

# Media Release

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### Community Water Grants Round 2 – NOW OPEN

The Lower Murray Darling Catchment Management Authority (LMD CMA) would like to let Catchment landholders know that Round 2 of Community Water Grants will open on 1 July 2006 and close on 25 August 2006. [www.australia.gov.au/communitywatergrants](http://www.australia.gov.au/communitywatergrants)

Mr Mark King, Chair of LMD CMA said “groups are encouraged to start preparing their projects and getting technical letters of support now. This is an opportunity for applications for projects that address water savings, show value for money and demonstrate benefits to the community from these projects.”

“These grants can be up to \$50,000 and they do not require dollar for dollar support. This is a real opportunity for community groups such as schools, sporting clubs and local governments. To assist groups with their applications, the LMD CMA and the Community Water Grant Team will be holding a series of workshops in the region during July.” he said.

“I would encourage groups to take advantage of the local workshops conducted by LMD CMA to better understand the guidelines and criteria for the process.”

Local workshops will be held:

- **Broken Hill** – Thursday 13 July 2006 from 5.30pm till 7.30pm at the Broken Hill City Council Chambers. Light refreshments available.
- **Menindee** – Friday 14 July 2006 from 9.30am till 11.30am at the Rural Transaction Centre. Morning tea provided.
- **Wentworth** – Friday 14 July from 4.30pm till 6.30pm at the Memorial Rooms in Darling Street, Wentworth. Afternoon tea provided. Organisations from Victoria are welcome to attend this workshop.
- **Tooleybuc** – Friday 7 July from 11.00am till 1.00pm in the Tooleybuc Sports Club – groups from the eastern end of the Catchments should attend.

Community groups can get further support and information on preparing their applications by contacting either Jill French (LMD CMA) on 03 5021 9460 for LMD Catchment or Jacinta Martin (Mallee CMA) on 03 5051 4377 for Victorian catchment landholders.

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