



Regional Economic Development (RED) Grants – 2021-22

The Goldfields-Esperance Development Commission (GEDC) received 21 RED Grant applications across the 2021-22 round. Applicants were seeking in excess of \$3.1 million in funding to support projects to the total value of \$7.7 million.

Goldfields-Esperance RED Grant Program 2021-22 recipients include:

Recipient name	Project	Amount
Australian Potash Limited	<i>Laverton Training Centre (LTC):</i> Establishment of a training centre to provide vocational training programs for local Aboriginal people in the Northern Goldfields. The funding will support purchase of equipment for the training facility and a 4WD vehicle to enable participants to access the centre from remote communities.	\$250,000
Esperance Diving and Fishing	<i>Access Esperance:</i> Creation of fully accessible, customised holiday apartments and office space, enabling the business to target the growing accessible tourism market. The business will package the accommodation with existing accessible vehicle hire, tours and local carer services, offering a complete accessible holiday experience in Esperance.	\$200,000
Goldfields Machining Pty Ltd	<i>Hydraulic Cylinder Repair Bench:</i> Funding will support the purchase of a Hydraulic Cylinder Repair Bench to enable on-site pressure testing, digital reporting and laser stroke measurement. The bench will increase service provision to the local mining sector, providing diagnostic and repair services on cylinders previously requiring transport to Perth.	\$75,000
Yirri Grove Pty Ltd	<i>Increasing Productivity of award winning Yirri Grove Olive Oil:</i> Funding will expand the farm shop and restaurant to enhance visitors' paddock-to-plate experience. This project will also support increased business operations through an extension of the olive oil processing facility, as well as addition olive trees to cater for future demand.	\$60,000
Shire of Dundas	<i>Dundas-Ngadju Timber Utilisation and Diversification:</i> Working with Ngadju (Traditional Owners), the Shire of Dundas will mill waste timber from mine site clearing to develop a saleable timber product. Project will supply timber through the Forest Products Commission and to Ngadju for local production with the Men's Shed.	\$200,000

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