

Attachment B

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Organisation Name	Project Name	Project Description	\$ Amount Requested	VIK Requested
Aboriginal Corporation or Homeless and Rehabilitation Community Services	ACHRCS NAIDOC BBQ	A NAIDOC celebration BBQ in Haymarket supporting First Nations people experiencing homelessness or housing insecurity through music, dance, cultural education and community connection.	\$3,470	Nil
Glebe Youth Service Inc	Sisters Rise	A series of culturally grounded programs in Glebe providing a safe, empowering space for First Nations girls to strengthen identity, social and emotional wellbeing, leadership, and job-readiness through community-led support.	\$50,000 (Year 1 - 2025/26) \$50,000 (Year 2 - 2026/27) \$50,000 (Year 3 - 2027/28)	Nil
Impact Policy Pty Ltd	Flames Girls Basketball Program	A girls-only, culturally empowered basketball program increasing access and participation for First Nations young people, building confidence, wellbeing and connection through sport across South Sydney communities.	\$48,000	Nil
Jennifer Turner	Empowering Indigenous Women in Business Through Mentorship	A mentoring and leadership development program in Redfern supporting First Nations women to embed leadership learnings, strengthen career pathways, and increase representation and retention in business through culturally informed mentoring and corporate partnerships.	\$42,000	Nil
Jodie Ann Choolburra	Brolga Dance Academy	Brolga Dance Academy provides a culturally safe platform for First Nations to connect to culture, learn dance, strengthen identity, and express their stories through creative, artistic, and culturally grounded practice.	\$50,000	Nil
Koori Kinnections Pty Ltd	Kinconnected Community Education	A year-long First Nations learning program at Glebe Public School delivering regular, hands-on, co-created cultural education for students through an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander owned local provider.	\$16,800	Nil

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Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council	All Blacks Basketball Club	MLALC as auspice for All Blacks Basketball Club(ABBC) apply for COSC Collaboration Fund 2025-26 to assist ABBC with costs to participate in CSBA competition for girls and boys under 10s-18's	\$50,000 (Year 1 - 2025/26) \$50,000 (Year 2 - 2026/27) \$50,000 (Year 3 - 2027/28)	Nil
Redfern All Blacks Rugby League Football Club Incorporated	Redfern All Blacks RLFC Season 2026	A capacity-building initiative providing legal advice, governance support and training in risk management, volunteers, programs and communications to strengthen club development, community engagement and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural celebration.	\$50,000	Nil
Redfern Youth Connect (Australia) Limited	RYC Drop-in	An after-school drop-in program in the local area providing First Nations young people with meals, safe transport, and structured and unstructured activities to support wellbeing, connection and development.	\$50,000 (Year 1 - 2025/26) \$50,000 (Year 2 - 2026/27) \$50,000 (Year 3 - 2027/28)	Nil
Scott David Morris	Eora Revival	A community-led initiative in the local area collecting and redistributing donated clothing and essentials directly to First Nations families, ensuring dignified access to goods through culturally safe, not-for-profit distribution.	\$50,000	Nil
Songlines To Sovereignty Ltd	Connecting Elders with Songlines to Sovereignty	A community-led project in the local area connecting and empowering First Nations Elders through outreach, interviews and recordings to share stories and speak directly with each other and the wider community.	\$19,999	Nil
Tribal Warrior Aboriginal Corporation	Ngara Muru E-Learning Project	An e-learning initiative in Redfern transforming cultural awareness training to increase community understanding and spotlight First Nations storytelling through immersive and innovative digital experiences.	\$50,000	Nil
Wanda Austin	Deadly Tucker-Community Feed Program	An Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander-led mobile food program in the local area providing free meals and care packs to Elders, families and people experiencing homelessness through a community-supported "Buy 1, Feed 1 Mob" model.	\$25,000	Nil

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Winya Indigenous Office Furniture Pty Ltd	NAIDOC Cultural Workshops	A series of Indigenous-led weaving workshops at Kent Street engaging businesses to respectfully learn Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural practices, storytelling and connection to Country through hands-on experiences.	\$6,000	Nil