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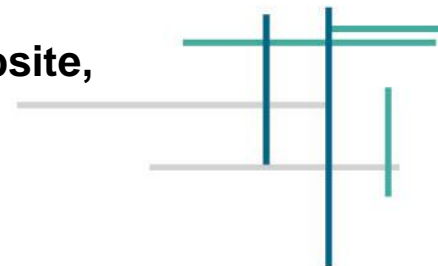We suggest you use Google Chrome as your browser.

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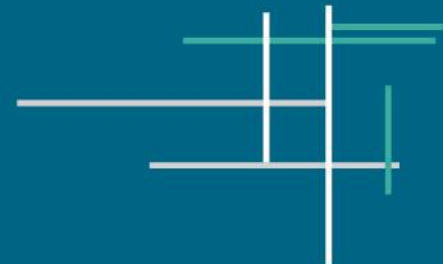
E-waste Infrastructure Grants – Round 2

Webinar/Information Session

Tuesday 20 February 2024

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Agenda

- Grants streams and maximum funding available

- Details of available funding ($)

- Focus materials and general grant information

- Multiple applications

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- Ineligible projects and costs

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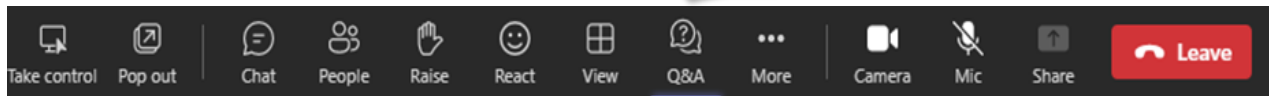
Grant Streams

STREAM 1

E-waste collection and storage and/or reuse

Provide additional safe, effective, and efficient collection options and storage of e-waste.

STREAM 2

E-waste reprocessing and recycling

Support industry capacity to reprocess e-waste, aligned with sustainable practices and transition to a circular economy.

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Grant description	Maximum grant amount
Stream 1: E-waste collection, storage and/or reuse grants • Collection and storage projects include fixed or semi-permanent e-waste infrastructure • Equipment that assists with the reuse of e-waste Funding is available for new or upgraded facilities to increase capability and capacity to manage and store e-waste before reuse or onward reprocessing. Projects must be developed using principles aligned with AS/NZS 5377:2022.	**$250,000**
Stream 2: E-waste reprocessing infrastructure grants Projects that increase capacity and capability in the state's e-waste management network and include equipment purchase and installation and new or upgraded infrastructure for e-waste reprocessing and recycling.	**$2 million**

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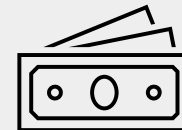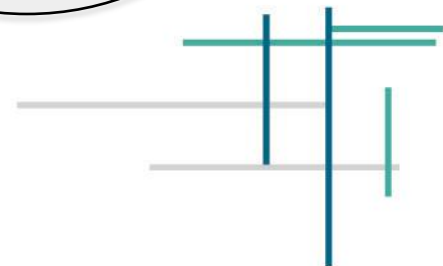Department of **Water and Environmental Regulation**

Available funding

$10.1 million

Round 1

$6.5 million in 2023

Round 2

Up to $3.5 million

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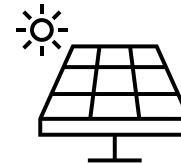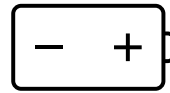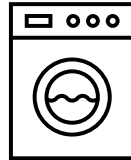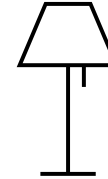Department of **Water and Environmental Regulation**

Focus materials

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General grant information

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E-waste Infrastructure Grants Program

Grants to support the e-waste to landfill ban by 2024

Last updated: 2 February 2024

The State Government is delivering a statewide ban on e-waste disposal to landfill by 2024.

The ban supports the objectives in the **Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Strategy 2030** ☐ to recover more valuable resources from waste and to protect the environment by managing waste responsibly.

The Department of Water and Environmental Regulation is administering $10 million in grant funding through competitive grant rounds. The grants will support the ban by funding increased e-waste collection, storage and/or reuse including e-waste processing/recycling.

The application process for Grant Round 1 closed on 31 March 2023.

Media Release: More than $6.5 million funding boost to WA e-waste projects.

The **application process for Grant Round 2** ☐ is open from 2 February 2024 to 29 March 2024.

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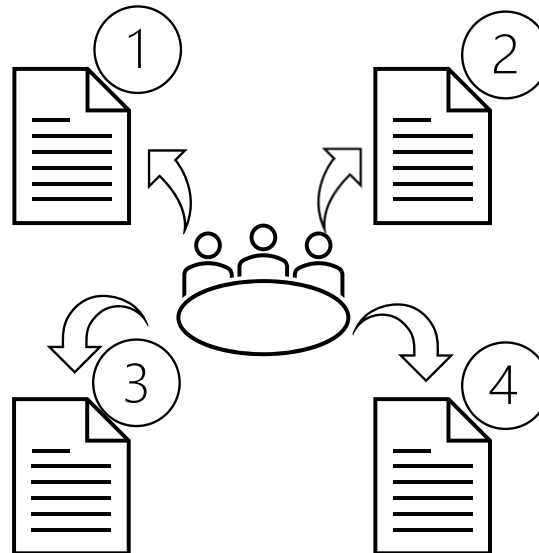
Multiple applications

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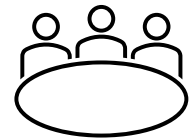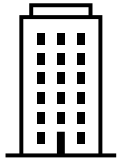
Who can apply?

- Businesses

- Local governments

- Regional councils

- Registered charities/not-for-profit organisations

- Organisations that ave a current ABN and/or ACN

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Grant eligibility

Eligibility requirements of both streams of funding	Stream specific eligibility
• Align with one or more the Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Strategy 2030 objectives	**Stream 1**
• Be based in, and deliver benefits to, Western Australia	• Increase e-waste collection and storage capacity or provide reuse opportunities.
• Align with relevant requirements in AS/NZS 5377:2022 for the collection, storage, transport, and treatment of end-of-life electrical and electronic equipment	• Provide collection infrastructure (semi-permanent or permanent) that facilitates improved e-waste bulk aggregation before onward processing (including buildings and manufactured transportable buildings).
• Advance industry best practice and align with Circular Economy principles	• Procure equipment that assists the reuse of e-waste, allowing the materials to remain within the supply chain for longer.
• Projects that fully support the e-waste ban to landfill	**Stream 2**
	• Increase processing and recycling opportunities.
	• Demonstrate e-waste processing technology advancements.
	• Divert precious metals and minimise hazardous substances from entering landfill.

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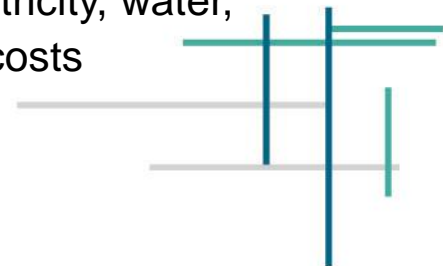
Ineligible projects

- Applications do not meet the eligibility criteria identified in these guidelines

- Projects are located outside of western Australia

- Construction and/or installation of infrastructure has started before signing a funding agreement with the department

- Applicants (including related entities and other project participants) are currently in breach of environmental or occupational health and safety standards or have failed to satisfactorily meet environment or safety legislation and cannot demonstrate steps they are taking to effectively resolve any breaches

- Projects are unable to demonstrate the financial capability to implement the project

- Projects are not primarily focused on e-waste

- Projects are not focused on improving the collection and storage of e-waste and/or improving capability and capacity to reuse or reprocess e-waste materials

- Projects are focused on the transportation of e-waste

- Projects or activities are focused on research, development, and demonstration

- Projects are focused on opportunity identification, concept screening, product development research, marketing concept development and feasibility studies

- Projects are focused on funding travel, participation in conferences, and other educational activities

- Projects are focused on funding advertising, signage, and related communications activities

- Applicants have failed to satisfactorily complete projects funded by any government agency, in the absence of reasonable explanation

- Projects do not demonstrate value for money

- Applications are submitted after the closing date

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Ineligible costs

- Land acquisition
- Staff, resourcing, salaries
- Preconstruction (site preparation) activities such as clearing, earthworks or site accessibility works
- Security and/or surveillance equipment
- Costs to establish and connect utilities to the site including electricity, water, and sewerage
- Costs of equipment not dedicated to the project purpose (for example, vehicles)
- Project management costs
- Certification, permit, licence, or related fees
- Compliance monitoring and management costs
- Vehicle and transport costs
- Contingency costs
- In-kind contributions
- Ongoing operational costs such as, but not limited to, salaries, electricity, water, rates, other utilities, overheads, engineering, design, or insurance costs

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What makes a successful application?

Avoid	Recover	Protect
Western Australians generate less waste.	*Western Australians recover more value and resources from waste.*	*Western Australians protect the environment by managing waste responsibly.*
⊙ **2025** – 10% reduction in waste generation per capita ⊙ **2030** – 20% reduction in waste generation per capita	⊙ **2025** – Increase material recovery to 70% ⊙ **2030** – Increase material recovery to 75% ⊙ **From 2020** – Recover energy only from residual waste	⊙ **2030** – No more than 15% of waste generated in Perth and Peel regions is landfilled ⊙ **2030** – All waste is managed and/or disposed to better practice facilities
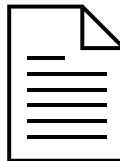
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How to apply

<https://dwer-env.smartygrants.com.au/>

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https://dwer-env.smartygrants.com.au/EIGR2

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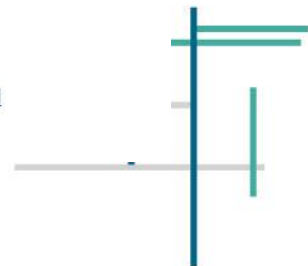
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Click here to view the E-waste Infrastructure Grants: Round 2 guidelines.

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Fill Out Now

This is a preview of the E-waste Infrastructure Grant Application Form R2 form. When you're ready to apply, click Fill Out Now to begin.

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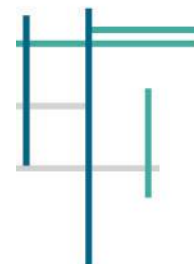9. 9. Review and submit

1. Introduction

The Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (the department) will administer grant funding provided by the Government of Western Australia (State Government) to support projects complementary to the ban on e-waste to landfill by 2024.

Projects funded will increase e-waste collection, storage, reuse, reprocessing and recycling capacity and capability under two streams.

- **Stream 1 – E-waste collection and storage and/or reuse:** provide additional safe, effective, and efficient collection options and storage of e-waste.
- **Stream 2 – E-waste reprocessing and recycling:** support industry capacity to reprocess e-waste, aligned with sustainable practices and transition to a circular economy.
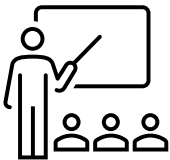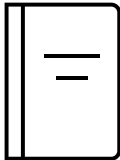
Before you begin

- Read the E-waste Infrastructure Grants - Round 2 Guidelines for more information.
- Consider your project in detail and be clear about your objectives, outputs and outcomes.
- Provide clear and concise responses and ensure all the requested documentation is attached.
- Applicants may submit multiple applications; however, they must be submitted for one stream or project at a time. Approval of multiple applications is not guaranteed.

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Evaluation Criteria

What?	**Who?**
How?	**Why?**

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Use SMART Key Performance Indicators (KPIs):

- **S**pecific
- **M**easurable
- **A**chievable
- **R**elevant
- **T**ime-bound

Example:

× increase drop-off storage capacity

✓increase e-waste storage capacity by 20 square meters, or approximately an (extra)100 e-waste items, allowing two days extra storage, maximising collection capacity, prior to onward processing.

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When will the project be delivered? What are the key deliverables? When will they be delivered?

Example:

Milestone	Due Date
✗ Agreement signed	Q2 24–25
✗ Commence pre works	Q3 24–25
✗ Project ends	Q4 24–25
✓ Commence stage 1, pour of 20sqm pad	30 July 2024
✓ Install metal shed and pour footings	15 September 2024

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6.3 Budget (all costs are to be excluding GST)

Please provide evidence of goods and services quotes that correspond with your project requirements.

Evidence can be attached at **6.5 Goods and Services**.

Expenditure Description	$ Grant Costs exc GST	$ Co-cont/In-kind costs exc GST
e.g., pour concrete slab, purchase conveyor belt		
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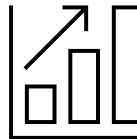Department of **Water and Environmental Regulation**
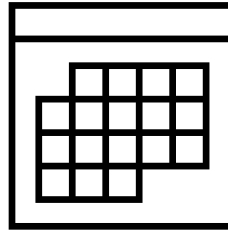
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Questions

Q&A