**Media Release**

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***TURSA* Announces $1 Million Community Grant Program to Celebrate 30th Anniversary**

Tursa Employment & Training is pleased to announce the launch of the ***TURSA Community Grant Program***. With a total funding pool of $1,000,000, this program aims to support and empower local not-for-profit organisations.

An initiative of the Board of Directors as part of *TURSA’s* 30 year anniversary, it is designed to enhance the capacity of local not-for-profits to deliver impactful programs, strengthen support networks for vulnerable people, and promote collaboration among community organisations and other stakeholders.

*Chairperson* Glenn Costello said that “This represents a significant investment back into the communities we serve. As we celebrate our 30th anniversary, we believe it is fitting to support and recognise other local organisations that share *TURSA’s* passion for helping vulnerable individuals have a brighter future.”

 **Key Details of the *TURSA* Community Grants Program:**

* **Total Funding:** $1,000,000
* **Grant Amount:** Up to $30,000 per grant or more
* **Application Deadline:** June 13, 2025
* **Notification of Successful Applicants:** July – August 2025

**Eligibility Criteria:**

* Must be a registered not-for-profit organisation with ACNC and an active ABN.
* Operate within *TURSA’s* service areas.
* Preferably have an annual turnover of less than $2 million.

For more information and to apply, please visit [TURSA Community Grant Program](https://www.tursa.com.au/articles/community-grant-program/).

*Company Secretary*, Debbie Fry is delighted to have been part of a three-decade span working with a committed Team that has built a responsive and successful not-for-profit organisation that focuses on supporting Participants access employment and training opportunities, and related support services.

Debbie commented “that the *TURSA Community Grant Program* is a key component of recognising our 30th Gala Year in June 2025, and a testament to *TURSA’s* ongoing commitment to making a positive impact across communities.”

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