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# Natural Disaster Risk Reduction Grant Program (NDRRGP)

Round 5 - approved projects

| Organisation   | Project Name   | Project Summary   | Funding   | Region |
|--|--|---|-----------|--------|
| Department of Natural<br>Resources and<br>Environment Tasmania | Remote area early fire detection camera network  | The project will establish a network of deployable camera/weather systems across some of the most remote parts of the Tasmanian landscape.  | \$150,198 | State  |
| Derwent Valley Council   | Derwent Valley Fire Resilience Project   | This project will assist the Derwent Valley municipality in the preparation of fire events and enable greater assistance in the event of a fire, targeting Lachlan, Molesworth, New Norfolk regional areas.   | \$33,163  | South  |
| Tasmania Fire Service  | Fire Resilience Project  | The project will assist the Lachlan and Tunnack regional areas in the preparation of fire events, increasing regional firefighting capability in areas of no reticulated water supply, low water pressure and high fire risk. It will increase awareness of the availability of water in the event of fire, and provide community preparedness information. | \$26,551  | South  |
| Local Government<br>Association Tasmania<br>(LGAT)             | Tasmanian Local Government<br>Emergency Management and Recovery<br>Audit                                     | This project will review the resourcing and approach for up to 18 (out of 25 applicable councils) in Tasmania in relation to meeting their obligations under the Tasmanian Emergency Management Act 2006 and the TEMA. WLF Accounting and Advisory will be utilised as an independent consultant for this review.   | \$180,000 | State  |
| Tasmanian Land<br>Conservancy                                  | Development of bushfire risk reduction<br>and prevention plans for nature<br>reserves of east coast Tasmania | The Tasmanian Land Conservancy aims to engage a qualified consultant to assess and analyse bushfire planned burning measures for a number of our east coast reserves. Based upon reserve based fire risk assessments, the project will develop implementation plans for an appropriate schedule of planning burning. The project will allow for             | \$28,563  | State  |



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|                                      |  | site specific burn plans to be prepared to reduce bushfire risk and maintain, enhance and protect the significant natural values.  |           |            |
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| Department of<br>Premier and Cabinet | Tasmanian Disaster Resilience Strategy<br>2026-2030 – Enhanced Consultation                      | This project aims to develop a five-year whole-of-government strategy and action plan for improving disaster resilience in Tasmania that aligns with relevant policy and legislation, and builds on the vision and goals of the current strategy.  | \$45,000  | State      |
| Brighton Council                     | Bushfire Risk Reduction Project  | Brighton Council will develop a Mt Dromedary Bushfire Management<br>Plan that has specific recommendations around critical infrastructure<br>upgrades to reduce bushfire risk in the region.   | \$35,000  | South      |
| Red Cross /<br>Kingborough Council   | Be Ready Bruny   | The project aims to increase risk awareness and motivate people to take action to mitigate risks. The project will help people prepare themselves and increase individual and community resilience for inevitable events. The project includes workshops and activities that bring community members together to identify local vulnerabilities and strengths which can then inform the development of locally appropriate disaster resilience action plans. | \$39,000  | South      |
| Wellington Park<br>Management Trust  | Reducing bushfire risk in Wellington<br>Park   | The project will revise the Wellington Park Fire Management Strategy in line with current best-practice disaster reduction strategies and policies.  | \$66,200  | South      |
| RSPCA Tasmania                       | READY, PET, GO! READY WALLETS  | RSPCA Tasmania are expanding on their previous project, and wil develop and produce of a READY, PET, GO Wallet for pet owners statewide.   | \$27,500  | State      |
| University of Tasmania               | Developing a Built Environment-Based<br>Screening Tool for Landslide<br>Vulnerability            | This project aims to assess current gaps in Tasmania's landslide vulnerability assessment, centring in Hobart and West Tamar councils. This project will include the development of a platform allowing current vulnerability models to interface with infrastructure-based datasets.  | \$108,062 | State      |
| University of Tasmania               | Quantifying Risk for Extreme<br>Landslides and Debris Flows for<br>Poatina and the Western Tiers | This project will analyse debris flow hazards and risks for one of Tasmania's most debris flow-prone area, leading to better   | \$102,563 | North-West |



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|                        |   | management of risks to critical infrastructure, transportation networks, and the general public.  |           |       |
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| University of Tasmania | Upgrading Hobart's Stormwater<br>Infrastructure for Debris Flow<br>Protection | This project aims to guide near-future modifications and upgrades of Hobart's existing stormwater system that will simultaneously reduce impacts of flash floods and debris flows. It will use state-of-theart numerical modelling to simulate the impacts of various changes to stormwater infrastructure on both hazards. By simulating the complex interaction between flood water, debris flows, and stormwater infrastructure, these models will quantify the benefits of various structural interventions in protecting against both types of channelised flow. | \$104,299 | South |
| Tasman Council         | Improved Resilience for Nubeena NBN<br>Fixed Wireless Broadband network       | This project aims to reduce the number and length of broadband outages before, during and after natural disasters, by installing a generator with a fuel tank at the Nubeena nbn Fixed Wireless site.   | \$46,310  | South |