

**Update re NSW Government Heritage Grants
Applications re-open October 2012 for the [2013-2015 NSW Heritage Grants program](#).**

This circular is an update of a circular previously issued via email to all parishes on 15 November 2010.

Dear Minister and Wardens,

The NSW Government has announced that applications will re-open in October 2012 under the [2013-2015 NSW Heritage Grants program](#) (previously known as the 2011-2013 grants program). Therefore, the purpose of this circular is to remind Anglican Parishes in the Diocese of Sydney about this particular grant funding program, and its various funding categories in order to provide sufficient time for draft submissions to be substantially prepared before applications officially open in October 2012.

Applications are likely to be invited by the NSW Government across a range of categories similar to the 2011-2013 grants program and which are relevant to parishes in the Anglican Church Diocese of Sydney –

- [Works projects](#) ("Dollar for dollar" grants from \$12,500 up to \$75,000);
- [Works projects for residential and commercial properties](#) ("Dollar for dollar" grants from \$12,500 up to \$75,000);
- [On-ground interpretation projects](#) ("Dollar for dollar" grants from \$5,000 up to \$20,000); and
- [Conservation management documents](#) ("Dollar for dollar" up to \$5,000);

Based on discussions with the NSW Heritage Branch, it is likely that priority will be given to applications made in relation to existing State Heritage Register listed items. However, if a heritage item is shown as being an 'item of state heritage significance' in the Schedule of a Local Council Local Environmental Plan, or, if an item has been assessed by an independent heritage specialist as being of state heritage significance, it may also be eligible for funding.

Information about eligibility criteria and how to apply is still available via the 2011-2013 grant funding link → [2011-2013 NSW Heritage Grants program](#). However, please note that the precise amounts funding available, the eligibility criteria and also how to apply may vary for the 2013-2015 round of grant funding.

As mentioned applications for the 2013 - 2015 NSW Heritage Grant Funding program will open during October 2012. Therefore, information about the funding available, eligibility criteria and how to apply will be available at that time from the [NSW Heritage Branch Website](#).

We recommend that proposed applications be discussed with the SDS Parish Property Services team (contact details following) with a view to ensuring that your application is lodged with the Heritage Branch well before the closing date (which will probably be during December 2012).

Grant funding and other parish property-related queries should be directed to your ACPT Regional Manager.

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Kind Regards,

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