

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

## 2027 Community Connection Grant Application

\* indicates a required field

### Welcome to Hume City Council's online funding application for the 2027 Community Connection Grant

Hume City Council's Community Connection Grant supports local groups and organisations to strengthen participation, connection and wellbeing in Hume. Funding can be used for essential running costs, regular activities and skill-building that help communities stay active, inclusive and connected.

**If successful, funds are available to be spent between 1 January 2027 - 31 December 2027, for up to \$4,000.** You can only submit ONE application for this round, please select your category carefully.

#### Before You Begin

1. Read the [2027 Community Grants Guidelines](#) before you begin and make sure you understand if you are eligible and what will and will not be funded. 2. You must have satisfactorily acquitted previous grants funded under Hume City Council's Grants programs to be eligible for this grant. Please complete any overdue Final Reports (acquittals) before applying. 3. If you'd like more tips on using this application form, you can read [SmartyGrants help guide for applicants](#)

Please have all your supporting documents ready such as

- Bank Statement (in the group's/organisation's name)
- Certificate of Incorporation
- Current Certificate of Currency - Public Liability Insurance
- Quotes for items you intend to purchase (essential for any equipment purchases)

Regularly save your application by clicking the 'Save Progress' button which appears at the top of your screen.

File Upload allows applicants to upload one or more file attachments in their application. The recommended size of a file must be no bigger than 5mb.

**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS AND/OR APPLICATIONS NOT SUBMITTED BY THE CLOSING DATE CANNOT BE CONSIDERED.**

**Have you read and understood the guidelines? \***

Yes  No

Please read the Guidelines. If you are unsure if you are eligible for funding you should contact the Community Grants team on 9205 2749.

**Do you need help or assistance?**

We are committed to ensuring you feel supported throughout your application process. If you have any questions, or have any accessibility requirements, please do not hesitate to reach out to our team. Phone: 9205 2749 or email [communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au](mailto:communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au) If you do contact us throughout the application process, please quote the application number below.

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

## Application Number

This field is read only.  
The identification number or code for this submission.

## Grant Writing Workshops

Register for a free grant writing workshop. This session will help you to better understand the grant process and write stronger applications. Sessions are being offered between 18 - 27 May 2026. For further information about session dates and times go to [Council's website](#).

### Did you attend a Grant Writing Workshop? \*

- Yes  
 No

## Eligibility Checklist

This section helps you confirm whether your group is eligible for this grant. If you answer No to any question, you may not be eligible.

If you are unsure, please check the Guidelines or contact the Community Grants team on 9205 2749 or [communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au](mailto:communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au).

### I am applying on behalf of a not-for-profit community group, club or organisation \*

- Yes  No

### Our organisation has current Public Liability Insurance - OR - We are a first time applicant \*

- Yes  No

If you are a first-time applicant you do not need to have PLI yet. However, your funding application will need to include purchase of PLI and you will need to provide the certificate and receipt of payment with your Final Report.

### Is your organisation clear of any outstanding Final Report (acquittals) grants with Council? \*

- Yes  No

### Is your organisation clear of any outstanding debts to Council? \*

- Yes  No

### Will your proposed activity provide community benefit to residents in Hume City? \*

- Yes  No

### Our organisation has a genuine need for financial support from Hume City Council \*

- Yes  No

### Our activity does not include alcohol licenses, tobacco, gambling related activities or activities at gambling venues \*

- Yes  No

# 2027 Community Connection Grant

## Form Preview

Council cannot fund any activities (i.e. lunches, dinners or any activities) at venues such as clubs or RSLs that have pokie machines.

Stop. You have answered NO to the above you may not be ELIGIBLE for this grant.

If you would like further information please contact a Council Officer on 03 9205 2749 or email [communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au](mailto:communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au)

## Activity Overview

\* indicates a required field

### Activity Snapshot

This section helps us understand what you are applying for. You will discuss the details in the following sections.

#### Activity or funding request title \*

Must be no more than 15 words.

This can describe an activity, or an essential cost that helps your group operate. Examples: Public Liability Insurance for 2026, Weekly seniors social group, Cultural craft supplies, Bus hire for community excursion.

#### Briefly describe what the funding will support. This may include activities that bring people together and/or essential costs that make those activities possible \*

Word count:

Must be no more than 50 words.

For example: Public Liability Insurance so the group can continue meeting, Hall hire and materials for regular group activities, Transport and entry costs for a group excursion.

#### How much funding are you requesting? (Maximum is \$4,000) \*

Must be a dollar amount and no more than 4000.

What is the total financial support you are requesting in this application?

#### What will you mainly use the funding for? (Tick all that apply) \*

- Day to day running costs of the group
- Activities or events that bring members together
- A mix of running costs and activities
- Small equipment

#### When do you plan to use the funding? \*

- Ongoing across the year (1 Jan - 31 Dec 2027)
- At certain times during the year
- For one main activity or cost

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

No more than 1 choice may be selected.

## Assessment Criteria (WHO + WHY)

\* indicates a required field

### ABOUT YOUR GROUP (WHO - 20%)

Provide us with some background on who your group is and why you do what you do.

#### **Briefly describe your group and what you do \***

Word count:

Must be between 10 and 80 words.

Who are you and who do you support?

#### **Is your group based in Hume City or mainly supporting Hume residents? \***

- Yes
- No, but most members are in Hume
- No
- Other:

No more than 1 choice may be selected.

#### **Where does your group regularly meet or deliver activities? What venues or locations? \***

Must be no more than 25 words.

Venue and address where most of your meetings or activities take place.

**Please note that we do not fund activities that take place at gambling venues, i.e. Council can't pay for lunches, dinners or any other activity at Clubs or RSLs that have pokie machines.**

#### **Who does your group mainly support? \***

Select the option that best describes the main focus of your group. For example: Seniors, Multicultural communities, Newly arrived refugees, etc.

#### **Who will benefit from this funding? (Tick up to 2 that apply) \***

- Existing group members
- Families or carers of participants
- New participants from the community
- The broader local community
- Volunteers or group leaders
- Other

No more than 2 choices may be selected.

This may include a small or specific group. Your group does not need to benefit everyone to be eligible.

#### **How often does your group or organisation meet? \***

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

Must be no more than 10 words.  
This is relevant to clubs and groups

## How many volunteers do you have? \*

Must be a number.  
If you don't have any volunteers, please put 0

## Where in Hume will the primary activity or project take place? \*

- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> All of the Hume area | <input type="checkbox"/> Gladstone Park    | <input type="checkbox"/> Somerton                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attwood              | <input type="checkbox"/> Greenvale         | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunbury                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulla                | <input type="checkbox"/> Jacana            | <input type="checkbox"/> Tullamarine                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Broadmeadows         | <input type="checkbox"/> Kalkallo          | <input type="checkbox"/> Westmeadows                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Campbellfield        | <input type="checkbox"/> Meadow Heights    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yuroke                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clarkefield          | <input type="checkbox"/> Melbourne Airport | <input type="checkbox"/> Fawkner                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coolaroo             | <input type="checkbox"/> Mickleham         | <input type="checkbox"/> Keilor                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Craigieburn          | <input type="checkbox"/> Oaklands Junction | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildwood                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dallas               | <input type="checkbox"/> Roxburgh Park     | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/> |

- Diggers Rest

No more than 2 choices may be selected.

## About how many people who live in Hume do you expect will benefit from this funding? \*

- 0  
 1-10  
 11-25  
 26-50  
 51-100  
 more than 100

No more than 2 choices may be selected.

This includes people who attend activities, take part regularly, or benefit from your group continuing to operate.

## Think about the people who benefit from your group. What age groups are they in? (tick all that apply) \*

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children and Youth (0 - 17)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Seniors (65+)               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Young Adults (12 - 25)       | <input type="checkbox"/> Families                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Middle-Aged Adults (18 - 49) | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed age groups            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Older Adults (50 - 64)       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/> |

No more than 2 choices may be selected.

## How many people who do not live in Hume will participate in your group this year? \*

Must be a number.

## WHY IS THIS FUNDING IMPORTANT (WHY 40%)

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

## Why does your group need this funding now? \*

- Rising costs
- Members cannot afford to pay more
- Limited or no other funding
- To prevent the group from stopping
- To increase participation or inclusion
- To respond to community need
- Other:

No more than 2 choices may be selected.

## What difference will this funding make? \*

- Group can continue operating
- More people can attend activities
- Members feel more connected
- People who are isolated feel included
- Activities can be offered more regularly
- Volunteers are better supported
- Other:

No more than 2 choices may be selected.

## How will you know you've been successful? \*

- People attend activities or meetings regularly
- People return and stay involved over time
- New people join the group or activities
- Members say they feel more connected or included
- The group is able to continue operating as planned
- Other:

No more than 3 choices may be selected.

You can base this on things like attendance, people coming back, feedback from members, conversations, or your group being able to keep running.

## Is there anything else you'd like to share about why this funding matters for your group or the people you support?

Word count:

Must be no more than 40 words.

## Assessment Criteria - (WHAT)

\* indicates a required field

### WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO (40%)

**A quick note before you answer the questions below:**

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

We understand that every group is different, with varying sizes, needs, and priorities. For some organisations, funding helps maintain core operations, while for others it supports activities or expands reach within the community.

Funding requests for essential items (such as insurance or equipment) are just as valid as requests for activities or programs.

As you respond, please consider how the funding will support your group and the people you work with, and how it demonstrates a good use of public funding in your particular context.

## What will you spend the funding on? \*

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Venue, room hire or storage                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Facilitators, instructors or presenters                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transport or bus hire                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Printing, promotion or communication                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Equipment, materials or activity supplies         | <input type="checkbox"/> Administration costs (e.g. banking, phone, PO box, software) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance, registrations or affiliation fees      | <input type="checkbox"/> Online tools or technology to support activities             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Catering for regular activities                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/>                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Training or skill-building for members or leaders |   |

Please only tick items that relate to activities that bring people together or help your group continue operating for that purpose.

## What activities will the funding support? \*

- Regular group activities that help people meet and stay connected
- One-off or occasional activities (such as events, celebrations or outings)
- Cultural activities that support belonging and inclusion
- Activities that help people learn new skills or build confidence
- Group outings or excursions that reduce isolation and support wellbeing
- Online or hybrid activities that help people stay involved
- Essential costs that make activities possible (e.g. insurance, registrations, shared equipment)
- Other:

This includes costs like Public Liability Insurance, registrations or shared equipment where these enable your group to meet, run activities or stay connected.

## Will most of the funding be spent on one main activity or cost? \*

- Yes
- No

## Funding for one main activity or cost

### Why is this main activity or cost important? \*

- It is essential for the group to continue
- It brings many people together at once
- It supports inclusion or access
- It is a key annual or regular activity
- It offers good value for the number of people involved
- It provides good value given the size and needs of our group

**Please add any extra information if you'd like to explain why this cost is important or appropriate for your group.**

# 2027 Community Connection Grant

## Form Preview

Must be no more than 40 characters.

This question helps us understand why concentrating funding on this one activity or cost makes sense for your group.

What is the funding for?

**Funding can be used for a range of costs that help your group operate and bring people together, including (but not limited to):**

**Operational costs** - insurance, incorporation or registration fees, venue hire, transport, small equipment, catering for regular activities, and activity supplies.

**Activities** - workshops, excursions, cultural events, youth or community activities, environmental initiatives, facilitator or instructor costs, and activity-related venue hire or materials.

**Skill building** - training that helps your group run well, such as leadership, financial management, first aid, mental health first aid, coaching or safety training. **Please list the items or costs you plan to pay for using the funding. This list will help you later when you complete your final report, where receipts will be required for spending.**

**What will you spend the funding on?      What type of cost is this?      Approximate cost (\$)**

What will you spend the funding on?	What type of cost is this?	Approximate cost (\$)
		A best estimate is fine. You do not need exact prices. Please make sure to insert dollar amounts, and insert \$0.00 instead of blank spaces in the Approximate cost (\$) column. If you are unsure where an item fits, choose the option that best matches, estimates are fine.

Budget Totals

**Total planned spending (\$):**

This number/amount is calculated.  
Maximum funding is \$4,000

**Does the total planned spending match the amount you are requesting? \***

Yes

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

No

## Quotes to support your funding request

Attach a file:

Quotes strengthen your application. Quotes for equipment purchases can be uploaded below.

## How will your group manage the funding? \*

- One person is responsible for the finances
- Spending is approved by the committee or leaders
- Receipts will be kept
- We will regularly check spending against the plan
- An auspice organisation manages the funds

No more than 1 choice may be selected.

## Are you applying for funding to pay for Equipment? \*

- Yes
- No

## Equipment

Equipment purchases can only be for small portable equipment, not installations or permanent structures. It cannot be 'capital works' and you must provide quotes for your request to be considered.

Capital works includes things such as fixed/permanent equipment, building maintenance or capital improvements (such as heating or cooling systems, shade sails, gardening/ landscaping, garden beds, solar panels, portable buildings etc.)

## Please attach your Equipment quotes \*

Attach a file:

Quotes must be current and include the provider's ABN. Screenshots from supplier websites or emails from providers are acceptable.

## If you receive less than the full amount requested, what is most likely to happen? \*

- Our group would still go ahead with what we have planned
- We would need to reduce some activities or costs
- We would need to change our plans
- Our group may not be able to proceed

This helps us understand how flexible your plans are. There is no right or wrong answer.

## Any other information you wish to add to support your application

Must be no more than 40 characters.

## Applicants Administration Details

# 2027 Community Connection Grant

## Form Preview

\* indicates a required field

### Your Organisation, Group or Club

#### Name of your group or organisation \*

Organisation Name

Please use your organisation, club or group's full name. Check your spelling and make sure you provide the same name that is listed in official documentation such as with the ATO, ACNC, ABN etc.

#### Organisation's Address \*

Address

  

#### Organisation's Phone Number \*

Must be an Australian phone number.

#### Organisation's Email \*

Must be an email address.

#### Organisation's Website, if applicable

Must be a URL.

#### Group or organisation meeting/activity address \*

#### Is your organisation a first time applicant? \*

- Yes  
 No

#### Select the most relevant category that best describes your organisation \*

- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anti-racism                    | <input type="checkbox"/> People with disabilities            | <input type="checkbox"/> Young people (0-24)         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Families and Children          | <input type="checkbox"/> Refugees and newly arrived migrants | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteering                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Learning and skill development | <input type="checkbox"/> Sport and exercise                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multicultural groups           |  |  |

### Contact Person

This is the primary contact for all communications relating to the grant.

#### Applicant Contact Name \*

Organisation Name

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

Name of person submitting this application (contact person).

## Applicant's position \*

What's your role within the group or organisation?

## Contact Phone Number \*

Must be an Australian phone number.

## Contact Email \*

Must be an email address.

## Are you, or a member of your immediate family, a staff member (or Councillor) at Hume City Council? \*

- Yes
- No

## Name of person \*

## Auspice

If you have an ABN and are an incorporated not-for-profit organisation, then an auspice is not required.

Unincorporated organisations applying for a grant must be auspiced by an incorporated organisation. If you do not have an auspice you should not apply for this grant.

If you want to know more about Auspicing please click here <https://www.nfplaw.org.au/auspicing>

## Is your organisation auspiced by another organisation for the purpose of this grant?

- No auspice required
- I will be nominating an auspice for this application

No more than 1 choice may be selected.

## Auspice Organisation Details

You have answered 'I will be nominating an auspice for this application' to the previous question. Applicants that are not incorporated must be auspiced by an incorporated not-for-profit organisation and provide evidence of this arrangement. PLEASE NOTE: An auspice is a not-for-profit incorporated organisation that is agreeing to manage the legal and financial responsibility of the grant on behalf of the auspiced (applicant) organisation. Their agreement letter (to be attached below) needs to clearly document the auspice's acceptance of the legal and financial responsibility for the activity.

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

**If the grant application is successful the grant payment will be made to the auspice organisation, not the applicant.**

**Attach letter or email from your auspicing organisation agreeing to accept this responsibility. \***

Attach a file:

**Auspice Organisation Name \***

Organisation Name

Please use the organisation's full name. Make sure you provide the same name that is listed in official documentation such as that with the ABR, ACNC or ATO

**Auspice Contact Person \***

Title      First Name      Last Name

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
----------------------	----------------------	----------------------

**Auspice Contact Position \***

**Auspice Address \***

Address

<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>

**Auspice Phone Number \***

Must be an Australian phone number.

**Auspice Email \***

Must be an email address.

**Please attach your Auspice's Certificate of Incorporation \***

Attach a file:

**Auspice ABN \***

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register
---

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

ABN
Entity name
ABN status
Entity type
Goods & Services Tax (GST)
DGR Endorsed
ATO Charity Type <a href="#">More information</a>
ACNC Registration
Tax Concessions
Main business location

Must be an ABN.

When an auspice organisation is involved in a grant application, they are required to provide their ABN details to the grant recipient. This is necessary to confirm their legal status and ensure that the grant funds are managed correctly. The auspice organisation's ABN is used to verify their identity and eligibility to manage the grant funds. It is important for both the auspice organisation and the grant recipient to have accurate ABN information to avoid any legal complications and to ensure the smooth execution of the grant activity.

## Financial, Insurance and Banking Details

**Council is required to withhold 46.5% of any grant funds issued if you do not provide one of the following:**

- A valid Australian Business Number (ABN) **Or**
- A completed Statement by a Supplier Form.

This form can be obtained from the Australian Taxation Office website:

[Statement by Supplier form](#)

The completed form is to be included in this application.

**Does your organisation have an ABN? \***

Yes  No

If your group is being auspiced, please answer this question for the Auspice organisation.

You have answered No to the previous question

If you: a) do not have an ABN, and b) are not nominating an auspice then you will need to provide a Statement by Supplier form to council. The form can be downloaded from the Australian Tax Office website. Click [here](#) to download form

**If your organisation does not have an ABN, please attach a completed Statement By Supplier form \***

Attach a file:

Statement By Supplier forms are available on the Australian Taxation Office website. More information about the Statement by Supplier arrangements can be found here <https://www.ato.gov.au/forms-and-instructions/statement-by-supplier-not-quoting-an-abn>.

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

## GST and ABN

### Applicant ABN \*

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register	
ABN	
Entity name	
ABN status	
Entity type	
Goods & Services Tax (GST)	
DGR Endorsed	
ATO Charity Type	<a href="#">More information</a>
ACNC Registration	
Tax Concessions	
Main business location	

Must be an ABN.

### Is your organisation registered for GST? \*

- Yes  No

If your group is being auspiced, answer this question based on the Auspice organisation's GST status.

### Who is the owner of this bank account? \*

- My organisation's account details  
 My auspice's account details

If your group is being auspiced, grant funds will be paid to the Auspice organisation, who will manage the funding on your group's behalf.

### What is the legal status of the organisation that will receive the grant funds? \*

- Incorporated Association  
 Company limited by guarantee  
 Registered Charity (ACNC)  
 Unincorporated community group (with auspice)  
 Other:

For auspiced applications, answer for the Auspice organisation

### Please upload your group's Certificate of Incorporation \*

Attach a file:

Only required if your group is not being auspiced.

### Bank Account Details (if you are being auspiced - the auspice organisation's bank details go here) \*

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

Account Name

BSB Number

Account Number

Must be a valid Australian bank account format.

Please enter the bank account details where grant funds should be paid.

## **Proof of bank account \***

Attach a file:

Please attach a bank statement or screenshot that clearly shows: the account name (this must match the organisation or Auspice name), and the bank name. You do not need to show transaction history or account balance, these can be hidden.

## **Email address (for payment remittance advice)**

Please provide an organisational email address for payment remittance advice (for example: [accountspayable@yourgroup.org.au](mailto:accountspayable@yourgroup.org.au)) Personal email addresses should only be used if no organisational email is available.

## **Please upload your latest Financial Statement or Profit and Loss Report \***

Attach a file:

This is NOT a Bank Statement. A profit and loss statement (P&L), or income and expenditure statement, is a financial report that provides a summary of an organisation's revenues, expenses, and profits/losses over a given period of time. The P&L statement shows a company's ability to generate income and manage expenses. You can provide the same document that you submit to Consumer Affairs Victoria, or the ACNC.

## **Please upload a copy of your Public Liability Insurance (PLI) Certificate of Currency \***

Attach a file:

Council requires successful applicant's to have an appropriate level of insurance for any funded project that has the potential to cause harm or loss to those involved.

## **Other documentation - Please supply any other relevant documentation i.e. quotes, project plans etc that may help Assessors**

Attach a file:

## **How does your organisation raise income? \***

Membership fees  Attendance fees  Sponsorship  General fundraising

Hume Grants  Other Grants

Other

## **Please tick any support you currently receive from Hume City Council \***

# 2027 Community Connection Grant

## Form Preview

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hume Community Annual Grant                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Hume Events grants          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Council room/facility hire in-kind or at community rate | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Hume grants program   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Hume in-kind support                              | <input type="checkbox"/> None                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hume Community Year-Round Grant                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="text"/> |

## Privacy Statement and Declaration

\* indicates a required field

### Privacy Statement

Council is collecting this personal information for the purpose of assessing applications for the 2027 Community Connection grant. The information will be used for administrative purposes and will not be disclosed to any other party except as required by law. If you fail to provide this information, Council may not be able to process your application. You may access this information by contacting Council on 9205 2200.

### Declaration

In submitting this funding application I declare that I am aware of the following terms and conditions and certify that:

- 1.I am authorised by the Applicant/Auspice to act on behalf of the Applicant/Auspice to submit this application.
- 2.All information given to Council in relation to the grant and application is true and correct, whether that information is given through this application or in any other way.
- 3.The person/s named as the Contact Person in this application has consented to be named as the contact for the Applicant/Auspice and has the authority to provide any information that may be required by Council in relation to this application.
- 4.We acknowledge that our organisation's name will be listed publicly.
- 5.If a grant is awarded we (The Applicant/Auspice) will agree to the terms and conditions outlined in Hume City Council's Funding Agreement.
- 6.We (The Applicant/Auspice) understand that: If we do not act in accordance with this Agreement we may not be eligible for any further grants from Hume City Council.

**I have read and agree to the above Terms and Conditions \***

Yes

**Authorised Person \***

Name of person authorised to sign the Community Grant Funding Agreement

### Submitting your application

To submit your application be sure to click on the '**Submit**' button which appears on the last page of the application.

# 2027 Community Connection Grant Form Preview

You will not be able to submit your application unless you have completed all the compulsory questions.

After submitting your application you will receive a confirmation email. If you do not receive a confirmation email please contact us 9205 2749 or email **communitygrants@hume.vic.gov.au**.

## Mailing List

**Would you like to be added to Council's mailing list for community groups? \***

- Yes
- No

**If yes, what would you like to hear about? (Select all that apply)**

- Grant opportunities and funding updates
- General Council news relevant to community organisations

## Feedback on the process

**How easy was it to complete this application form? \***

- Very Easy
- Easy
- Ok
- Difficult
- Very Difficult

**How did you learn about this grant program? \***

- Council website
- Council social media (Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, etc.)
- Email from Council staff
- Word of mouth (colleague, friend, community member)
- Local newspaper or media
- Information session / workshop
- Service provider or peak body
- Other:

**Please provide us with your suggestions about any improvements and/or additions to the application process/form that you think we need to consider.**

**Did you have help completing this form?**

- No
- Yes - a person helped me
- Yes - I used AI (for example ChatGPT)

Other