

Rural Grants Scheme Guidelines & Application



A U S T R A L A S I A N

Management Challenge

2018

OBJECTIVE

To provide professional development opportunities for the staff of Australian Rural Councils by assisting and encouraging their participation in the 2018 Australasian Management Challenge.

ASSISTANCE

Grants of \$750 will be made, at the discretion of Local Government Professionals Australia to eligible Councils, by way of a reduction in the Management Challenge entry fee.

APPLICATIONS

- Applications must be made on the form attached and forwarded to LG Professionals Australia.
- If successful, a tax invoice will be forwarded by LG Professionals Australia for the reduced entry fee. Details of unsuccessful applications will be acknowledged.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants shall have a municipal population of less than 20,000 or, in the case of a composite team, an aggregate municipal population of less than 20,000.
- Applicant councils must not have received a subsidy in the last three years either on their own or as part of a composite team entry.

SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

- Applications which do not quite meet the selection criteria may still be considered for a grant at the discretion of the board of LG Professionals Australia.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Compliance with Eligibility Criteria.
- Demonstrated commitment to applying the learning outcomes in the workplace.

NEXT STEPS

Submit the application on the next page to LG Professionals Australia by the event registration closing date. Email to: challenge@lgprofessionalsaustralia.org.au



Rural Grants Scheme Application Form



2018 Local Government Professionals Australasian Management Challenge

1. Name of council

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2. Population*

3. Is this application made on behalf of a Composite Team? YES / NO
(If "No", proceed to Question 5)

4. Names and populations* of all participating councils

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5. Does the applicant council or councils comply with the eligibility criteria outlined? YES / NO
(If the answer is NO, please provide justification for this application.)

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Contact person name:

Phone number:

Postal address

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I approve this application and will support the team to prepare for the
Management Challenge and apply the learnings in the workplace.

Signature of authorizing officer:

Position:

Date:

Complete and send to challenge@lgprofessionalsaustralia.org.au by the events registration closing date.

* Use the most recent residential population estimate published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.