

Communication Providers Rebate - Community Groups – Fact Sheet

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What is a Community Group?

For the purposes of this rebate 'Community Groups' are defined as 'special community interest groups that are run on a not for profit basis.'

Examples of a Community Group

Examples of Community Groups who may be able to make an application for a rebate include, but are not limited to:

- Surf Life Saving Clubs
- Volunteer Coastal Patrol
- Volunteer Community Services organisations
- Community Radio

Eligibility

To be eligible for the 'Community Groups' rebate the organisation must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- The definition of 'Community Groups' (as stated above);
- The Assessment Criteria (as stated in this document);
- Requirements stated in the 'Application Process' (refer to fact sheet titled [Rebate General Information for Communication Facilities Located on Crown Land](#)).

Exclusions

Organisations which are 'for profit' are not eligible for the 'Community Group rebate.

Submission

To be eligible for this rebate, applicants are required to provide information addressing each Assessment Criteria point and provide supporting documentation, as stated in this document. Applications must be made using the NSW Department of Primary Industries - Lands [Rebate Application](#) form.

Assessment Criteria

1. Provide details of the incorporation/constitution of the organisation; and/or confirmation of Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC) Registration;
2. Identify the source of funding the organisation receives (eg. Government, Community, Other);
3. Describe the purpose of the organisation;
4. Provide details of the facilities and services provided by the organisation;
5. Provide details of how funds of the organisation are allocated and expended;
6. Provide copies of the last full Audited Financial Statements.

More information

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