

Sheep & Goat IFS Wild Dog Program EOI - 2024

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Sheep & Goat IFS - Wild Dog management research program - EOI 2024

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Grant program, privacy and consent.

Effective wild dog management relies on a multifaceted approach, working in an integrated and coordinated manner with landholders, Recognised Biosecurity Groups (RBG's), Government and community, supported by research and innovation. Wild dogs can cause devastating injury and death in livestock, resulting in millions of dollars of loss to the sheep and goat industry each year.

The Sheep and Goat Industry Funding Scheme (Sheep and Goat IFS), recognises the need to build experience, expand knowledge and increase capacity in this field, with an aim to encourage individuals to consider a compelling career focus on wild dog management.

The Sheep and Goat IFS is seeking Expression of Interests (EOI) from innovative researchers to develop and build upon wild dog management techniques to expand the capacity, knowledge, and experience into effective wild dog management in Western Australia

Sheep and Goat IFS Wild Dog Management Research Grant Program:

- The Sheep and Goat IFS have opened an EOI for Wild Dog Management Research Grants, which are available for application for *up to* \$100,000 per year, for a funding period of one to three years.
- The '*total*' value of the grant may exceed \$100,000 per annum in applications that are collaborative in nature, with research and monitoring activity that is co-funded by industry. (*i.e. Sheep and Goat IFS fund up to \$100,000 + Industry co-funding and in-kind contributions*)
- Applicants are expected to have engaged stakeholders to be fully informed of current or arising issues in wild dog management, existing management plans and activity, and understand the economic and social impact of wild dogs on producers and the WA sheep and goat industry as a whole.
- Collaborative applications that advance wild dog management research and that will benefit the WA Sheep and Goat industry (as a whole), will be well regarded.
- Round one: This is an expression of interest (EOI) round; all EOIs will be reviewed by the Sheep and Goat Industry Funding Scheme in collaboration with a convened panel of expert technical advisors.
- Round two: Successful EOIs will be invited to submit a comprehensive grant application for funding consideration in a closed and competitive round.
- All applications will be notified of submission outcome at the relevant stage.

PRIVACY STATEMENT

Information provided by applicants or collected by the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD) in relation to their application may be used in the administration of this Grant Program and in the assessment of this submission. Any information provided (personal, financial or otherwise) will be solely used for this purpose of this Funding Scheme.

DPIRD will store personal information collected in this application, supporting documentation and any grant administration, monitoring and evaluation activities in compliance with its obligations under the *Privacy Act 1988* (cth) and *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management*

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Act 2007. DPIRD are also subject to the *Freedom of Information Act 1992* and documents in our possession are subject to these provisions.

The Declared Pest Rate Funding Scheme (DPRFS) Guidelines provide further information on the requirements of the program.

I confirm that I have read and understood the privacy statement and I consent to and authorise such uses and disclosures *

I confirm

I confirm I have read the Sheep and Goat IFS Wild Dog EOI - 2024 Guidelines

I confirm

Document Checklist

You may be required to provide the following information/documents as part of this application:

- Incorporation number / Australian Corporation Number.
- Australian Business Number (ABN).
- Letter/s of support.
- Evidence of collaboration/partnerships.
- Quotations.

Contact Details

* indicates a required field

Applicant Organisation Details

Applicant organisation name *

Organisation Name

Please use your organisation's full name. Check your spelling and make sure that you provide the same name that is listed in official documentation such as with the ABR, ACNC or ATO.

Department / Branch / Faculty

Use this field only if relevant

Applicant Primary Address

Address

Applicant Postal Address

Address

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What is your incorporation number?

Incorporated Association or Australian Corporation Number (if applicable)

ABN *

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register	
ABN	
Entity name	
ABN status	
Entity type	
Goods & Services Tax (GST)	
DGR Endorsed	
ATO Charity Type	More information
ACNC Registration	
Tax Concessions	
Main business location	

Must be an ABN.

What is your organisation's purpose or mission? *

Primary Contact

Primary contact person *

Title First Name Last Name

This is the person we will correspond with about this grant.

Position held in organisation *

e.g. Manager, Board Member, Fundraising Coordinator

Primary phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

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Primary contact person's email address *

This is the address we will use to correspond with you about this grant.

Project Details - Research to support wild dog management in WA

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Project title: *

Your project title should be short but descriptive

Anticipated start date *

Grants will operate in 2024/25 FY. If unknown, provide your best guess, it can be updated when confirmed.

Anticipated end date *

a date
If unknown, provide your best guess

Please provide a short summary of your project *

Word count:

Be descriptive, but succinct (less than 200 words recommended). Provide sufficient information to give a clear summary of the project - who it is for (i.e. beneficiaries), what you will do, the anticipated outcomes and how the project aligns with the focus and scope of the IFS Wild Dog Management Program (see the Guidelines and Criteria).

Problem statement *

Word count:

Tell us why your project is needed - what problem is the projects addressing? Provide evidence/statistics where available of the need for the project. Provide a brief statement (less than 200 words)

Evidence Upload

Attach a file:

Please upload any evidence, research papers, journal articles which support your problem statement.

Approach/Method

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List the aim/s of the project

You may add extra rows if required.

List the hypothesis/es (for research projects only)

You may add extra rows if required.

Please describe the approach/method to be taken *

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Word count:

How is the project going to address the problem? (less than 400 words)

Rationale *

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Word count:

Why is this the best approach/method? What assumptions are being made? What underpinning logic is the project based on? Provide evidence/statistics (where available) for the link between the approach to be taken and the outcomes you seek. (less than 300 words)

What technical/expert advice has been sought to ensure the project is based on sound evidence/information and is technically feasible? *

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If available please upload supporting documentation (letter/s of support)

Attach a file:

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Outcomes / Benefits / Impacts

Explain how the project will benefit the WA Sheep & Goat industry *

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Word count:

What are the anticipated outcome/s of the project? What impact will these have? How will the project benefit the WA sheep/goat industry? (less than 300 words)

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Extension and Communication

List the activities that will be undertaken to communicate/extend the outcomes/results of the project to the WA sheep and goat industry *

Evaluation

Explain how the success of the project will be measured *

Word count:

Link back to the project aims and anticipated outcomes - how will you know that your aims/outcomes have been achieved? What evidence will you collect? It is expected that the project will include monitoring/evaluation activities.

Outputs and Milestones

What outputs are you expecting to produce through this project?

Outputs are the immediate, obvious and (usually) countable products/services a project generates.

Output	Type of output	Delivery date
Describe the output, including numbers if possible. You may add extra rows if required.		

What are the major steps/stages (i.e. milestones) involved in delivering your project?

Milestone	Completion date	Notes

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You may add extra rows if required.		

Risks

What are the potential risks that may impact on your ability to deliver your project activities in the timeframe?

What is the likelihood of these risks occurring and the impact if it were to eventuate?

How will you mitigate the risks?

Risk	Likelihood	Impact	Mitigation
You may add extra rows if required.			

If you have a risk management strategy for the project already please upload here and do not fill out the above table.

Risk Management Upload

Attach a file:

Collaboration and Partnerships

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To what extent does the project have the support of WA Sheep and Goat producers/industry? *

Evidence of industry support for the project can be uploaded below.

Please list any partners/collaborators you will work with to achieve your outcomes, and their role in the project

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Applications for grant funding totaling more than \$100 000 pa (grant funds + co-contributions) must show that the project has strong collaboration/partnerships with a range of stakeholders.

Partner/Collaborator	Role in the project	Is the collaboration/partnership confirmed?
You may add extra rows if required.		Evidence can be uploaded below.

Please upload evidence for industry support and/or collaboration/partnerships

Attach a file:

A maximum of 5 files can be attached

Budget

Please outline your project budget in the tables below.

All amounts should be **GST exclusive**.

Provide clear descriptions for each budget item.

Please **do not add commas** to figures (e.g. type \$1000 not \$1,000). This will ensure your figures for each table total correctly.

Sheep and Goat IFS Contribution

Expenditure type	Description	Amount requested 2023-24	Amount requested 2024-25	Amount requested 2025-26	Total amount requested
		\$	\$	\$	\$
		\$	\$	\$	\$
		\$	\$	\$	\$
		\$	\$	\$	\$
	Briefly describe the main items to be funded	Must be a dollar amount.	Must be a dollar amount.	Must be a dollar amount.	This number/amount is calculated.

Summary of IFS Contribution

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Total amount requested 2023-24	Total amount requested 2024/25	Total amount requested 2025/26	Total of IFS funding
This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.

Co-contribution from other sources

(i.e. non-IFS)

Source of funds/ contribution	Cash or in-kind?	Expenditure type	Description	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	Total
				\$	\$	\$	\$
				\$	\$	\$	\$
				\$	\$	\$	\$
				\$	\$	\$	\$
				\$	\$	\$	\$
Identify the fund source/s			Briefly describe the main items to be funded	Must be a dollar amount	Must be a dollar amount.	Must be a dollar amount.	This number/amount is calculated.

Summary of co-contribution totals

2023/24	2024/25	2025/26	Total non-IFS contribution
This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.

Procurement

Where the IFS grant is to be used to purchase goods and/or services, these should be purchased in line with your own organisations procurement procedures.

If your organisation does not have their own procurement procedures, please refer to the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development procurement procedures:

- For procurements up to \$20,000 (including GST), direct sourcing is permitted. However, it may be appropriate to request verbal or written quotations from more than one supplier (for example, if there are a large number of potential suppliers).
- For procurements from \$20,001 up to \$49,000 (including GST), a minimum of two written quotations is required.
- For procurements greater than \$50,000 (including GST) a formal request for quote and evaluation process is to be used.

For all procurements, appropriate documentation of decisions must be retained.

Quotations are not required as part of this application, but if these have been obtained you can upload them below.

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Please note that IFS funds are not to be used to purchase capital equipment.

Quote Upload

Attach a file:

Quotes do not need to be obtained as part of this application. However, they will be required at a later stage to demonstrate value for industry investment (in line with the above procedures)

Ethical Review of Animal Experimentation

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The following declaration is required for all research involving animals.

I hereby certify that the project proposed in this application will be examined by an animal experimentation ethics committee and will not proceed before approval has been granted. I further agree to observe all requirements set out in the national "Code of Practice for the Care and Use of Animals in Research in Australia".

I agree *

Yes

No

Not applicable

Name of animal experimentation ethics committee and institution:

Certification and Declaration

* indicates a required field

Declaration

This section must be completed by an appropriately authorised person on behalf of the applicant organisation (may be different to the contact person listed earlier in this submission form).

Once this form is submitted via SmartyGrants, it will be deemed as authorised by the below signatory, despite no signature provided.

By submitting this application, I acknowledge that:

- This is an expression of interest, from which selected submissions may be invited to submit a full grant application for funding consideration.
- I have read the Declared Pest Rate Funding Scheme (DPRFS) Guidelines.
- The information provided in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, accurate and complete.
- If any personal details of a third party are included, the third party has been made aware of, and given their permission for, those details to appear in this application.
- I give consent to DPIRD to make public the details of the applicant and the funding received, should this application be successful.

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I agree *

Yes

No

Name of authorised person *

Title

First Name

Last Name

Must be a senior staff member, board member or appropriately authorised volunteer

Position *

Position held in applicant organisation (e.g. CEO, Treasurer)

Contact phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

We may contact you to verify that this application is authorised by the applicant organisation

Contact Email *

Must be an email address.

Date *

Must be a date