

## 2023 Fund Allocation Panel – Expression of Interest Form

### Your Fund Area

- ☐ Localities within Ararat Rural City
- ☐ **Clements Gap** Clements Gap, Crystal Brook, Redhill, Mundoora, Port Broughton, Wandearah
- ☐ **Crowlands** Crowlands, Landsborough, Glenlofty, Shays Flat, Dunneworthy, Eversley, Elmhurst, Amphitheatre, Barkly, Moonambel, Raglan, Redback, Natte Yallok and Lexton.
- ☐ **Great South West** Aringa, Codrington, Crossley, Killarney, Kirkstall, Koroit, Moyne, Orford, Port Fairy, Rosebrook St Helens, Toolong, Tower, Yambuk, Bolwarra, Cape Bridgewater, Cape Nelson South, Cashmore, Curries, Gorae, Heywood, Narrawong, Portland, Tarragal, Trewalla, Tyrendarra
- ☐ **Yaloak South** Beremboke, Rowsley and Mount Wallace
- ☐ **Haughton** Ayr, Brandon, Clare, Dalbeg, Giru, Home Hill, Millaroo

### Your Name

Name	Position
Mobile	Email

☐ Community Member

☐ Pacific Blue Employee

### Eligibility

- Must be 18 or over
- No conflict of interest (*Please note: if you are a member of community group that is applying to the Sustainable Communities Fund this year, you may not be eligible to participate in the Fund Allocation Panel*)
- Community members must reside within the Fund area.

### Responsibilities

All Fund Allocation Panel (FAP) Members must:

- Demonstrate Pacific Blue's **Values** and Culture Statements of: Cooperation, Action, Leadership, Innovation, Dedication, Adaptability, and Diversity.

- Provide objective recommendations based on the selection criteria outlined in Sustainable Community Fund (SCF) [Application Guidelines](#).
- Adhere to the principles outlined in the [Fund Allocation Panel Terms of Reference](#).
- Maintain privacy and confidentiality of Pacific Blue and SCF applicants at all times.
- Complete assessment of the applications before the Panel meets.
- Review applications and supporting documents to gain a good understanding of both the projects seeking funding and the SCF Guidelines prior to FAP meeting.
- Attend the FAP meeting.

### Skills and Experience

Pacific Blue makes appointments to the Fund Allocation Panel based on relevant skills and expertise in providing advice in relation to the Sustainable Communities Fund Selection Criteria.

This may include experience in finance or accounting; management; community; or one of the SCF key funding areas of health and welfare, education and training, arts and culture, environment, sport and recreation, and the health and wellbeing of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

In 200 words or less, please address what skills and experience you could bring to the Fund Allocation Panel.

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### Community Service and Volunteering

Please list any community groups or organisations you are involved with.

*NB: If any of these groups intends to submit an application to the SCF this year, you will not be eligible to sit on the Panel.*

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### Declaration

By submitting this expression of interest, I confirm that:

- I have read and agree with the [Fund Allocation Panel Terms of Reference](#)
- I will carry out duties as stated in the [Fund Allocation Panel Terms of Reference](#)
- I do not have any conflict of interest that would affect my ability to provide independent assessment on applications
- I state that all the information in this form is correct.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please email the 2023 Fund Allocation Panel – Expression of Interest Form to [communityfund@pacificBlue.com.au](mailto:communityfund@pacificBlue.com.au)

