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ROUND TWO STRONG COUNTRY COMMUNITIES FUNDING

Narrandera Shire Council wishes to advise that Round Two of the NSW Government's Stronger Country Communities Fund (SCCF) will open for applications from Monday 12 March 2018.

Round Two of the SCCF will open for eight weeks with an increased focus on sporting infrastructure and an expanded scope of eligible projects to include street beautification and 'place making' activities, as well as general community amenity projects that help boost the liveability of our local community. Council anticipates receiving \$1.5 million to put towards community infrastructure projects, half of which will be dedicated to sport infrastructure projects. All proposed projects must meet the funding criteria including a minimum of \$50,000 per project.

For further information on the funding guidelines and assessment criteria visit the NSW Government website www.nsw.gov.au/strongercountrycommunities, or to discuss project ideas and eligibility contact the Council Projects Team on 02 6959 5510. Council will contact key stakeholders directly but all members of the community can participate by developing a project.

Mayor Kschenka said "I encourage all community groups and members who have a project in mind to notify Council immediately. With such a short timeframe it is essential that all project ideas are made known as soon as possible."

Proposed projects will need to be submitted to Council by 4pm Friday 6 April for eligibility assessment. Community groups will need to provide completed application forms for eligible projects to Council by 4pm Friday 20 April. All applications to SCCF can only be made by Council in accordance with the SCCF guidelines.

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