Northern Territory Risk Priority Project Fund 2017-18

Applications Open: 19 February 2018, and close 1 April 2018

1. Introduction

The Northern Territory Risk Priority Project Fund (TRPPF) can provide funding of up to \$250,000 GST Exclusive to projects that address natural disaster risk knowledge gaps, develop or enhance programs delivering natural disaster resilience, or enhance emergency management capability – on a Territory Wide basis.

2. Who can apply for funding?

Your organisation must be the responsible agency for disaster management, or have a recognised disaster/emergency management role in the NT. Local Authorities (local government or councils, or remote community bodies) are also eligible if they are responsible for disaster management or mitigation works.

All applications must be endorsed by Department Heads, Chief Executive Officers (CEO) or equivalent.

3. Types of projects eligible/not eligible

Eligible Projects	Non Eligible Projects
 Territory-wide trials or pilots involving: Research or studies that focus on disaster risk, community vulnerability and resilience measures Public education or community engagement Development of emergency management guidelines, activities, conferences or workshops Training, capability development, or specific software for emergency management activities Non-recurrent capacity building activities 	 General operation of business activities Ongoing financial support for existing activities Response or recovery expenditure Costs associated with capital item ownership Reimbursement of works already undertaken Projects that conflict with existing emergency management arrangements Projects that are designed to protect or which provide a commercial advantage

4. How will your application be assessed?

The NDRP contributes to delivering the strategic priorities outlined in the National Strategy for Disaster Resilience (NSDR). All proposed projects must provide a demonstrated ability to improve organisational response to natural disasters in the Northern Territory. Applications that address the key outcomes outlined in the NSDR will be given priority, and you can view it here: nt.gov.au/ndrp

- **The NDRP Manager** processes all applications, refers to past projects of a similar nature as well as previous projects managed by each agency, and provides advice to the NDRP Committees.
- The Selection Committees role is to consider the worth of the proposed projects and make recommendations on applications to the Steering Committee.
- **The Steering Committee** takes on recommendations from the Selection Committee and is responsible for the final allocation of funds to successful projects.







5. Contacts

Enquiries regarding any aspect of the operation of the fund should be referred to the NDRP Manager.

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