



Applications are open for the first round of community grants through ACEN Australia's 2024 Social Investment Program, previously known as Uralla Grants.

Grants, sponsorships and donations of up to \$5,000 will be provided to organisations in Uralla Shire and surrounds through the New England Solar Social Investment Program in 2024. **Visit the New England Solar website** or see the back of this flyer for more information.

APPLY NOW. Applications close 29 March 2024.

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Renewable Energy from ACEN

Uralla Netball Club has new equipment and player development programs thanks to support from our Social Investment Program

What could SIP do for your organisation?

Our commitment to the Uralla community

ACEN Australia's Social Investment Program (SIP) provides funding for eligible individuals and organisations contributing to **building thriving and resilient communities in Uralla Shire and surrounds.**

SIP guidelines, including who is eligible for grants, are available on the New England Solar website. Preference for funding is given to activities that deliver benefits in at least one of **ACEN's value areas: community enhancement & resilience, education & work, reconciliation, and environment.**



Over the past three years, the New England SIP has **contributed \$200,000 to groups in the Uralla Shire.** A total of \$150,000 is available in 2024, split between two rounds and allocated by a Community Reference Group to provide local knowledge and transparency to the process.

From 2024, the Social Investment Program has been expanded to include a **Future Fund focused on strategic, regional long-term investments.**

Updates about both streams of funding will be provided on the New England Solar website.

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