

Victorian Landcare Program 2023 Delivery

The Victorian Landcare Program strengthens and supports environmental volunteer groups and networks across the State to protect our environment

2023 Snapshot



Victorian Landcare Grants
\$3.38m* for 216 Project Grants
and 281 Support Grants



Victorian Junior Landcare and Biodiversity Grants
\$381,000* for 110 projects



Victorian Landcare Facilitator Program
\$4.5 million to support 734
groups and networks



Regional Landcare Coordination
\$1.7 million for 10 Regional
Landcare Coordinators



Environmental volunteers supported by the Victorian Landcare Facilitator Program made a **\$13.4 Million economic contribution****
**Based on a monetary value of \$41.72/hour for volunteer contribution



Group Health – **88%** of Landcare groups and networks are **healthy and functioning well*****
***Based on self-reporting of group health as ok, strong or thriving

*Funded in 2022 through Victorian Government funding and delivered by the community in 2023

Biodiversity 2037 Contribution Highlights



18,317 volunteers acted for nature through the Victorian Landcare Program, contributing a huge **421,302 volunteer hours**



29,857 Ha of habitat protection, revegetation, weed control and herbivore control was undertaken to protect Victoria's biodiversity



42,451 participants connected with nature at Landcare Facilitator supported education and engagement events



Landcare grants supported **threatened species and communities** by protecting and connecting Victorian Volcanic Plain remnants, restoring Buloke woodlands and enhancing habitat for Murray crayfish, Southern Brown bandicoot and Lace Monitor.



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