilience	Yes	2	
A healthy	Responds to a priority health need	No	0	0
community	(Wentworth Healthcare)	Yes	2	
	Supports a recommendation in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Family and Domestic	Yes	2	
	Violence Action Plan			
	Supports recommendation identified by	No	0	0
	young people in Hawkesbury Youth	Yes	2	
	Summit			
An inclusive	Improves outcomes for a disadvantaged	No	0	0
community	or vulnerable group	Yes	2	
-	Includes provision for disability access	No	0	0
	and/or social inclusion strategies	Yes	2	
	Supports key strategy or action in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Disability Inclusion Action Plan 2017-2021	Yes	2	
	Supports key action in Reconciliation	No	0	0
	Action Plan (currently under development)	Yes	2	

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
Community Strategic	Consistent with community strategic plan	Not consistent Somewhat	0 1	1
Plan	pian	consistent	'	
(supports		Consistent	2	
identified community		Highly consistent	3	
outcomes)	Makes Hawkesbury a friendly place	No	0	1
,	where people feel safe	Yes	1	
	Encourages sporting and recreational	No	0	1
	pursuits and/or healthy, active ageing Encourages community partnerships,	Yes No	0	1
	active volunteering and resident	Yes	1	'
	involvement			
	Improves services and facilities for	No	0	0
	disadvantaged and vulnerable groups Supports all residents to participate in	Yes No	0	1
	community, cultural and civic life	Yes	1	'
	Encourages sustainable choices and	No	0	0
	reduced ecological footprint	Yes	1	
	Provides affordable and accessible	No	0	1
	facilities to support community's health and lifestyle	Yes	1	
	Makes our towns and villages vibrant local hubs	No Yes	0	0
Finance and	Activity grounded in authentic	No	0	0
Governance	community consultation	Yes	2	
	Applicant has limited access to other	No	2	2
	sources of funding (not funded by state/federal agency)	Yes	0	
	Financial capacity as measured by	< \$50,000	3	3
	annual revenues	\$50,000 TO	2	
	Local community organisation (office or	\$200,000 No	0	2
	service outlet in Hawkesbury	Yes	2	
	Adequacy of budget proposal	No	0	0
		Yes	2	
	Co-contribution identified (financial and in-kind)	No Yes	0	1
	Proven track record	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Governance structures in place	No	0	2
	Adamiant	Yes	2	
	Adequacy of proposed budget	No Yes	0 2	0
Total Score				22



Applicant: The Women's Cottage

Sponsored Activity: Funding for Reclaim the Night. Reclaim the Night is a national initiative to raise awareness of women's experiences of gendered and sexual violence. The project will benefit the Hawkesbury community by raising awareness and creating a safer and more resilient community by connecting the residents with community services, volunteer groups and police. Community members are encouraged to raise awareness through creative outlets such as poems, speeches and entertainment, developing connections with other people around a shared experience.

Funding Requested: \$1,500

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
A connected community	Create or builds community partnerships	No Yes	0	1
	Supports and expands active volunteering (volunteer	No Yes	0	3
	involvement)	More than 10	3	
	Brings residents together	< 10 People	0	3
		10 to 25 People > 25 People	2 3	
	Supports community leadership and builds community resilience	No Yes	0 2	2
A healthy	Responds to a priority health need	No	0	0
community	(Wentworth Healthcare)	Yes	2	
	Supports a recommendation in Hawkesbury Family and Domestic Violence Action Plan	No Yes	0 2	2
	Supports recommendation identified by young people in Hawkesbury Youth Summit	No Yes	0 2	0
An inclusive community	Improves outcomes for a disadvantaged or vulnerable group	No Yes	0 2	2
	Includes provision for disability access and/or social inclusion strategies	No Yes	0 2	2
	Supports key strategy or action in Hawkesbury Disability Inclusion Action Plan 2017-2021	No Yes	0 2	0
	Supports key action in Reconciliation Action Plan (currently under development)	No Yes	0 2	2

Strategic s Plan (supports identified community outcomes)	CRITERIA Consistent with community strategic plan	SCORE OPTIONS Not consistent Somewhat consistent Consistent	O 1	APPLICANT SCORE 3
Strategic S Plan (supports identified community outcomes) N	strategic plan	Not consistent Somewhat consistent Consistent		
Strategic S Plan (supports identified community outcomes) N	· ,	consistent Consistent	1	
(supports identified community outcomes)	<u> </u>	Consistent		
identified community outcomes)			1	
community outcomes)			2	
outcomes)		Highly	3	
- 1		consistent		
	Makes Hawkesbury a friendly	No	0	1
	place where people feel safe	Yes	1	
	Encourages sporting and	No	0	1
	ecreational pursuits and/or	Yes	1 1	
	nealthy, active ageing			
	Encourages community	No	0	1
	partnerships, active volunteering	Yes	1 1	
	and resident involvement			
	mproves services and facilities for	No	0	1
	disadvantaged and vulnerable	Yes	1	
	groups			
	Supports all residents to	No	0	1
	participate in community, cultural	Yes	1	
	and civic life	<b>.</b>		
	Encourages sustainable choices	No	0	0
	and reduced ecological footprint	Yes	1	
	Provides affordable and	No	0	0
	accessible facilities to support	Yes	1	
	community's health and lifestyle	No	0	1
	Makes our towns and villages vibrant local hubs	Yes	0	Į.
	Activity grounded in authentic	No	0	2
	community consultation	Yes	2	2
	Applicant has limited access to	No	2	2
	other sources of funding (not	Yes	0	۷
	unded by state/federal agency)	163		
	inancial capacity as measured by	< \$50,000	3	1
	annual revenues	\$50,000 TO	2	1
	annaar rovonaoo	\$200,000	1	
	ocal community organisation	No.	0	2
	office or service outlet in	Yes	2	_
	Hawkesbury		_	
	Adequacy of budget proposal	No	0	2
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Yes	2	
	Co-contribution identified (financial	No	0	1
	and in-kind)	Yes	1	
	Proven track record	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
G	Governance structures in place	No	0	2
	<u> </u>	Yes	2	
A	Adequacy of proposed budget	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
Total Score				42



Applicant: Colo Progress Association

Sponsored Activity: Funding for Yoga classes. The classes will be open to all residents of Colo Heights and Surrounds. The objective is to bring the community together by providing a low impact activity that improves mental health, physical health and social interactions in a local environment. The project will benefit the community as Yoga and meeting together creates and builds community partnerships, it supports and expands active community involvement and it brings residents together and builds community resilience.

Funding Requested: \$2,970

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
A connected	Create or builds community	No	0	1
community	partnerships	Yes	1	
	Supports and expands active	No	0	0
	volunteering (volunteer	Yes	1	
	involvement)	More than 10	3	
	Brings residents together	< 10 People	0	3
		10 to 25	2 3	
		People	3	
		> 25 People		
	Supports community leadership	No	0	2
	and builds community resilience	Yes	2	
A healthy	Responds to a priority health need	No	0	0
community	(Wentworth Healthcare)	Yes	2	
	Supports a recommendation in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Family and Domestic	Yes	2	
	Violence Action Plan			
	Supports recommendation	No	0	0
	identified by young people in	Yes	2	
	Hawkesbury Youth Summit			
An inclusive	Improves outcomes for a	No	0	2
community	disadvantaged or vulnerable group	Yes	2	
	Includes provision for disability	No	0	2
	access and/or social inclusion	Yes	2	
	strategies			
	Supports key strategy or action in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Disability Inclusion	Yes	2	
	Action Plan 2017-2021			
	Supports key action in	No	0	0
	Reconciliation Action Plan	Yes	2	
	(currently under development)			

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OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	OPTIONS	SCORE	SCORE
Community	Consistent with community	Not	0	2
Strategic Plan	strategic plan	consistent	1	
(supports		Somewhat	_	
identified		consistent	2	
community		Consistent	3	
outcomes)		Highly consistent		
	Makaa Hawkaahuru a friandhu placa	No	0	1
	Makes Hawkesbury a friendly place where people feel safe	Yes	1	I
	Encourages sporting and	No	0	1
	recreational pursuits and/or healthy,	Yes	1	1
	active ageing	100		
	Encourages community	No	0	1
	partnerships, active volunteering	Yes	1	
	and resident involvement			
	Improves services and facilities for	No	0	1
	disadvantaged and vulnerable	Yes	1	
	groups			
	Supports all residents to participate	No	0	1
	in community, cultural and civic life	Yes	1	
	Encourages sustainable choices	No	0	0
	and reduced ecological footprint	Yes	1	4
	Provides affordable and accessible	No Yes	0	1
	facilities to support community's health and lifestyle	162	ı	
	Makes our towns and villages	No	0	1
	vibrant local hubs	Yes	1	'
Finance and	Activity grounded in authentic	No	0	2
Governance	community consultation	Yes	2	
	Applicant has limited access to	No	2	2
	other sources of funding (not	Yes	0	
	funded by state/federal agency)			
	Financial capacity as measured by	< \$50,000	3	3
	annual revenues	\$50,000 TO	2	
		\$200,000	1	
	Local community organisation	No	0	2
	(office or service outlet in Hawkesbury	Yes	2	
	Adequacy of budget proposal	No	0	2
	Adoquacy of budget proposal	Yes	2	4
	Co-contribution identified (financial	No	0	1
	and in-kind)	Yes	1	•
	Proven track record	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Governance structures in place	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Adequacy of proposed budget	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
Total Score				37



Applicant: Strong Nations Community Services

Sponsored Activity: Funding for re-opening Food Care and launching Market Stalls, creating a vibrant community hub. After the 2022 floods, Food Care ceased operating. Food Care is a weekly pop-up grocer providing quality food and products at discounted rates for vulnerable residents. Market Stalls will partner with small local businesses to create a lively marketplace where the community can gather and purchase niche local products. The project will benefit the community by supporting a connected, inclusive and resilient community.

Funding Requested: \$2,100

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
A connected community	Create or builds community partnerships	No Yes	0	1
Community	Supports and expands active	No Yes	0	3
	volunteering (volunteer involvement)	More than 10	3	
	Brings residents together	< 10 People 10 to 25	0 2	3
		People > 25 People	3	
	Supports community leadership and builds community resilience	No Yes	0 2	2
A healthy community	Responds to a priority health need (Wentworth Healthcare)	No Yes	0 2	0
	Supports a recommendation in Hawkesbury Family and Domestic Violence Action Plan	No Yes	0 2	0
	Supports recommendation identified by young people in Hawkesbury Youth Summit	No Yes	0 2	0
An inclusive community	Improves outcomes for a disadvantaged or vulnerable group	No Yes	0 2	2
	Includes provision for disability access and/or social inclusion strategies	No Yes	0 2	2
	Supports key strategy or action in Hawkesbury Disability Inclusion Action Plan 2017-2021	No Yes	0 2	0
	Supports key action in Reconciliation Action Plan (currently under development)	No Yes	0 2	0

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE	SCORE	APPLICANT
		OPTIONS Not	0	SCORE 2
Community Strategic Plan	Consistent with community strategic plan	consistent	0	2
(supports	Strategic plan	Somewhat	ı	
identified		consistent	2	
community		Consistent	3	
outcomes)		Highly		
outoomoo,		consistent		
	Makes Hawkesbury a friendly place	No	0	1
	where people feel safe	Yes	1	·
	Encourages sporting and	No	0	0
	recreational pursuits and/or healthy,	Yes	1	
	active ageing			
	Encourages community	No	0	1
	partnerships, active volunteering	Yes	1	
	and resident involvement			
	Improves services and facilities for	No	0	1
	disadvantaged and vulnerable	Yes	1	
	groups			
	Supports all residents to participate	No	0	1
	in community, cultural and civic life	Yes	1	
	Encourages sustainable choices	No	0	0
	and reduced ecological footprint	Yes	1	
	Provides affordable and accessible	No	0	1
	facilities to support community's	Yes	1	
	health and lifestyle	No	0	4
	Makes our towns and villages vibrant local hubs	No Yes	0	1
Finance and	Activity grounded in authentic	No	0	2
Governance	community consultation	Yes	2	۷
Governance	Applicant has limited access to	No	2	2
	other sources of funding (not	Yes	0	2
	funded by state/federal agency)	100		
	Financial capacity as measured by	< \$50,000	3	1
	annual revenues	\$50,000 TO	2	·
		\$200,000	1	
	Local community organisation	No	0	2
	(office or service outlet in	Yes	2	
	Hawkesbury			
	Adequacy of budget proposal	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Co-contribution identified (financial	No	0	1
	and in-kind)	Yes	1	
	Proven track record	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Governance structures in place	No	0	2
	Adams of property budget	Yes	2	
	Adequacy of proposed budget	No Yes	0 2	2
Total Score		169		37
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Applicant: Hawkesbury Scouts

Sponsored Activity: Funding for Scouts to promote Scouting in the Hawkesbury by participating in the Hanna Park Carols event as a sponsorship partner. As a sponsorship partner, Scouts will provide youth activities and two large amusement rides, with leaders and scouts present to promote Scouting. Scouting develops youth to achieve their full potential to become responsible citizens participating in community, culture and civic duties. The project will benefit the community by supporting an inclusive organisation that provides a wide variety of activities indoor and outdoors utilising Hawkesbury's natural features and bushland.

Funding Requested: \$3,000

Applicant did not score above the minimum threshold for funding

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
A connected	Create or builds community	No	0	1
community	partnerships	Yes	1	
	Supports and expands active	No	0	3
	volunteering (volunteer	Yes	1	
	involvement)	More than 10	3	
	Brings residents together	< 10 People	0	3
		10 to 25	2	
		People	3	
		> 25 People		
	Supports community leadership	No	0	2
	and builds community resilience	Yes	2	
A healthy	Responds to a priority health need	No	0	0
community	(Wentworth Healthcare)	Yes	2	
	Supports a recommendation in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Family and Domestic	Yes	2	
	Violence Action Plan			
	Supports recommendation	No	0	0
	identified by young people in	Yes	2	
	Hawkesbury Youth Summit			
An inclusive	Improves outcomes for a	No	0	0
community	disadvantaged or vulnerable group	Yes	2	
	Includes provision for disability	No	0	2
	access and/or social inclusion	Yes	2	
	strategies			
	Supports key strategy or action in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Disability Inclusion	Yes	2	
	Action Plan 2017-2021			
	Supports key action in	No	0	0
	Reconciliation Action Plan	Yes	2	
	(currently under development)			

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE	SCORE	APPLICANT
Community	Consistent with community	OPTIONS Not	0	SCORE 0
Strategic Plan	strategic plan	consistent	1	U
(supports	otratogio piari	Somewhat		
identified		consistent	2	
community		Consistent	3	
outcomes)		Highly		
,		consistent		
	Makes Hawkesbury a friendly place	No	0	1
	where people feel safe	Yes	1	
	Encourages sporting and	No	0	1
	recreational pursuits and/or healthy,	Yes	1	
	active ageing			
	Encourages community	No	0	1
	partnerships, active volunteering	Yes	1	
	and resident involvement			
	Improves services and facilities for	No	0	0
	disadvantaged and vulnerable	Yes	1	
	groups			
	Supports all residents to participate	No	0	1
	in community, cultural and civic life	Yes	1	
	Encourages sustainable choices	No	0	0
	and reduced ecological footprint	Yes	1	4
	Provides affordable and accessible	No Yes	0	1
	facilities to support community's health and lifestyle	res	1	
	Makes our towns and villages	No	0	1
	vibrant local hubs	Yes	1	ı
Finance and	Activity grounded in authentic	No	0	0
Governance	community consultation	Yes	2	O
Governance	Applicant has limited access to	No	2	0
	other sources of funding (not	Yes	0	Ü
	funded by state/federal agency)			
	Financial capacity as measured by	< \$50,000	3	1
	annual revenues	\$50,000 TO	2	
		\$200,000	1	
	Local community organisation	No	0	2
	(office or service outlet in	Yes	2	
	Hawkesbury			
	Adequacy of budget proposal	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Co-contribution identified (financial	No	0	1
	and in-kind)	Yes	1	
	Proven track record	No	0	2
	Covernance of the covernance is a large	Yes	2	
	Governance structures in place	No	0	2
	Adaguage of proposed budget	Yes No	0	2
	Adequacy of proposed budget	Yes	2	2
Total Score		169		29
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Applicant: Merana Aboriginal Community Association for the Hawkesbury Inc.

Sponsored Activity: Funding to host a Hawkesbury Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Senior's Lunch in 2023. The funds will assist to ensure the event is a success and that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Senior's and Elders across the Hawkesbury are able to attend a function designed just for them and to celebrate their place in community and culture. The event will benefit the Hawkesbury through providing a time for Senior's and Elders to gather and connect with each other and to share their experiences and knowledge with support staff and volunteers in attendance to ensure the day is a success.

Funding Requested: \$3,000

OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	SCORE OPTIONS	SCORE	APPLICANT SCORE
A connected	Create or builds community	No	0	0
community	partnerships	Yes	1	
	Supports and expands active	No	0	3
	volunteering (volunteer	Yes	1	
	involvement)	More than 10	3	
	Brings residents together	< 10 People	0	3
		10 to 25	2 3	
		People	3	
		> 25 People		
	Supports community leadership	No	0	2
	and builds community resilience	Yes	2	
A healthy	Responds to a priority health need	No	0	0
community	(Wentworth Healthcare)	Yes	2	
	Supports a recommendation in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Family and Domestic	Yes	2	
	Violence Action Plan			
	Supports recommendation	No	0	0
	identified by young people in	Yes	2	
	Hawkesbury Youth Summit			
An inclusive	Improves outcomes for a	No	0	2
community	disadvantaged or vulnerable group	Yes	2	
	Includes provision for disability	No	0	2
	access and/or social inclusion	Yes	2	
	strategies			
	Supports key strategy or action in	No	0	0
	Hawkesbury Disability Inclusion	Yes	2	
	Action Plan 2017-2021			
	Supports key action in	No	0	2
	Reconciliation Action Plan	Yes	2	
	(currently under development)			

		SCORE		APPLICANT
OBJECTIVE	CRITERIA	OPTIONS	SCORE	SCORE
Community	Consistent with community	Not	0	3
Strategic Plan	strategic plan	consistent	1	
(supports		Somewhat		
identified		consistent	2	
community		Consistent	3	
outcomes)		Highly		
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	Makes Hawkesbury a friendly place	No Yes	0 1	1
	where people feel safe Encourages sporting and	No	0	1
	recreational pursuits and/or healthy,	Yes	1 1	ı
	active ageing	103		
	Encourages community	No	0	1
	partnerships, active volunteering	Yes	1 1	•
	and resident involvement			
	Improves services and facilities for	No	0	1
	disadvantaged and vulnerable	Yes	1	
	groups			
	Supports all residents to participate	No	0	0
	in community, cultural and civic life	Yes	1	
	Encourages sustainable choices	No	0	0
	and reduced ecological footprint	Yes	1	
	Provides affordable and accessible	No	0	1
	facilities to support community's	Yes	1	
	health and lifestyle	NI-		
	Makes our towns and villages	No Yes	0	1
Finance and	vibrant local hubs Activity grounded in authentic	No	0	2
Governance	community consultation	Yes	2	۷
	Applicant has limited access to	No	2	2
	other sources of funding (not	Yes	0	2
	funded by state/federal agency)	100		
	Financial capacity as measured by	< \$50,000	3	1
	annual revenues	\$50,000 TO	2	
		\$200,000	1	
	Local community organisation	No	0	2
	(office or service outlet in	Yes	2	
	Hawkesbury			
	Adequacy of budget proposal	No	0	2
		Yes	2	
	Co-contribution identified (financial	No	0	1
	and in-kind) Proven track record	Yes	1	
	Froven track record	No Yes	0	2
	Governance structures in place	No	2 0	2
	Covernance structures in place	Yes	2	۷
	Adequacy of proposed budget	No	0	2
	Addition of Proposod budget	Yes	2	<u>-</u>
Total Score				39
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