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MEDIA RELEASE

Final call out to apply for Community Fund's \$1 million

The deadline for local groups to apply for the last round of Shenhua Watermark's Community fund is fast approaching.

Shenhua's Community Fund Committee is seeking proposals from local groups and individuals for the last tranche of \$1 million in funding. Applications must be submitted by Friday 15 November 2013.

Shenhua Watermark's Community Liaison Officer, Debbie Watson encourages all members of the Gunnedah and Liverpool Plains community to apply.

"This is the final week for the community to submit their ideas to the Committee and we'd like to receive as many applications as possible for projects that are of benefit the region," Mrs Watson said.

The focus this year as outlined by the Committee is to fund projects with an environmental and indigenous focus however other areas will not be excluded from consideration.

The objective of the fund is to support the development of the region's economy, enhance and maintain the environment, improve important local facilities and develop and promote training and employment opportunities.

Shenhua Watermark established a \$5 million Community Fund as part of the Exploration Licence granted by the State Government and so far, \$4 million has been spent in the community.

All applicants must complete an Application Form which is available either on the website: <http://www.shenhuawatermark.com/>, by contacting Shenhua Watermark reception on 6741 8800 or by emailing communityfund@shenhuawatermark.com

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