

Climates Micro Grants Programme



Grant Application

Applications can be submitted by completing this **Micro Grants Application Form** and emailing to micro-grants@climates.org.au.

Section 1 - Preliminary Information

Name of Organisation/Group:

Address and phone number of Organisation/Group (include country code):

Name of Applicant:

Country of Organisation:

Applicant's address, email and phone number (include country code):

Facebook, Instagram or other social media of the Organisation/Group, if applicable:

Grant amount requested (up to \$1,000 AUD):

Section 2 - Organisation description and background

Briefly describe your organisation's work and purpose, mission and goals (200 words)

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If you are an organisation, are you a registered charity?

Section 3 - Project Proposal Summary

What is your proposed project or activity? (400 words)

This should explain:

- What is the purpose of the project or activity
- How will the proposed activity assist your community respond to climate change?
- How will your project contribute to your organisation's overall mission, and how does this align with supporting communities to build climate resilience?

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Section 4 - Funding Details

Name(s) and job position(s) of key people involved in this project?:

What is the timeline for implementing the project or activity?
(Please include an expected completion date)

What are the specific activities to be funded?

Please indicate a budget for each activity

Please list the expected expenses and their \$ value in your local currency.
Feel free to add or delete rows as needed.

#	Activity / Item	What it covers / why it's needed	Cost
1			\$
2			\$
3			\$
4			\$
5			\$
Total funding requested from Climates:			\$

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Will the entire project be funded by the Climates Micro Grant or will you have other funding?

For example, are you providing your own funding or are you working with any other NGOs?

Section 5 - Outcomes of Project

Tell us a bit more about the outcomes you hope to achieve through funding your project (150 words):

**Which members of your community will be involved and supported through this project?
Will your project include and support minority groups?**

For example:

- Woman and children
- LGBTQIA+ people
- People with disabilities
- People from low socio-economic backgrounds

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Are you able to provide:

- Yes/No:**

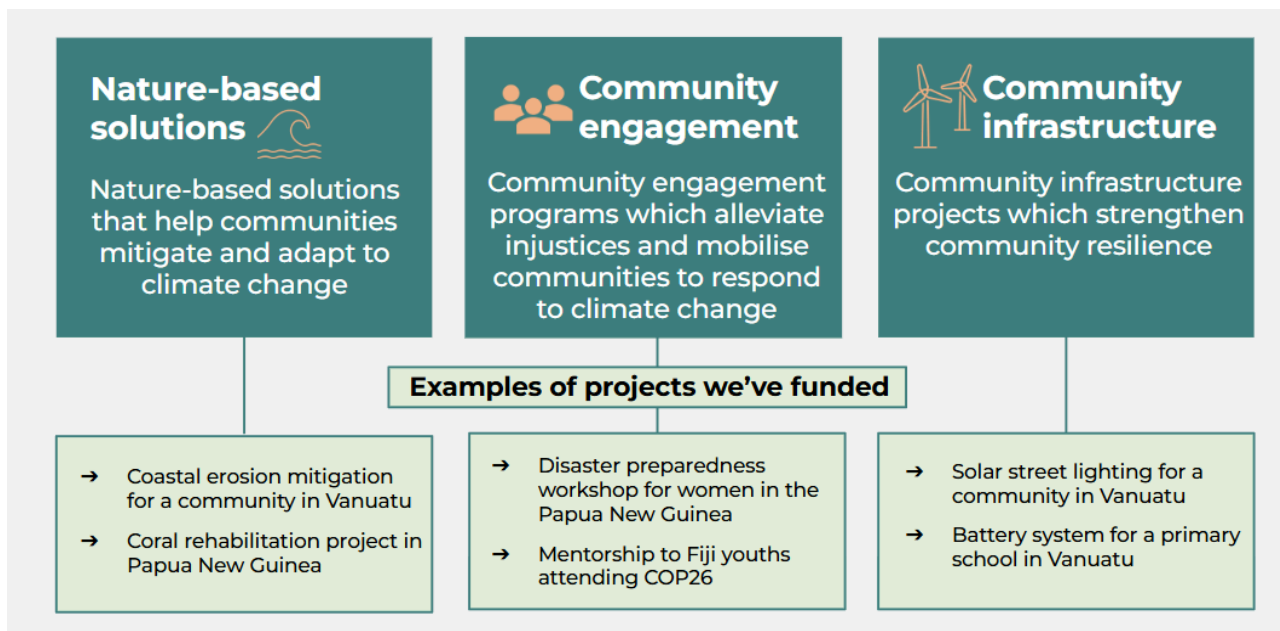
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- Provide funding for communities which may otherwise have limited capacity to mitigate or adapt to the impacts of climate change
- Demonstrate a clear proposal that benefits your local community.

Below is an overview of the types of projects Climates fund:



Examples of projects Climates have supported:

- Stipend for volunteers attending climate conferences
- Costs related to attending climate training programmes
- Small costs associated with running workshops
- One-off purchases required to help deliver a programme/service
- One-off purchases required to help apply for grants
- Costs for website redesigns and other technology or software
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- One-off costs to access internet/data
- Insurance/travel costs for overseas travel
- Community-based disaster preparedness funding
- Workshops for disaster preparedness and prevention
- First aid funding/training for organisations
- Construction funding for damaged buildings
- Funding of clean-up costs associated with a natural disaster

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- One-off purchases required to help apply for grants
- Stipends for workers involved in clean up/construction projects
- 'Climate proofing' buildings and infrastructure
- Nature-based solutions or conservation efforts such as mangrove restoration

Climates wants to support projects that are inclusive with regard to gender, age, race, disability and class. Applications that support inclusivity will be favoured.

A key objective of Climates is to decolonise decision-making. Climates will assess applications with the help of people from Pacific communities with the following scoring rubric (criteria) as a guide.

Micro Grants Scoring Rubric

		Score Metrics			
	Description	4	3	2	1
Climate impact	The extent to which the project addresses climate change issues for the community	The project appears to have a significant impact on addressing climate change issues for the community. The project will build adaptive capacity to climate change and deliver co-benefits. The project's objectives clearly relate to building community climate change resilience.	The project appears to have a considerable impact on addressing climate change issues for the community. The project will build adaptive capacity to climate change. The project's objectives broadly relate to building community climate change resilience.	The project contributes to addressing climate change issues for the community. The project demonstrates effort towards building climate resilience.	The project may have little or no impact on addressing climate change issues for the community. The project does not appear to contribute to climate resilience.
Community engagement	The extent to which the project involves members of the local community	The project actively involves and engages most segments of the local community, including marginalised groups. The outcomes of the	The project involves a significant portion of the local community, encouraging broad participation. Some efforts are made to be inclusive. The outcomes of the project will benefit	The project involves segments of the community, with only partial engagement. The outcomes of the project will benefit some members of the community.	The project does not involve the local community and community engagement is minimal to none. Benefits are limited to a small group of people.

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		project seek to benefit all members of the community.	most members of the community.		
Quality of application	The extent to which the application defines the project, budget, implementation and reporting	The application provides a thorough overview of the project's objectives, a detailed plan for implementation, and an overview of expected outcomes. The budget considers the project's scope and goals. Progress reporting mechanisms are defined.	The application provides a clear overview of the project's objectives, an implementation plan, and an overview of expected outcomes. The budget considers the project's scope and goals but may contain minor gaps. Progress reporting mechanisms are somewhat defined.	The application provides an overview of the project's objectives. Some information relating to the budget or implementation are unclear.	The application is unclear. It is difficult to understand the project's objectives, budget or implementation.