

GRANTS APPROVED BY MINISTERS IN THEIR OWN ELECTORATE FOR THE PERIOD 1 JULY 2023 TO 31 DECEMBER 2023

Minister/Agency	Electorate	Program	Grant Recipient	Postcode	Grant Type	Administered by	Grant Amount	Program Overview	PDMS Reference
The Hon Mark Dreyfus KC MP, Attorney General Department of Attorney-General	Isaacs, Victoria	Securing Faith-Based Places Program	Druze Community Charity Victoria Inc	3173	Open Competitive	The grant was recommended by officials within the Business Grants Hub and supported by officials within the Attorney- General's Department.	\$232,159	Securing Faith-Based Places Program – developed to support religious schools and preschools, places of worship and faith-based community centres to address the risk of crime and violence motivated by religious or racial intolerance through the installation or upgrade of security infrastructure and/or the engagement of security guards at those sites.	MC23-003561
The Hon Tony Burke MP, Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations and Minister for the Arts Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Watson, NSW	Live Music Australia program – Round 7	Inner West Council	2049	Open Competitive	The grant was recommended for approval by the Office of the Arts assessment committee, who were engaged to assess the grant on its merits.	\$57,000	Live Music Australia program – Round 7 supports a range of activities including sound, lighting, staging costs, accessible facilities, marketing and noise attenuation.	MC23-004687
The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP, Minister for the Environment and Water Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Sydney, NSW	Saving Native Species (Priority Species) Grants	Lord Howe Island Board	2898	Open Competitive	The grants were assessed and recommended by officials within the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water.	\$500,000	The Saving Native Species Program is providing support for the recovery of unique plants, animals and ecological communities.	MC23-004693
The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP, Minister for the Environment and Water Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Sydney, NSW	Saving Native Species (Priority Species) Grants	Lord Howe Island Board	2898	Open Competitive	The grants were assessed and recommended by officials within the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water.	\$394,538	The Saving Native Species Program is providing support for the recovery of unique plants, animals and ecological communities.	MC23-004693

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The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP, Minister for the Environment and Water Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Sydney, NSW	Innovative Biodiversity Monitoring Program	Australian Museum	2010	Open Competitive	The grants were assessed and recommended by a Selection Assessment Panel comprised of departmental and external experts.	\$877,273*	The Innovative Biodiversity Monitoring Grants Program encourages innovative, fit-for-purpose solutions for lower cost biodiversity monitoring.	MC23-003774
The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP, Minister for the Environment and Water Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Sydney, NSW	Innovative Biodiversity Monitoring Program	World Wildlife Fund - Australia	2007	Open Competitive	The grants were assessed and recommended by a Selection Assessment Panel comprised of departmental and external experts.	\$806,000	The Innovative Biodiversity Monitoring Grants Program encourages innovative, fit-for-purpose solutions for lower cost biodiversity monitoring.	MC23-003774
							Total approved by Minister Plibersek	\$2,577,811*	
							TABLE TOTAL	\$2,866,970*	

* Rounded to the nearest dollar.

Note:

- Ministerial own electorate reporting of grant amounts may vary from information reported on GrantConnect in relation to GST.
- Some grants may not yet be reported on GrantConnect, reflecting the time between a grant being awarded and execution of the grant agreement.