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Guidelines

General Assessment Criteria

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1. Consistency of proposal with identified regional priorities as determined by the futures planning process and other planning processes.
2. The sustainability of the project and the extent to which it will be of benefit to the region.
3. The extent to which Commonwealth funding is needed to realise the project, and the absence of relevant programmes from other Commonwealth agencies and other tiers of Government to fund the project.
4. The provision of sufficient funds and other involvement by the proponent to ensure success of the project.
5. The level of support for the proposal from within the Region, and support from other sources including other spheres of government and the private sector.
6. Demonstrated project management experience to undertake the project including the provision of a project budget and ability to meet Government reporting requirements.
7. The project does not compete directly with existing businesses, unless it can be shown that there is an unsatisfied demand for the product/service or the product/service can be provided in a new way.

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Mandatory Requirements

8. Retrospective funding will not be permitted for any projects.
9. The project should not be inconsistent with other Federal Government policy objectives and relevant law.
10. Proposals must comply with relevant planning and environment laws.

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