

NSW Local Landcare Coordinators Initiative Factsheet 4

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Landcare Future Fund

The Landcare Future Fund Initiative is the component of the NSW Government's \$15 million 2015-2019 NSW Local Landcare Coordinators Initiative that will help ensure the Landcare model is sustainable.

This initiative will extend the support provided into the future by researching and creating mechanisms for achieving a self-sustaining Landcare model that:

- supports Landcare NSW volunteers, local coordinators and support
- is entrepreneurial
- derives investment from diverse community, corporate, philanthropic and government sources.

It is not for on-ground works.

How will it work?

The Landcare Future Fund will be run as a project of the Joint Management Committee, with a dedicated part-time project officer employed by Landcare NSW to help develop the fund and manage external contracting.

A skills-based committee will:

- examine the options
- complete a cost benefit analysis
- model the different options.

A variety of short-term services (for example, sponsorship and membership expertise) will be procured as needed to assist the committee in the development of the fund.

The Future Fund will use the data collected by the local Landcare Coordinators and through the Landcare Community of Practice to develop a business case for investment into the Landcare Future Fund.



More information

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