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OBJECTIVES

The Pelican Foundation is a trust established in 1983 under the trusteeship of the Anglican Church Property Trust Diocese of Canberra and Goulburn, for the purpose of receiving and managing investment and distribution of funds that come from a ministry unit or diocesan agency following the sale of surplus property, or from individuals (Donors) who gift or bequeath money or property to the Pelican Foundation.

The assets of the Pelican Foundation are managed by the Board of the Pelican Foundation and the Registrar of the Diocese is the Secretary of the Board.

The Pelican Foundation must deliver against specific Diocesan Mission objectives. It functions as a means of expressing the vision of the Diocese and is therefore a mechanism for “changing lives and transforming communities” (Diocesan Mission Initiatives 2020).

Preference for funding in 2016-2018 will be given to projects that expand the mission of God by:

- focusing on developing missional leaders.

Eligibility

Under the terms of the Pelican Foundation Deed, the Foundation can only make grants available for purposes that are consistent with the Objectives of the Pelican Foundation and the current Mission Plan of the Diocese.

- Grants are made available to assist the Diocese or a particular parish or diocesan institution for projects that are strictly charitable in the legal sense.
- There is an expectation of a co-contribution in cash, or in kind, by applicants to the project.
- Grants will not be made available for capital projects such as building renovations, to fund parish budget deficits, both real and de-facto, or to fund stipends of incumbents.

Application - Preliminary Information

Grant applications will be considered and grants may be given to support a missional leader up to \$10,000 annually.

The application form is to be used when applying for a grant during a set funding round.

- **Applications Close on 30 June of any year**
- **Assessment of Applications** will take place during July to August and successful applicants will be informed in September.
- The **Declaration must also be signed and submitted with a hard copy of the application.**
- **Your application form must be lodged** with the Diocesan Office by 5.00pm on the due date either by post (GPO Box 1981, Canberra, ACT, 2601) or emailed to the Registrar pelicanboard@anglicancg.org.au.
- **Acknowledgement of your application** will be sent to you either by post or email.

The Application Form is a separate document which can be downloaded from the Registry website: www.anglicancg.org.au.