



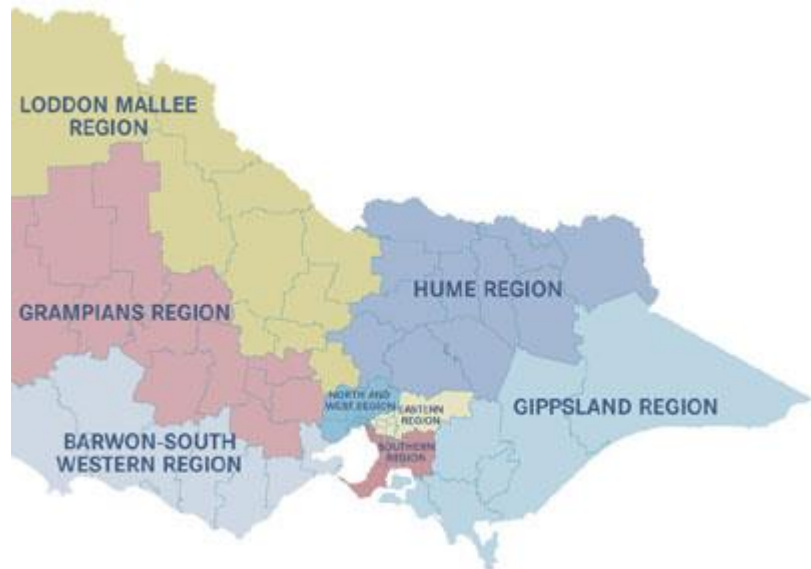
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Rural and Regional Victoria

Projects in this category must be located in an LGA (local government area) in one of the five Victorian regions which comprise rural and regional Victoria (as [defined by the Victorian Government](#)).

These regions are:

- Loddon Mallee
- Grampians
- Hume
- Barwon-South West
- Gippsland



Not sure of your LGA?

Use <https://knowyourcouncil.vic.gov.au/councils> to look up local towns/cities to identify your LGA. You will be asked for this information in your application.

Region	LGA
Barwon-South West	Colac Otway Shire, Corangamite Shire, Glenelg Shire, Greater Geelong, Moyne Shire, Southern Grampians Shire, Surf Coast Shire, Warrnambool City
Gippsland	Bass Coast Shire, Baw Baw Shire, East Gippsland Shire, Latrobe City, South Gippsland Shire, Wellington Shire
Grampians	Ararat Rural City, City of Ballarat, Golden Plains Shire, Hepburn Shire, Hindmarsh Shire, Horsham Rural City, Moorabool Shire, Northern Grampians, Pyrenees Shire, West Wimmera Shire, Yarriambiack Shire
Hume	Alpine Shire, Benalla Rural City, City of Wodonga, Greater Shepparton, Indigo Shire, Mansfield Shire, Mitchell Shire, Moira Shire, Murrindindi Shire, Strathbogie Shire, Towong Shire, Wangaratta Rural City
Loddon Mallee	Buloke Shire, Campaspe Shire, Central Goldfields Shire, City of Greater Bendigo, Gunnawarra Shire, Loddon Shire, Macedon Ranges Shire, Mildura Rural City, Mount Alexander Shire, Swan Hill Rural City

Activities within the following LGAs are not considered as taking place in rural and regional Victoria:

Greater Melbourne comprising: Eastern region North & West region Southern region	Eastern: Boroondara, Knox, Manningham, Maroondah, Monash, Whitehorse and the Yarra Ranges; North & West: Banyule, Brimbank, Darebin, Hobsons Bay. Hume, Maribyrnong, Melbourne, Melton, Moonee Valley, Moreland, Nillumbik, Whittlesea, Wyndham and Yarra. Southern: Bayside, Casey, Cardinia, Frankston, Glen Eira, Greater Dandenong, Kingston, Mornington Peninsula, Port Phillip and Stonnington.
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