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GRANT FOR COROWA FEDERATION MUSEUM

Volunteers at the Corowa Federation Museum will be pleased after Minister for the Arts Don Harwin and Albury MP Greg Aplin announced a grant to help support their work.

Corowa Federation Museum will receive \$3,949 to engage museum consultant Kim Biggs to assist staff in preparing a strategic plan which will develop guidelines for the museum's future.

Mr Aplin said, "It is always a pleasure to be able to support volunteers who work so tirelessly to look after our shared heritage.

"These people and their museum are a much valued part of our community, and they deserve all the support we can give them."

Minister for the Arts Don Harwin said, "I know that this grant will bring about some great development outcomes at the Corowa Federation Museum that will benefit the whole community.

"Because the museums which receive money under this program are all volunteer-run, I am confident that the benefits of these grants will be substantial for the whole community."

The funding comes from the NSW Government's arts, screen and culture agency Create NSW through the *Volunteer Museum Small Grants Program*, administered by Museums & Galleries of NSW.

Under the program, 16 community museums across regional NSW and metro Sydney will benefit from a total of \$48,196 in funding.

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