

Crime Prevention and Community Safety Grants 2011 Projects

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Service to Youth Council Inc	Restorative Justice Through Art Therapy	\$50,000	An Art Therapy based group program, built on Restorative Justice principles to support young offenders to develop victim awareness and social responsibility. The program will provide an opportunity for self-reflection, and will also enable participants to engage in fundraising to support victims of crime, as Art work produced during this program will be exhibited and auctioned. All money raised through these activities will be donated to services that support victims of crime.
Victim Support Service Inc	Security at home	\$50,000	<p>Many people experience crimes that are closely associated with their place of residence. Upgrading security can be enough to make staying at home possible. This program will involve:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An assessment (audit) of a person's home resulting in recommendations for a security upgrade • Sourcing a provider and installer of the upgrade security items required • Gaining crime victim feedback to monitor and improve services dynamically <p>This program will work in partnership with SAPOL Crime Prevention Officers. It will target those crime victims who currently receive little or no support in addressing their very practical residential security needs.</p>
Wakefield Regional Council	Illumination of the Parklands	\$22,000	This project will install security and pathway lighting into existing parklands, community house and shed precinct, sporting complex car park and new skate park location. The aim to prevent vandalism and to instil a sense of safety and security for residents who choose to use this public facility after dark. Elderly members who use the community house/shed will partner with the younger members of the community with respect to utilising the facilities, particularly when the skate park is operational. Security and walking lights will give them increased confidence to engage with these young people more effectively.
Centacare Catholic Family Services	Coolock House Security Upgrade	\$21,000	This project involves an upgrading of security equipment infrastructure (CCTV, and better external lighting) around Coolock House (young womens shelter) in order to minimise crime and the fear of crime for residents and staff of Coolock House and the immediate neighbourhood of Coolock House.

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Nganampa Health Council Inc	Young Anungu Women Education Program (YAWEP)	\$16,000	Nganampa Health provides health, welfare and community safety workshops in the schools in the APY Lands and in the Wiltja school in Adelaide. The YAWEP program consists of six education sessions where key health, well-being and safety messages are discussed. These six sessions were developed by Nganampa Health Council in 2003 and have been approved by the Anangu Education Service. A range of topics are discussed with individual safety a large focus. Topics covered include drug use, alcohol abuse, other substance abuse such as petrol sniffing, unwanted sexual intercourse, sexual safety, domestic violence, pregnancy and diet. The topics covered are often the social determinants that contribute to the high rates of Aboriginal incarceration.
Vietnamese Community in Australia Inc	Vietnamese Youth's Positive Thinking and Mentor Project	\$50,000	The project aims to reduce recidivism by young offenders and prevent drug use amongst youth at risk. This project comprises three components: 1). Organising and delivering 22 group therapy sessions for young offenders using the Cognitive Behaviour Therapy model. 2). A youth mentor project where the project will organise a mentor training program and a mentor support system for the young people 3). The program will set up a safe place for young people, targeting both youth homeless and youth at risk to provide them with a free, safe place to hang out and play games.
Mission Australia	Youth Beat	\$49,879	Mission Australia has developed a Youth Beat mobile assertive outreach service in the Adelaide CBD to commence service in 2011. The Youth Beat service will engage with youth 'at risk' in relation to drug and alcohol, homelessness, safety and general wellbeing issues to prevent them becoming a victim or perpetrator of crime. The Youth Beat service is provided from a bus that is specially fitted to provide a youth-friendly atmosphere for engagement, referral, discussion and transport where necessary. We will operate it on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights and at major events, to provide information, knowledge and referral, as well as activities for young people, to address crime and safety issues. The Youth Beat service will be directly connected with our Hindmarsh Youth Drug and Alcohol Centre's Assertive Outreach Case Management team who work with young people in relation to their substance use and other complex social issues.

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Anglican Community Care Incorporated	From Red to Green	\$50,000	'From Red to Green' is an early intervention program for young men aged 12 - 20 years that provides a safe and supportive environment for them to explore the impact that violence has on their life, the community and the lives of those around them. The program runs for eight weeks for approximately 3 hours per week. The program is underpinned by therapeutic models of engagement such as Acceptance Commitment Therapy, Solution Focused approach, critical deconstruction and a feminist framework. There is a major focus on goal setting and linking current patterns of behaviour to future goals. Guest speakers are invited to speak about their experiences of violence and the impact to their life and the lives of those around them. The effectiveness of the program is due to the engagement style that allows young men to contribute thoughts and ideas and openly discuss issues that are relevant and meaningful to them. Real solutions and strategies are identified and practiced by participants with the ongoing support from program facilitators.
Regional Eastern Adelaide Development Initiative	P Plate Driving Program	\$50,000	The program will assist young people at risk of offending, who are from disadvantaged backgrounds, eg. low socio-economic status, migrant etc; who have found the 75hr learners logbook requirement too difficult because of limited appropriate social support. This can happen as a result of limited resources with regard to friends and family who traditionally teach driving to those who are learning, and the huge expense involved in having formal lessons. As a result the temptation to drive without the appropriate training and licence exists potentially placing these young people at serious legal and personal risk.
Port Augusta City Council	City Safe Program, Youth Employment and Education	\$50,000	Port Augusta City Safe Program has been successfully identifying regular youth offenders or people at risk of offending in the community, the majority being Aboriginal, and encouraging alternate life pathways including becoming involved with the project itself. This initial trial project involved attendance at school (three days a week) and becoming actively involved in Council's workforce through the apprenticeships at the Council Depot or the Parks and Gardens Depot (2 days per week). The results of the initial trial program have been extremely positive. The program gives these youths a focus and increases opportunities to enter the workforce, involving them with the Port Augusta community. A further 25 youth have been identified to undertake the program but initially 8 youth will undertake the program.

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Multicultural Communities Council of SA Inc	A-Town: It's our place, don't abuse it	\$21,400	This project will bring together youth from culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) backgrounds, and particularly refugee youth, to identify ways to reduce alcohol and drug induced anti-social behaviour in public venues and spaces, mainly in the Adelaide CBD. The project involves a series of forums and a Q&A session to provide these youth with an opportunity to voice their concerns and to develop recommendations to be implemented with SAPOL.
Southern Junction Community Services Inc	Onkaparinga Crime Prevention Youth Project	\$41,548	Southern Junction Community Services will implement primary and secondary crime prevention programs for approximately 2000 young people who are at risk of offending and living in the City of Onkaparinga region. The project will comprise a number of strands including - driver education, personal and life skill development (including building confidence, emotional and anger management, preventing physical violence, conflict and alcohol/drug abuse), community visual arts, dance, music, adventure/recreation and youth leadership. A Youth Leadership and Peer Mentoring Program will be established to enable some programs to be continued or adapted on a voluntary basis and to facilitate other young people to become positively involved.
Port Augusta Youth Centre	Bush Mechanics	\$50,000	The project will provide a social learning environment, building self belief and self esteem in participants through mentoring and peer support. The family group will assist with social and cultural learning's conducive with the outcomes sought by the supporting community members, school and agency partnerships. The project will also identify individual opportunities for participants to achieve outcomes and make better life choices. Agency participation is a vital part of this program. Agencies will work with participants to identify alternative supports throughout the community.
City of Marion	Brain Snap!	\$49,123	Brain Snap! is an adventure activity and personal development pilot program for young people who have trouble managing big emotions such as anger, or who are choosing to engage in high adrenaline, high risk activities.
Northern Areas Council	Gladstone Youth Drop In	\$10,000	A safe and supervised program run by community volunteers to provide age appropriate activities for the youth of Gladstone and surrounding Southern Flinders towns. The program will provide regular activities to reduce the number of youth loitering unsupervised in community areas and will also aim to reduce the youth crime rate, minor property damage and behavioural offences.

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Wudinna and District Road Safety Committee Inc	Surviving the Eyre	\$14,500	The Wudinna Road Safety Committee aims to produce a DVD containing mini documentaries about local people/accidents with a road safety theme, to be used for education purposes among young people in the district. We would work in partnership with the local school and community, involving senior secondary students in the research and production process. The Committee would oversee the project and engage a consultant to conduct a filmmaking boot camp and complete the post production work. The result will be a professional and polished production which can be used in years to come for local driver education programs.
Keep South Australia Beautiful Inc	Graffiti Prevention Awareness Event and Clean Up Action Day	\$50,000	Project funding is for a School Graffiti Awareness Event and a Graffiti Clean Up Action Day. The Graffiti Awareness event will be held over 2 days. Located in central Adelaide, schools will be invited to attend the event, where they will attend education sessions on graffiti vandalism. The education sessions will include the story by a former offender, the law and consequences of graffiti vandalism and the affect and impact graffiti vandalism has on the community. The Graffiti Clean Up Action day will involve community and council volunteers coming together on a designated day and "cleaning up" graffiti in their local area. This will demonstrate a united effort in eliminating graffiti and awareness of the impact it has on the community.
District Council of Yankalilla	Youth Engagement and Community Art Project	\$18,700	The project will take a targeted approach working with local young people engaged in or at risk of engaging in graffiti vandalism, who may also be disengaged from school, and disconnected from their community. The project participants will be indentified in close consultation with staff from the Yankalilla Area School, with the aim of deterring participants from engaging in illegal graffiti vandalism with a strong education and deterrence focus. The project will also have a community art and respect component, with two public murals to be completed at sites that have historically been targets for graffiti vandalism.
Town of Gawler	Gawler Graffiti Education and Prevention Project	\$25,000	A three way partnership with Local Government, SA Police and local schools using a proactive program for reducing Graffiti Vandalism in Gawler. A Graffiti Removal Program exists using volunteers, we now seek to compliment this through the establishment of: 1. Education to increase social skills and address deficiencies in youth decision making capacity 2. Education to improve awareness of the community impact associated with graffiti vandalism 3. Encourage awareness of and provide an increased profile of aerosol art in public spaces.

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City of Marion	Tram Stop 6 Art Wall Project	\$10,850	To erect a permanent structure underneath the South Road Underpass, South Road, Glandore which will display continually changing works of art created by the community as a means of reducing graffiti incidences in a highly visible and newly established transport precinct thereby increasing community usage and ownership. The infrastructure is designed specifically to display art works created by the community of all age groups, in particular young people 'at risk' who are likely to engage in the illegal act of graffiti vandalism. The structure is a fixed frame with removable and portable panels that can be worked on in the community engaging arts and/or youth programs. Panels will be installed in the structure once the artworks are complete.