

Addendum one

Communities Innovation Fund:

Responses to Social Isolation and Loneliness

The Department of Communities, Housing and Digital Economy (DCHDE) has issued the following clarifications with regard to both the Small and Large Grant Guidelines for the Communities Innovation Fund: Responses to Social Isolation and Loneliness:

Topic	Clarification
Application period	<p>DCHDE has extended the timeframe for organisations to apply for grants through the Communities Innovation Fund.</p> <p>The application period will now close at 2:00pm on Monday 6 March 2023.</p> <p>Late applications will not be accepted.</p>
Eligibility for non-Queensland based organisations	<p>The grant guidelines stipulate that an organisation that is not based in Queensland would not be eligible to apply for grants through the Communities Innovation Fund.</p> <p>For clarity - organisations with head offices outside of Queensland but with a service delivery outlet in Queensland (or being auspiced by a Queensland-based organisation for small grants) would be eligible to apply.</p>
Local government eligibility	<p>The exclusion for state, territory and federal government agencies and bodies does not apply to local governments. Therefore, local governments are eligible to apply for grants through the Communities Innovation Fund.</p>
Eligibility for schools and school-affiliated groups such as P&Cs	<p>State schools are not eligible to apply.</p> <p>However, Parents and Citizens' Associations (or equivalent) are eligible to apply provided they meet the other eligibility criteria outlined in the grants guidelines.</p>

