

# **Attachment C**

**Recommended for Funding  
Festivals and Events Sponsorship Program**

## Festivals and Events Sponsorship Program Summer Round 2023/24

### Recommended for Funding: Tier 1 – General Festivals and Events

Organisation Name	Project Name	Project Description	\$ Amount Requested	VIK Requested	\$ Amount Recommended	VIK Recommended	Additional Conditions
107 Projects Incorporated	Dia de los Muertos	An annual arts and cultural festival celebrating life and death through food, drink, art, music, and dance, to be held at Joynton Avenue Creative Centre.	\$50,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$50,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$50,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil	<b>\$24,000</b> (Year 1 only)	Nil	Nil
Art Fairs Australia Pty Ltd	Sydney Contemporary	Australasia's international art fair showcasing work by emerging and established artists from leading galleries, attracting local, interstate and international artists, art collectors, art critics and art enthusiasts to Carriageworks.	Nil Nil Nil	Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$33,800 each year for three years	Nil	<b>Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$33,800 each year for three years</b>	Nil
Australian Design Centre	Sydney Craft Week Festival	An annual festival across the local area celebrating objects made by hand by bringing together contemporary crafts organisations and individuals and encouraging community participation and creativity.	\$15,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$15,000 (Year 2 - 24/25)	Nil	<b>\$15,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$15,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25)	Nil	Nil
B.S Hancock & I.E Suffern	The Two Queers x Mardi Gras Comedy Festival	A new queer comedy festival during Mardi Gras activating empty Oxford St shop fronts with an opening night gala at Paddington Town Hall.	\$45,331	Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$5,814	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$5,814</b>	Nil

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Bad Sydney Ltd	BAD Sydney Writers Festival	An annual crime writers festival at the State Library of NSW supported by online and in-person author talks at libraries, bookshops and other venues in the local area.	\$26,000	Nil	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Counterpoint Community Services Incorporated	Playgroups in the Park 2023	A triannual event at Redfern Park linking local families with health, housing, child protection, domestic violence relief and other essential services.	\$5,000	Nil	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Applicant to ensure entertainment complies with City of Sydney policies.
Counterpoint Community Services Incorporated	Volunteer Awards 2024	An event in Alexandria and Erskineville to acknowledge the skills and contributions of volunteers and to promote opportunities in the local area.	\$2,600	Nil	<b>\$2,600</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Currency Press Pty Ltd	Festival of Playwrights: Safe Spaces Risky Ideas	An annual festival aiming to bring the ideas and debates of the theatre community to the fore by sharing the work and experiences of playwrights with each other and the community, at ARA Darling Quarter Theatre.	\$10,000	Nil	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Darlinghurst Business Partnership Incorporated	Happy Hours Sydney	A celebration of food and drink, arts, culture and design, encompassing local retailers, bars, restaurants and galleries in Potts Point, Darlinghurst, Surry Hills and Woollahooloo.	\$49,820	Nil	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil

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David Couri	Bad Vibrations	The development and presentation of live independent music and arts events at Carriageworks, followed by the release of a 10year anniversary compilation album.	\$20,000	Nil	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Glebe Public School	Glebe's Big Playgroup	A series of free, fun playgroup events in Robyn Kemmis Reserve, Glebe with food, activities and entertainment for isolated families to connect with each other and local services.	\$8,000	Nil	<b>\$8,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Head On Foundation Ltd	Head On Photo Festival	A festival at Paddington Reservoir Gardens, showcasing photographs by Indigenous, local and international artists, engaging the local community and businesses.	\$50,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$50,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$50,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$4,888 (Year 1 - 23/24) Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$5,621 (Year 2 - 24/25) Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$6,464 (Year 3 - 25/26)	<b>\$20,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$20,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>\$20,000</b> (Year 3 - 25/26)	<b>Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$4,888 (Year 1 - 23/24)</b> <b>Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$5,621 (Year 2 - 24/25)</b> <b>Street banner pole hire fee waiver to the value of \$6,464 (Year 3 - 25/26)</b>	Nil

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International Performing Writers Association	Story Week 2023 - A Festival for Writers who Perform	A week-long festival in Darlinghurst celebrating diverse voices, enabling people from marginalised communities to access new skills and platforms and engaging directly with audiences.	\$30,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$25,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$20,250 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$10,560 (Year 1 - 23/24) Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$11,088 (Year 2 - 24/25) Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$11,642 (Year 3 - 25/26)	<b>\$15,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$10,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>\$5,000</b> (Year 3 - 25/26)	<b>Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$10,560</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$11,088</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$11,642</b> (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil
K.W Cheng & H Wong Wing Kee	Chinatown Comedy Club	A series of comedy nights at the Covent Garden Hotel, Haymarket, giving Asian-Australian comedians an opportunity to perform.	\$15,700	Nil	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Malaysia Fest	Malaysia Festival 2023	A two-day festival celebrating Malaysian food, culture and heritage at Tumbalong Park, Darling Harbour.	\$50,000	Nil	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Rebel and Rogue Music Pty Ltd	The Vanguard's 20th Birthday Party	The programming of live music, burlesque, cabaret, drag and circus, showcasing artists that represent the diversity of incredible talent of the venue at 42 King St, Newtown.	\$9,800	Nil	<b>\$8,512</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil

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Sustain: The Australian Food Network Ltd	Growing on Country: The 4th National Urban Agriculture Forum	A three-day event at the National Centre of Indigenous Excellence celebrating the power of community gardens, urban agriculture and First Nations' connection to country.	\$50,000	Nil	<b>\$25,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Sydney St Patrick's Day Organisation Incorporated	Sydney St Patricks Day Parade and Festival	An annual festival to celebrate Irish culture and communities in Sydney, including music, dancing, film, sport, food and Irish language classes, to be held at Circular Quay.	\$20,000	Nil	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Sydney Theatre Company Ltd	Nights at The Wharf	A series of weekly events at the Theatre Bar at the End of the Wharf in Walsh Bay, targeting new diverse audiences with free live entertainment following performances of the production of Is God Is.	\$16,995	Nil	<b>\$10,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
The Ethics Centre Limited	Festival of Dangerous Ideas	A festival bringing leading thinkers and culture creators from around the world together to facilitate courageous and stimulating public conversations at Sydney Town Hall.	\$50,000	Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$12,656	<b>Nil</b>	<b>Venue hire fee waiver to the value of \$12,656</b>	Nil

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The House That Dan Built Incorporated	100 Women	A large-scale choral work by Sydney-based composers for a community choir performance of 100 women and girls singing the stories of 100 Australian women, to be held at the State Library, Sydney.	\$44,079	Nil	<b>\$12,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
The Performance Space Ltd	Liveworks Festival Celebrates 40 years	An annual festival presenting a diverse, high-calibre, risk-taking program of experimental work, reigniting past programs and engaging artists past and present at Carriageworks and surrounds.	\$50,000	Nil	<b>\$20,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Applicant to work with the Filming and Outdoor Events team on the use of parks
The Returned and Services League of Australia New South Wales Branch	Vietnam Veterans Memorial Day Commemoration	The commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the end of the Vietnam War, to be held on The Battle of Long Tan Day at the Cenotaph, Martin Place.	\$2,388 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$2,500 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$2,600 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil	<b>\$2,388 (Year 1 only)</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
The Sydney Fringe Incorporated	Limitless- A Microfestival for Artists and Audiences with Disability	An annual festival at 107 Projects in Redfern, providing a platform for artists with a disability and an inclusive, accessible, and supportive space for both audiences and artists within the Sydney Fringe Festival.	\$35,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$35,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$35,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil	<b>\$20,000 (Year 1 only)</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Applicant to work with the City to increase the accessibility of the over-arching festival

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Tranby Aboriginal Co-Operative Limited	InUnity:Gathering of First Nations LGBTQIA+SB Poets, Writers and Story-Makers	A pilot three-day capacity building and professional development opportunity for First Nations LGBTQIA+SB poets, writers and story-makers to share skills, knowledge and stories at Glebe.	\$47,000	Nil	<b>\$12,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
University Of Technology Sydney	Winda Film Festival	The re-emergence of the Indigenous film festival at cinemas across the local area, increasing the awareness of local filmmakers on the international stage.	\$48,500	Nil	<b>\$30,000</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Applicant to submit a revised budget
YCK Laneways Association Inc	YCK Presents: Culture Up Late	A month-long music, arts, and culture festival at venues of York Clarence Kent (YCK) Laneways, boosting the nighttime economy and providing paid employment opportunities for artists and creatives.	\$50,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$50,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$50,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil	<b>\$25,000 (Year 1 only)</b>	<b>Nil</b>	Applicant to submit a revised budget

## Recommended for Funding: Tier 2 – Major Festivals and Events

Organisation Name	Project Name	Project Description	\$ Amount Requested	VIK Requested	\$ Amount Recommended	VIK Recommended	Additional Conditions
Business Events Sydney Limited	Securing Global Business Events for Sydney 2024-27	Funding to incentivise global business event organisers to host their events in Sydney between 2024 - 2027.	\$300,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$450,000 (Year 2 - 24/25)	Nil	<b>\$300,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$300,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25)	Nil	Nil
Department of Premier and Cabinet	Australia Day in Sydney 2024-26	A free one-day event celebrating Australia's culture, diversity and respect through a progressive and inclusive program committed to supporting the values that underpin our national day.	\$250,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$250,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$250,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Value-in-kind to the value of \$95,465 (Year 1 - 23/24) Value-in-kind to the value of \$100,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) Value-in-kind to the value of \$100,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	<b>\$150,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$150,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>\$150,000</b> (Year 3 - 25/26)	<b>Value-in-kind to the value of \$48,880 each year for three years</b>	Nil
Destination NSW	Vivid Sydney (Music HQ)	A live music program showcasing emerging and established artists in non-traditional live music venues.	\$150,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$150,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$150,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Value-in-kind to the value of \$300,000 each year for three years	<b>\$100,000</b> (Year 1 only)	<b>Value-in-kind to the value of \$300,000 (Year 1 only)</b>	Cash support towards emerging artists; Venue activation must be in the City of Sydney local area.
Gadigal Information Service Aboriginal Corporation	Yabun Festival 2024-27	An annual festival celebrating Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures in Australia held on January 26 in Victoria Park, Camperdown.	\$190,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$210,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$215,000 (Year 3 - 25/26) \$225,000 (Year 4 - 26/27)	Street banner hire fee waiver to the value of \$7,072 each year for four years	<b>\$190,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$210,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>\$215,000</b> (Year 3 - 25/26) <b>\$225,000</b> (Year 4 - 26/27)	<b>Street banner hire fee waiver to the value of \$7,072 each year for four years</b>	Nil

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International Management Group of America Pty Ltd	Australian Fashion Week 2024-26	A five day trade and consumer event held annually in May in Sydney.	\$100,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$100,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$100,000 (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil	<b>\$100,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$100,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>\$100,000</b> (Year 3 - 25/26)	Nil	Applicant to submit a revised budget
Sydney Gay And Lesbian Mardi Gras Ltd	Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras Festival 2024-27	An annual festival celebrating LGBTQIA+ identity and creative expression, including a variety of different events and the street parade on Oxford Street.	\$400,000 (Year 1 - 23/24) \$425,000 (Year 2 - 24/25) \$450,000 (Year 3 - 25/26) \$500,000 (Year 4 - 26/27)	Value-in-kind to the value of \$64,800 (Year 1 - 23/24) Value-in-kind to the value of \$71,280 (Year 2 - 24/25) Value-in-kind to the value of \$78,408 (Year 3 - 25/26) Value-in-kind to the value of \$86,248 (Year 4 - 26/27)	<b>\$340,000</b> (Year 1 - 23/24) <b>\$340,000</b> (Year 2 - 24/25) <b>\$340,000</b> (Year 3 - 25/26) <b>\$340,000</b> (Year 4 - 26/27)	<b>Value-in-kind to the value of \$70,776 each year for four years</b>	Additional \$100,000 in cash funding per year (for four years) as a contribution towards the cycleway safety treatment for the Mardi Gras parade and remediation of damage to City parks during Mardi Gras Festival events.