

Organisation	Project title	Project details	Total Amount Requested	Total project cost	% of project requested	Recommended Funding Allocation	Comments
Rutherglen Lawn Tennis Club Inc.	Shining the Light on Rutherglen Tennis	This project aims to replace the existing halogen lights on 4 of the towers with energy efficient LED lights, plus replace the current wiring with bird proof systems allowing two courts to be efficiently and sustainably lit. The work will also provide a base for the following two towers to be upgraded with LED lights as finances permit in the future.	\$10,000 (ex GST)	\$26,200 (ex GST)	38%	\$10,000 (ex GST)	Ranked highest by the assessment panel (4.2 out of 5). To replace halogen with LED, which will reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Large co-contribution from the club. Will support existing players and potentially attract new players. Application supported by Community Development. To ensure value for money, club will be asked to source second quote.
Osbornes Flat Community Centre Inc.	Osbornes Flat Hall Reducing our Greenhouse Gas Emissions	This project aims to replace the 4 existing gas hall heaters, with 4 suspended radiant heater units which have been designed by the manufacturer to match the existing space in the hall and provide an appropriate level of comfort for hall users. A system has been chosen which can be readily managed by non-technical lay hirers. This will be the second stage of renewable energy works at the hall, following the recent installation of additional solar panels, battery and generator plug-in point. The decommissioning of the existing gas heaters will remove any	\$5,536.00 (inclusive GST)	\$6,136 (inclusive GST)	90%	\$5,033 (ex GST)	Ranked third by the assessment panel (4 out of 5). Project is 'Stage 2' of their electrification project, replacing gas heaters with electric, which will be powered by a solar PV and battery system installed in 23/24, co-funded by a Community Sustainability Grant. Group has a good track record on project delivery and acquittal.

		health and safety concerns as well as reducing the reliance on bottled gas, which is not only an issue in terms of its fossil fuel/emissions status, but also in terms of the management of bottled gas on site and for hall hirers.					
Beechworth Urban Landcare & Sustainability Inc.	BULS support for Indigo Environment Strategy	BULS is keen to improve waterway health and restore natural habitat in Beechworth. This application seeks funding for planting of additional locally endemic species in two of our current project sites at Lake Sambell - ie. the Bush Botanic Gardens and the Claybanks. It also seeks a small amount of funding to help scope out a new project that would extend the native vegetation corridor along Silver Creek below Wallace Park and improve management of a 'forgotten' Council reserve adjacent to the rail trail. We want to work closely with the Council to restore these valuable areas.	\$4,830 (inclusive GST)	\$7,080 (inclusive GST)	68%	\$4,299 (ex GST)	Ranked fourth by the assessment panel (3.91 out of 5). Funding requested to continue restoring/revegetating two prominent 'landcare managed' sites at Lake Sambell, as well as expand efforts into other sites. Builds on their 2022/23 Community Sustainability Grant that helped repair one of the sites impacted by the Nov 2022 flood. Expected to involve good community engagement. Group has a good track record on project delivery and acquittal.