



Media Release – Country to Coast, QLD

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Country to Coast, Qld launches community grant opportunity for flood-affected regions

Country to Coast, QLD (CCQ) is an independent, not-for-profit organisation that delivers the Primary Health Network (PHN) programs on behalf of the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care. Through community needs-assessment we aim to commission leading health services which meet the needs of our region to achieve their healthiest outcomes.

CCQ is supporting the recovery and resilience of flood-affected regions, extending a unique opportunity for community groups and organisations with a footprint in the Gympie, Noosa, and Maryborough locations.

Julie Sturgess, CCQ CEO, "CCQ recognises the ongoing and future impacts of natural disasters in these regions and we are seeking place-based project concepts for grants of \$250,000-\$300,000 to promote community connectedness and resilience."

"CCQ will also provide ongoing support to successful applicants to attend externally facilitated collaborative workshops, fostering knowledge exchange and regional synergy."

The TenderLink portal will be open for applications from today 4 September until 12 noon on 5 October 2023.

Here's What Sets This Opportunity Apart:

- Community Groups/Organisations with a footprint in the Gympie, Noosa and Maryborough region, are invited to apply for grants to support the wellbeing and resilience of their communities.
- Secure funding between \$250K-\$300K for your place-based projects.
- Harness the strength of collaboration: Connect with other awarded groups and share innovations in CCQ-facilitated workshops.
- Our funding decisions have been shaped by extensive community consultations, ensuring they resonate with real needs.
- Register to join our webinar on 11th September and meet our dedicated grant writing support team and Dr. Jean Renouf, the facilitator of our collaborative workshops.

Eligibility:

- For further details and eligibility requirements, register on TenderLink and download the application pack.

Timings:

Applications open on 4th September and close on 5th October at 12 noon.

Apply via TenderLink at <https://portal.tenderlink.com/c2coast>

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