Project Officer Listing: Community Grant Applications

To be eligible for a Community Grant, all applicants must speak to one of the following Council Project Officers.

The benefits of speaking to a Project Officer include:

1. Specialist advice on project related concerns
2. Project support to heighten positive assessment outcomes

Please contact Project Officers before you start your application and at your earliest convenience to avoid last minute pressure on application eligibility.

What will you be asked by a Project Officer?

- What is the purpose of your group and project?
- What are you seeking funding for?
- Have you considered people resources as part of your planning?
- Is there any support Council can offer you?
- Would you like Council involved in your project?

Please refer to the table below for suitable Project Officer contacts.
If you are unsure on who to contact, or would like to discuss the application process,
please contact the Community Grants team on 9747 7247 or communitygrants@melton.vic.gov.au

Area your project relates to:	Contact Name	Contact Phone	Contact Email
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders	Essan	9747 7206	essand@melton.vic.gov.au
Arts	Kate	0437 054 144	kate.bonser@melton.vic.gov.au
Children and Families	Kellie	9747 5275	kellier@melton.vic.gov.au
Community Gardens	Millie	9747 5742	MillieS@melton.vic.gov.au
Community Safety	Meg	9747 7240	megs@melton.vic.gov.au
Mental Health	Bec	5449 0026	Rebecca.harris@melton.vic.gov.au
Council Venue Hire	Rowan	9747 5437	rowan.hatty@melton.vic.gov.au
Culture	Essan	9747 7206	essand@melton.vic.gov.au
Disability Advocacy & Inclusion	Nicole	0499 027 473	nicolemig@melton.vic.gov.au
Emergency Relief	Peter	9747 7248	peterdo@melton.vic.gov.au
Events: Council Parks/Open Land	Jason	9747 5392	JasonSa@melton.vic.gov.au
Gender Equity Prevention of Violence	Bec	5449 0026	Rebecca.harris@melton.vic.gov.au
Vaping Food/Nutrition	Millie	9747 5742	MillieS@melton.vic.gov.au
Literacy and Learning	Chelsey	9747 5217	chelseye@melton.vic.gov.au
New Community Groups	Sunita	9747 7127	sunitam@melton.vic.gov.au
Seniors	Darren	9747 7332	darrenc@melton.vic.gov.au
Sport: Council Parks/Open Land	Nicole	9747 5415	nicolew@melton.vic.gov.au
Sport: Council Leisure Centres	Trudy	9747 5320	trudym@melton.vic.gov.au
Youth	Katriona Papanastasiou	0477 957 789	katrionag@melton.vic.gov.au
Environment	Jessica Fairfax	9747 5406	Jessica.fairfax@melton.vic.gov.au

Last updated 30/10/2026