

2020 Bill Ussher Community Grants

Terms and Conditions



bcu is a division of Police & Nurses Limited ABN 69 087 651 876 AFSL No. 240701 Australian Credit Licence No. 240701
Level 3 Coffs Central Shopping Centre, 35-61 Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour, NSW, 2450

1. Submitting a nomination for a contribution or submitting a vote for a nominee group constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions.
2. This program is operated by bcu (a division of Police & Nurses Limited, ABN 69 087 651 876) (**bcu**). bcu's head office is located at Shop 52 Coffs Central Shopping Centre, 35 Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour 2450.
3. By making a nomination, the person making the nomination (**Applicant**) applies for bcu to choose the nominated community or not-for-profit group (**Nominee**) to be featured on a designated webpage, where bcu members can vote for the Nominee to receive a cash contribution from bcu.
4. Nominations may only be made by current members of bcu, who have been members for at least 6 months at the time of making the nomination.
5. Nominations must be made in the manner and form specified by bcu from time to time.
6. Qualifying members of bcu may only make one nomination each. bcu will then shortlist Nominees, and contact the shortlisted Nominees directly to obtain their consent to being nominated and to obtain additional information for placement on bcu's website. bcu will then choose to accept up to 20 consenting shortlisted Nominees, as determined by bcu, and feature them on a designated webpage, where bcu members can vote for the chosen Nominees to receive a cash contribution from bcu (with the chosen Nominees being **Featured Nominees**).
7. bcu members will be able to vote for their preferred Featured Nominee via a designated webpage.
8. Nominations will close on Friday 6th November, 2020. Voting will then commence on Friday 11th December, 2020 and close Monday 21st December, 2020.
9. bcu will award the contributions as following; \$3,000 to the ten Featured Nominees with the most member votes. \$2,000 will be awarded to the remaining Featured Nominees.
10. bcu will notify Featured Nominees of the result of member voting in writing within three working days after the nomination period ends at their nominated electronic address. The Featured Nominees' details will also be published online at <https://www.bcu.com.au/why-bcu/community-engagement> within one week of the member vote closing.
11. Prior to bcu making a financial contribution to a Featured Nominee:
 - a. bcu will require the Featured Nominee to specify a bank account to receive a transfer of the relevant amount, which must be in the name of the Featured Nominee;
 - b. bcu will require the Nominee to confirm its identity and existence prior to bcu transferring funds into the Nominee's designated account;
 - c. The Featured Nominee must consent to and satisfy the requirements in these terms and conditions to the satisfaction of bcu.

12. bcu may cancel or vary any contribution, at the discretion of bcu.
13. Where a Featured Nominee has not satisfied the requirements in these terms and conditions to receive a contribution within six months of being notified by bcu of the result of member voting, the contribution will be cancelled.
14. Featured Nominees must agree to refrain from allowing any banks, financial institutions, financial planning advisors, Credit Societies, Credit Unions or organisations promoting mortgage and personal loan products from becoming a major sponsor of the Featured Nominee for 12 months after the date of receipt.
15. Featured Nominees are not entitled to use the name or any marks of bcu without the prior consent of bcu. Featured Nominees must seek and receive approval from bcu (with at least 48 hours advance notice) before publishing any material with the bcu logo on it.
16. Featured Nominees must not make a profit that benefits an individual.
17. Featured Nominees must agree to participate and cooperate as required in all editorial activities relating to the contribution, including but not limited to being interviewed and photographed. Featured Nominees (and their representatives) must grant bcu a perpetual and non-exclusive licence to use such footage and photographs in all media worldwide, including online social networking sites, and the Featured Nominee (and its representatives) will not be entitled to any fee for such use.
18. As part of a nomination bcu will request some basic information and a photo of the Nominee. These details and photograph will be displayed on the [https:// www.bcu.com.au/why-bcu/community-engagement](https://www.bcu.com.au/why-bcu/community-engagement) for members to view during the voting and for the general public to view once the contribution has been awarded. By providing this image to bcu, the Applicant and Nominee grant their consent to the information and the photo being published on the website <https://www.bcu.com.au/why-bcu/community-engagement>
19. bcu may change the voting dates for members when necessary.
20. bcu is not liable for any losses, injury or damage that may occur directly or indirectly from the use of any contributions.
21. bcu's decision in relation to any aspect of the contributions is final. No correspondence will be entered into.
22. bcu reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions at any time.
23. The bcu Privacy Policy contains information about how Applicants may access and seek correction of their personal information held by bcu and make a complaint about a breach of the Applicant's privacy rights, and how bcu deals with complaints.
24. Featured Nominees must operate primarily in Australia and the contribution must benefit Australian based initiatives.
25. Contributions received by Featured Nominees cannot be used for fundraising or a donation to another charitable organisation.