

The WRL \$4 million Local Grants Fund will support locally-led projects that strengthen communities and deliver meaningful benefits during the project's development phase.

Attend our free grant application writing workshops

To help you put together a strong application, we're offering free, independently facilitated grant writing workshops this month.

These sessions will suit both first-time applicants and experienced grant writers looking for a refresher. The workshops will help you refine your project idea and approach while providing practical tips and tools that can be applied to future projects and funding opportunities.

The two-hour workshops will be followed by Q&A sessions with the WRL team with practical guidance on eligibility and assessment criteria. This is a great opportunity for you to discuss your project idea with the team and get support with the application process.

"I encourage all eligible community organisations to register for an upcoming grant writing workshop and unlock your funding potential. This is a great opportunity to build your skills in writing a grant application that is clear, concise and compelling. You'll learn how to position your ideas for local projects that give your application the best chance of success." – Keith Whelan, Independent grant application expert.



Register for a workshop

Five grant writing workshops will be held in eligible Local Government Areas, with an online session also planned for those who can't attend in-person. The project team will be on hand for an hour after each session to talk with community members.

Location	Date	Time	Venue
Northern Grampians Shire Council	Monday 20 April	11am – 1pm, followed by drop-in Q&A session from 1pm – 2pm	Stawell Entertainment Centre, 65 Main Street, Stawell
Pyrenees Shire Council	Monday 20 April	5pm – 7pm, followed by drop-in Q&A session from 7pm – 8pm	Lexton Community Hub, Prince Street, Lexton
Hepburn Shire Council	Tuesday 21 April	12pm – 2pm, followed by drop-in Q&A session from 2pm – 3pm	Doug Lindsay Pavilion, Lindsay Park Drive, Creswick
Moorabool Shire Council	Wednesday 22 April	1pm – 3pm, followed by drop-in Q&A session from 3pm – 4pm	Darley Park Community & Sports Centre, Corner Fitzroy & Grey Streets, Bacchus Marsh
Melton City Council	Wednesday 22 April	5pm – 7pm, followed by drop-in Q&A session from 7pm – 8pm	Melton Football Netball Club Rooms, MacPherson Park, Coburns Road, Toolern Vale
Online webinar	Wednesday 29 April	7pm – 8pm	Online (recording to be made available after the session)

[Click here to register](#)

About the project

The Western Renewables Link is a proposed electricity transmission line that will carry renewable energy from western Victoria to homes and businesses across the state and into the National Electricity Market. The project is critical infrastructure required to unlock the renewable energy potential of western Victoria as a key Renewable Energy Zone and will help to deliver clean and affordable energy to all Victorians.

Find more information online

Read more about the WRL Benefit Sharing Program and how you can get involved on the [project website](#) and the [program guide](#).

Sign up to the [project newsletter](#) on the website to receive updates on the program and notifications on when expressions of interest open.



Want to speak with a member of our team?

You can contact the team on our dedicated number 1800 975 975 or email us at info@westernrenewableslink.com.au.

More information

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