

# Local Grant Application Form



## Instructions

Please read carefully:

- Read this application form in full before you start filling it in. It is easier to complete an application if you have the information you need at your fingertips.
- Please see Section 1 of the [Community Grant Policy](#) to ensure you are eligible.
- All applications are to be submitted 15 clear working days prior to the Community Board meeting where the application will be considered. Deadlines dates are on Council's website [www.fndc.govt.nz](http://www.fndc.govt.nz)
- **Incomplete, late, or non-complying** applications will not be accepted.
- Applicants who have failed to complete a Project Report for previous funding granted within the last five years are not eligible for funding.
- **If there's anything on this form you're not sure of**, please contact the Community Development team at freephone 0800 920 029, or [funding@fndc.govt.nz](mailto:funding@fndc.govt.nz) – we're happy to help.
- **Send your completed form** to [funding@fndc.govt.nz](mailto:funding@fndc.govt.nz) or to any Council service centre

The following **must** be submitted along with this application form:

- Quotes (or evidence of costs) for all items listed as total costs on pg 3
- Most recent bank statements and (signed) annual financial statements
- Programme/event/project outline
- A health and safety plan
- Your organisation's business plan (if applicable)
- If your event is taking place on Council land or road/s, evidence of permission to do so
- Signed declarations on pgs 5-6 of this form

## Applicant details

Organisation	Be Free Inc, Youth Mentoring programme <small>Be Free Inc, Youth Mentoring programme</small>	Number of Members	
Postal Address	188a Waipapa West Road, RD2, Kerikeri	Post Code	0295
Physical Address	as above	Post Code	
Contact Person	Claire Gordon	Position	Chair Person
Phone Number	09 407 1506	Mobile Number	021 883 616
Email Address	musicplacekerikeri@gmail.com,		

Please briefly describe the purpose of the organisation.

We run a weekly Youth programme whereby we aim to provide a supportive environment for our Youth to learn coping skills and strategies that will enable them to become resilient youngsters, better equipped to deal with diversity and work through challenges that they encounter.

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## Project Details

Which Community Board is your organisation applying to (see map Schedule A)?

- Te Hiku       Kaikohe-Hokianga       Bay of Islands-Whangaroa

Clearly describe the project or event:

Name of Activity  Date

Location  Time

Will there be a charge for the public to attend or participate in the project or event?  Yes  No

If so, how much?

Outline your activity and the services it will provide. Tell us:

- Who will benefit from the activity and how; and
- How it will broaden the range of activities and experiences available to the community.

This event (Battle of the Teen Bands) is aimed bringing together the youth from our wider region and show-casing their talents. For our Be Free Youth, the Event is their 'group goal' - this is one of the ways in which the Youth are able to see the outcome of their work, both mentoring & musicianship. The personal growth that they have made during the programme will have enabled their ability to work as a group, supporting each other and succeeding in meeting their goals. It is also part of their remit to 'give back to and participate in', their Community. The event was heavily subsidised last year by The Turner Centre, who also donated the use of the Auditorium. This enabled us to put on a really successful evening which saw a good number of youngsters from the wider region, from Kaitiā to Kawakawa participating, and enabled us to begin to build meaningful relationships with other Youth organisations. Without events such as this, it is difficult for us to promote the great work that our Youngsters are doing, to showcase their achievements and growth which is the inspiration for other youngsters to join. The age range of the Youth on the programme is from 11 years to 19 years, and we find it crucial that we can work to meet the varying needs of the youngsters, dependant on their age and circumstances. For our senior youth, this event offers them the opportunity to work alongside the organisers of Be Free & staff of the Turner Centre in the organisation and production and mc-ing of the Event, giving some valuable work experience. Those that will benefit from the experience of the Event will not only be the many Youth participating (up to 100) but their peers, whānau, and community as they celebrate and enjoy the hard work, dedication and talent of the youth within our community. The Event provides the opportunity to collaborate with other youth community groups. For this year's event, we want the Youth to film and produce a video of the Event, so this can bring in one of the local theatre companies, and we will invite local dance companies to entertain during band change-overs. The Turner Centre are keen to continue to work with us to promote this Event, and would like this year to put on a bigger production (ie sound & lighting), which comes at a cost. Therefore, whilst we are usually able to meet the costs of this Event through our own fund-raising efforts, this year we will require some additional help for which we are requesting. Funding from the FNDC.

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## Project Cost

Provide a detailed costs estimate for the activity. Funding requested may not exceed 50% of the total cost.

Total Cost - provide the **total** amount of the estimated quoted cost against the appropriate item.

Amount Requested - provide (against the item) the amount the Board is being requested to contribute.

### Please Note:

- You need to provide quotes (or evidence of costs) for everything listed in the total costs column
- If your organisation is GST registered, all requested amounts must be GST exclusive.
- Do not enter cents – round the values up or down to the nearest dollar
- Do not use the dollar sign (\$) – just enter the dollar value
- If you are applying for operating costs of a programme, please attach a programme outline

Expenditure	Total Cost	Amount Requested
Rent/Venue Hire	1840	1000
Advertising/Promotion	350	175
Facilitator/Professional Fees <sup>2</sup>		
Administration (incl. stationery/copying)	400	200
Equipment Hire		
Equipment Purchase (describe)		
Utilities		
Hardware (e.g. cement, timber, nails, paint)		
Consumable materials (craft supplies, books)		
Refreshments	100	50
Travel/Mileage		
Volunteer Expenses Reimbursement	100 (Koha)	50
Wages/Salary		not applicable
Volunteer Value (\$20/hr)	\$1200	not applicable
Other (describe)		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>3990</b>	<b>1475</b>

<sup>2</sup> If the application is for professional or facilitator fees, a job description or scope of work must be attached.

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## Financial Information

Is your organisation registered for GST?  Yes  No GST Number

How much money does your organisation currently have?

How much of this money is already committed to specific purposes?

List the purpose and the amounts of money already tagged or committed (if any):

Purpose	Amount
Foundation North Funds are for the running and provision of the Youth Programme.	\$18,944
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$18,944</b>

Please list details of all other funding secured or pending approval for this project (minimum 50%):

Funding Source	Amount	Approved
PRIVATE SPONSORSHIP	500.00	Yes / <u>Pending</u>
BE FREE INC.	815.00	<u>Yes</u> / Pending
DONATION : TURNER CENTRE (USE OF AUDITORIUM)	1250.00	<u>Yes</u> / Pending
		Yes / Pending
		Yes / Pending

Please state any previous funding the organisation has received from Council over the last five years:

Purpose	Amount	Date	Project Report Submitted
FNDCCONCERT FUNDING	10,000	26.02.15	<u>Y</u> / N
FNDCCONCERT FUNDING	10,000	23.03.16	<u>Y</u> / N
CREATIVENZ CONCERT FUNDING	1,848	22.12.16	<u>Y</u> / N
BOI WHANGAROA	1,323	MARCH 2018	<u>Y</u> / N

PREVIOUS FUNDING CONTINUED :

TE HIKU	1,945	MAR 2018	Y
BOI WHANGAROA	4,353	MAR 2019	Y
TE HIKU	1,000	MAR 2019	Y
BOI WHANGAROA	2,279	MAR 2020	Y
TE HIKU	1,500	MAR 2020	Y
CREATIVE COMMUNITIES CD	700	NOV 2019	Y



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## Privacy Information

The information you have provided on this form is required so that your application for funding can be processed. Once this application is lodged with the Council it becomes public information and may be made available on the Council's website. **If there is sensitive information in the proposal or personal details you wish to be withheld, please advise.** These details are collected to inform the general public and community groups about all funding applications which have been submitted to the Far North District Council.

## Applicant Declaration

*This declaration must be signed by two people from your organisation who are 18 years of age or older with the authority to sign on behalf of the organisation. Signatories cannot be an undischarged bankrupt, cannot be immediately related, cannot be partners, and cannot live at the same address. They must have a daytime contact phone number and be contactable during normal business hours.*

On behalf of: (full name of organisation)


BE FREE INC.

We, the undersigned, declare the following:

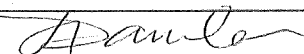
In submitting this application:

1. We have the authority to commit our organisation to this application and we have been duly authorised by our governing body.
2. We acknowledge and agree that the Far North District Council may disclose or obtain information related to the funding of the organisation from any other government department or agenda, private person, or organisation.
3. We have attached our organisation's most recent statement of income and expenditure, annual accounts, or other financial documents that demonstrate its ability to manage a grant.
4. Individuals associated with our organisation will not receive a salary or any other pecuniary gain from the proceeds of any grant money arising from this application.
5. The details given in all sections of this application are true and correct to the best of our knowledge, and reasonable evidence has been provided to support our application.
6. We have the following set of internal controls in place:
  - Two signatories to all bank accounts (if applicable)
  - A regularly maintained and current cashbook or electronic equivalent
  - A person responsible for keeping the financial records of the organisation
  - A regularly maintained tax record (if applicable)
  - A regularly maintained PAYE record (if applicable)
  - The funding and its expenditure shown as separate entries in the cash book or as a note to the accounts
  - Tracking of different funding, e.g. through a spreadsheet or journal entry
  - Regular financial reporting to every full meeting of the governing body

Signatory One



Signatory Two





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## We agree to the following conditions if we are funded by Local Community Grant Funding:

1. To uplift any funding granted within 3 months of the date on the letter of agreement. Failure to do so will result in loss of the grant money.
2. To spend the funding within 12 months of the date of grant approval unless written approval for an extension is obtained from Council before that 12 month period ends.
3. To spend the funding only for the purpose(s) approved by Far North District Council unless written approval for a change of purpose(s) is obtained **in advance** from the Community Board.
4. To return to the Far North District Council any portion of the funding that we do not spend. If our payment includes GST we will return the GST component of the amount to be returned.
5. To acknowledge the receipt of Community Board funds as a separate entry in our accounts, or in a note to our accounts, in our organisation's annual report.
6. To acknowledge any financial contribution from Far North District Council on signage and in any publicity relating to the project. Contact Governance Support for digital imagery.
7. To make available any files or records that relate to the expenditure of this funding for inspection if requested by the Far North District Council or its auditors.
8. To complete and return a Project Report within **two months** of the end of the project, or, if the activity is ongoing, within two months of the funding being spent. Applicants who fail to provide a project report within this timeframe will not be considered for funding for stand-down period of five years.
9. To inform the Far North District Council of significant changes in our organisation before this application has been considered, or the funding has been fully used and accounted for (such as change in contact details, office holders, financial situation, intention to wind up or cease operations, or any other significant event).
10. To lay a complaint with the Police and notify the Far North District Council immediately if any of the funding is stolen or misappropriated.

### Signatory One

Name  Position   
Postal Address  Post Code   
Phone Number  Mobile Number   
Signature  Date

### Signatory Two

Name  Position   
Postal Address  Post Code   
Phone Number  Mobile Number   
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## **Schedule of Supporting Documentation**

### **BE FREE – BATTLE OF THE BANDS**

**The following supporting documentation has been provided in support of the grant application and is emailed under separate cover.**

<b>1</b>	<b>Quote from Bread and Butter – Design and Social Media</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Quote from Turner Centre</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Treasurer's Report</b>