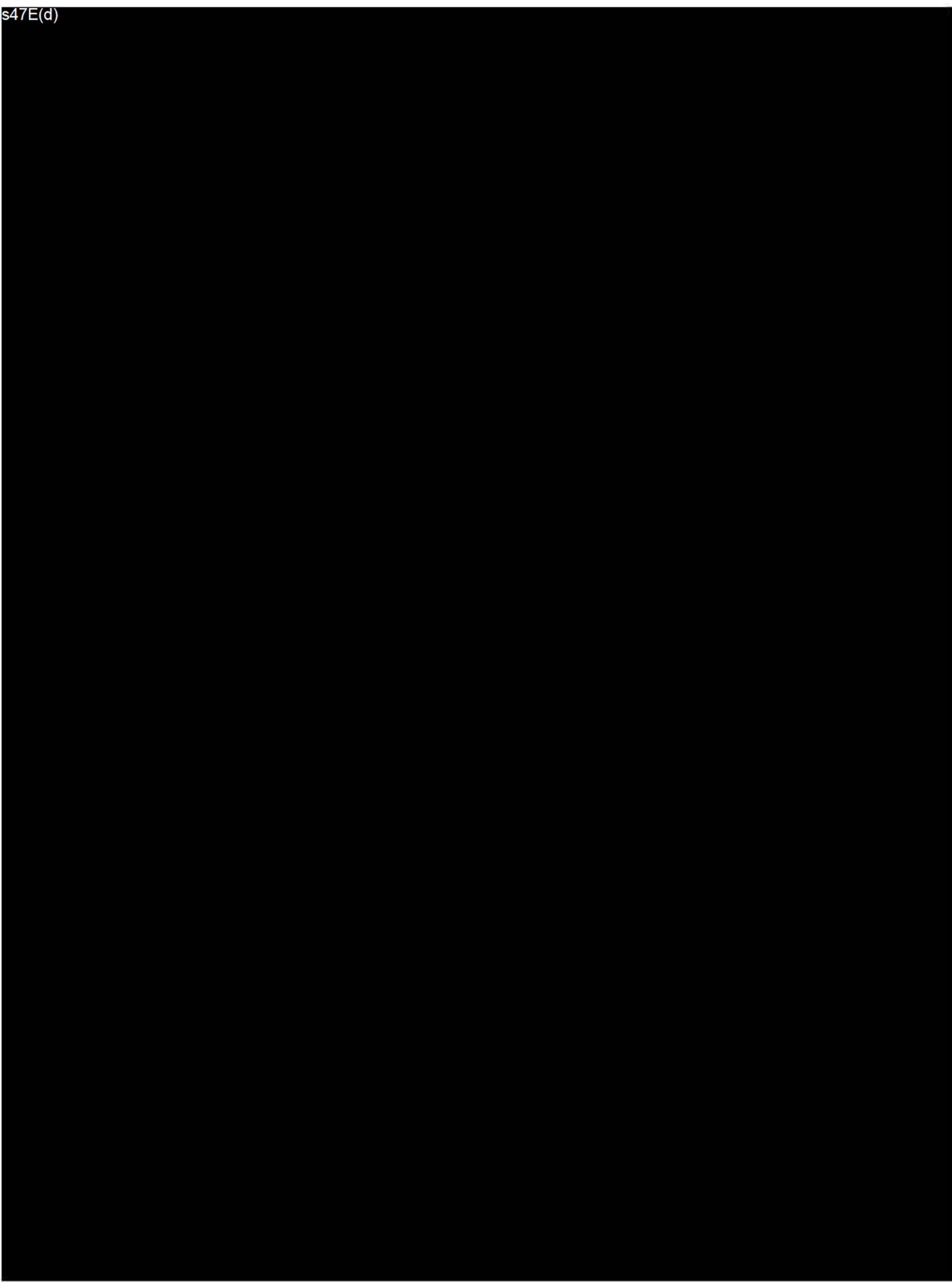


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**The Hon Darren Chester MP**

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel

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Senator the Hon Simon Birmingham  
Minister for Finance  
Parliament House  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

18 DEC 2020

Dear Minister

I am writing to you in accordance with the requirement outlined in section 4.11 of the *Commonwealth Grants Rules and Guidelines 2017*, which outlines you be notified of the details each time a Minister approves a grant in respect to their own electorate.

I recently approved four grants for projects being undertaken in my electorate of Gippsland, under the *Saluting Their Service* Commemorative Grants Program (STS), which is administered by the Department of Veterans' Affairs. My decision to approve these applications was consistent with the funding recommendations made to me by the independent Commemorative Grants Advisory Committee, which reviews all STS grants as part of the grant assessment process.

Please see a summary of the approved projects below. I have also enclosed copies of the letters I have sent to each of the successful organisations for your information.

Organisation	Purpose	Amount Approved
Gormandale and District Primary School	Purchase and install three flagpoles at the school.	\$1,970
Jarrahmond Landcare Group	Install a flagpole at Jarrahmond Avenue of Honour as part of the Memorial enclosure.	\$1,542
Morwell RSL Sub-Branch	Restore the Yinnar memorial wall.	\$5,596
Sale RSL and Community Sub-Branch Inc.	Install a plaque to commemorate 55 aircrew members from the East Sale Royal Australian Air Force base who died during the Second World War.	\$3,000
Total		\$12,108

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**DARREN CHESTER**  
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Parliament House  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

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Email: minister@dva.gov.au



## The Hon Darren Chester MP

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel

MS20 000422

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Gormandale and District Primary School  
38 Main Street  
GORMANDALE VIC 3873

Dear s22

I am pleased to advise that I have approved a grant of \$1,970 under the *Saluting Their Service* Commemorative Grants Program (the Program) to Gormandale and District Primary School. This grant is to purchase and install three flagpoles at the school.

The Community Grants Hub (the Hub) is managing grants for the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA). The Hub will contact you to provide further details, and will provide you with a Letter of Offer for your signature. If you have any questions regarding this grant offer, please contact the Hub on 1800 020 283 or [support@communitygrants.gov.au](mailto:support@communitygrants.gov.au) (quoting submission reference MDG964LM).

The recent COVID-19 (coronavirus) pandemic has had a devastating impact on many local communities. If your organisation or suppliers have been impacted and you think it may affect your ability to complete the grant project, please contact DVA's Commemorative Grants team on (02) 6120 8196 for assistance.

I wish you every success with this project.

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DARREN CHESTER



## The Hon Darren Chester MP

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel

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Jarrahmond Landcare Group  
84a Nicholson Street  
ORBOST VIC 3888

Dear s22

I am pleased to advise that I have approved a grant of \$1,542 under the *Saluting Their Service* Commemorative Grants Program (the Program) to Jarrahmond Landcare Group. This grant is to install a flagpole at Jarrahmond Avenue of Honour as part of the memorial enclosure.

The Community Grants Hub (the Hub) is managing grants for the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA). The Hub will contact you to provide further details, and will provide you with a Letter of Offer for your signature. If you have any questions regarding this grant offer, please contact the Hub on 1800 020 283 or [support@communitygrants.gov.au](mailto:support@communitygrants.gov.au) (quoting submission reference LCXH2K8G).

The recent COVID 19 (coronavirus) pandemic has had a devastating impact on many local communities. If your organisation or suppliers have been impacted and you think it may affect your ability to complete the grant project, please contact DVA's Commemorative Grants team on (02) 6120 8196 for assistance.

I wish you every success with this project.

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## The Hon Darren Chester MP

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel

MS20 000422

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Morwell RSL Sub-Branch  
PO Box 105  
MORWELL VIC 3840

Dear s22

I am pleased to advise that I have approved a grant of \$5,596 under the *Saluting Their Service* Commemorative Grants Program (the Program) to the Morwell RSL Sub Branch. This grant is to restore the Yinnar memorial wall.

The grant amount has been determined based on eligible items requested.

The Community Grants Hub (the Hub) is managing grants for the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA). The Hub will contact you to provide further details, and will provide you with a Grant Agreement for your signature. If you have any questions regarding this grant offer, please contact the Hub on 1800 020 283 or [support@communitygrants.gov.au](mailto:support@communitygrants.gov.au) (quoting submission reference R8QF9RJ2).

The recent COVID-19 (coronavirus) pandemic has had a devastating impact on many local communities. If your organisation or suppliers have been impacted and you think it may affect your ability to complete the grant project, please contact DVA's Commemorative Grants team on (02) 6120 8196 for assistance.

I wish you every success with this project.

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DARREN CHESTER



## The Hon Darren Chester MP

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel

MS20 000422

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Sale RSL and Community Sub Branch Inc.  
PO Box 352  
SALE VIC 3850

Dear s22

I am pleased to advise that I have approved a grant of \$3,000 under the *Saluting Their Service* Commemorative Grants Program (the Program) to the Sale RSL and Community Sub Branch Inc. This grant is to install a plaque to commemorate 55 aircrew members from the East Sale Royal Australian Air Force base who died during the Second World War.

The Community Grants Hub (the Hub) is managing grants for the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA). The Hub will contact you to provide further details, and will provide you with a Grant Agreement for your signature. If you have any questions regarding this grant offer, please contact the Hub on 1800 020 283 or [support@communitygrants.gov.au](mailto:support@communitygrants.gov.au) (quoting submission reference C489PLST).

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I wish you every success with this project.

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DARREN CHESTER



The Hon Alan Tudge MP

Minister for Population, Cities and Urban Infrastructure  
Acting Minister for Immigration, Citizenship, Migrant Services and Multicultural Affairs

Ref No: MS20-001948

Senator the Hon Simon Birmingham  
Minister for Trade, Tourism and Investment  
Minister for Finance  
Parliament House  
CANBERRA ACT 2600



Dear Minister *Simon*

I am writing as required by paragraph 4.11 of the *Commonwealth Grants Rules and Guidelines 2017* to notify you of the Community Language Multicultural Grants Program - Stream Two grant that I approved in my electorate.

The Community Language Multicultural Grants Program - Stream Two was assessed as an open competitive process conducted by the Department of Home Affairs and the Department of Social Services Community Grants Hub. The grant approved in my electorate was recommended for funding by the Department of Home Affairs.

Details of the grant approved in my electorate are included in the table attached to this letter.

Please contact the Multicultural Community Relations Section of the Department of Home Affairs at [multiculturalgrants@homeaffairs.gov.au](mailto:multiculturalgrants@homeaffairs.gov.au) if you have any queries regarding this grant.

Yours sincerely

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*4.12* 2020



Community Languages Multicultural Grants Program - Stream Two  
Electorate of Aston

Grant Opportunity	Grantee	Grant funding location (Campus)	Grant funding location (Business Address)	Grant Amount (GST Excl)	Grant term
Community Languages Multicultural Grants Program Stream Two	Polish Community Council of Victoria Inc	Rowville campus	Suite 305 3 Chester St, Oakleigh, VIC 3166	\$25,000	1 year





PARLIAMENT OF AUSTRALIA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

# PAUL FLETCHER MP

Federal Member for Bradfield  
Minister for Communications,  
Cyber Safety and the Arts



MS20-000745

Senator the Hon Simon Birmingham  
Minister for Finance  
Parliament House  
Canberra ACT 2600

Dear Minister *Simon*

I am writing as required by paragraph 4.11 of the *Commonwealth Grants Rules and Guidelines 2017* to notify you of a grant that I approved in my electorate.

The grant was assessed as part of an open competitive, merit-based process and was recommended for approval by officials within my Department. Details of the grant are included in the table below.

Please contact Ms Caroline Fulton, Assistant Secretary, Creative Industries, in the Office for the Arts on 02 6271 1102 if you have any queries regarding this grant.

Grant opportunity	Live Music Australia
Grant activity	Equipment upgrades to support the establishment of The Concourse, a new live music venue in Northern Sydney.
Grantee	Century Venues The Concourse Pty Ltd
Grant funding location	409 Victoria Ave Chatswood NSW
Postcode	2067
Grant amount	\$39,910 (plus GST)
Grant term	6 months
Commencement date	On execution of grant agreement with Commonwealth

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10/11/2020