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This table details the payment information for the *Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program* as required under Section 27A of the *Future Drought Fund Act 2019*.

All payments in this table are GST exclusive.

Table 1 Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program 2020 - 2024

Organisation	Region	Legislative purpose	Program description	Total amount payable	Total amount paid as at 28 April 2024	Payment date	Payment amount
South Australian Arid Lands Landscape Board	Port Augusta, South Australia	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>From the Ground Up. Supporting Regenerative Grazing Practices in South Australia's Rangelands to build drought resilience.</i>	\$566,700.00	\$566,700.00	15/05/2022	\$62,934.91
						15/06/2022	\$356,631.17
						04/04/2023	\$73,566.96
						30/11/2023	\$36,783.48
						28/04/2024	\$36,783.48
Charles Sturt University	Wagga Wagga, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Saving Our Soils During Drought.</i>	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	15/05/2022	\$111,055.08
						15/06/2022	\$629,312.10
						04/04/2023	\$129,816.41
						30/11/2023	\$64,908.21
						28/04/2024	\$64,908.21

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Southern Gulf NRM Ltd	Miles End, Queensland	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Demonstration of bare ground restoration in the Southern Gulf Region - Bring drought affected soils back to productivity, increased drought resilience and sustainability.</i>	\$667,500.00	\$667,500.00	15/05/2022	\$74,129.26
						15/06/2022	\$420,065.83
						23/05/2023	\$86,652.45
						30/11/2023	\$43,326.23
						28/04/2024	\$43,326.23
The University of Melbourne	Carlton, Victoria	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Scaling out of successful multi-species pasture management in rainfed dairy systems of southern Australia to increase drought resilience at landscape and catchment levels.</i>	\$987,320.00	\$987,320.00	15/05/2022	\$109,646.90
						15/06/2022	\$621,332.42
						04/04/2023	\$128,170.34
						30/11/2023	\$64,085.17
						28/04/2024	\$64,085.17
Agricultural Innovation & Research Eyre Peninsula Incorporated	Wudinna, South Australia	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Building drought resilience by scaling out farming practices that will enhance the productive capacity of sandy soil landscapes.</i>	\$995,000.00	\$995,000.00	15/05/2022	\$110,499.80
						15/06/2022	\$626,165.54
						04/04/2023	\$129,167.33
						30/11/2023	\$64,583.66
						28/04/2024	\$64,583.66
Mallee Sustainable Farming Inc.	Mildura, Victoria	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Building resilience to drought with landscape scale remediation of saline land.</i>	\$856,000.00	\$856,000.00	15/05/2022	\$95,063.15
						15/06/2022	\$538,691.16
						04/04/2023	\$111,122.85
						30/11/2023	\$55,561.42
						28/04/2024	\$55,561.42

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Territory Natural Resource Management Incorporated	Darwin, Northern Territory	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Rain Ready Rangelands - Implementing sustainable and productive land management practices to recover from past droughts and build resilience for future climate variability in the Northern Territory.</i>	\$999,192.00	\$999,192.00	15/05/2022	\$110,965.34
						15/06/2022	\$628,803.62
						13/06/2023	\$129,711.52
						30/11/2023	\$64,855.76
						28/04/2024	\$64,855.76
Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation	Acton, Australian Capital Territory	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Improving sowing opportunities for increased farm resilience in a changing climate.</i>	\$987,757.00	\$987,757.00	15/05/2022	\$109,695.43
						15/06/2022	\$621,607.43
						04/04/2023	\$128,227.07
						30/11/2023	\$64,113.53
						28/04/2024	\$64,113.53
Charles Sturt University	Wagga Wagga, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Creating landscape-scale change through drought resilient pasture systems.</i>	\$983,950.00	\$983,950.00	15/05/2022	\$109,272.64
						15/06/2022	\$619,211.64
						04/04/2023	\$127,732.86
						30/11/2023	\$63,866.43
						28/04/2024	\$63,866.43
Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation	Acton, Australian Capital Territory	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Drought resilient landscapes with profitable native shrub and legume systems across southern Australia.</i>	\$994,110.00	\$994,110.00	15/05/2022	\$110,400.96
						15/06/2022	\$625,605.45
						04/04/2023	\$129,051.79
						30/11/2023	\$64,525.90
						28/04/2024	\$64,525.90

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Mingenew - Irwin Group (Inc)	Mingenew, Western Australia	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Making Every Drop Count - Below and Above Ground Targeted Soil Moisture Conservation from Paddock to Landscape.</i>	\$621,000.00	\$621,000.00	15/05/2022	\$68,965.20
						15/06/2022	\$390,802.82
						18/04/2023	\$80,615.99
						30/11/2023	\$40,308.00
						28/04/2024	\$40,308.00
Local Land Services	Bourke, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Perennial pastures, resilient rangelands.</i>	\$920,933.00	\$920,933.00	15/05/2022	\$102,274.29
						15/06/2022	\$579,554.28
						23/05/2023	\$119,552.22
						30/11/2023	\$59,776.11
						28/04/2024	\$59,776.11
Local Land Services Balranald	Braidwood, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Paddock, Farm, Landscape - building our communities natural capital from the soil up.</i>	\$821,800.00	\$821,800.00	15/05/2022	\$91,265.06
						15/06/2022	\$517,168.69
						04/04/2023	\$106,683.13
						30/11/2023	\$53,341.56
						28/04/2024	\$53,341.56
Charles Sturt University	Wagga Wagga, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Improved drought resilience through optimal management of soils and available water.</i>	\$997,600.00	\$997,600.00	15/05/2022	\$110,788.54
						15/06/2022	\$627,801.75
						04/04/2023	\$129,504.85
						30/11/2023	\$64,752.43
						28/04/2024	\$64,752.43

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Resource Consulting Services Pty. Ltd.	Yeppoon, Queensland	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Scaling for impact in the Rangelands - a drought resilience extension program.</i>	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	15/05/2022	\$111,055.08
						15/06/2022	\$629,312.10
						04/04/2023	\$129,816.40
						30/11/2023	\$64,908.21
						28/04/2024	\$64,908.21
University of New England	Armidale, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Drought Resilient Pasture Landscapes Scaled Through Communities of Practice.</i>	\$896,934.00	\$896,934.00	15/05/2022	\$99,609.07
						15/06/2022	\$564,451.42
						04/04/2023	\$116,436.75
						30/11/2023	\$58,218.38
						28/04/2024	\$58,218.38
University of Adelaide	Adelaide, South Australia	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program Promoting best-practice feed base management to deliver improved drought resilience in low to medium rainfall regions through on-farm demonstrations and case studies.	\$809,068.00	\$809,068.00	15/05/2022	\$89,851.11
						15/06/2022	\$509,156.28
						04/04/2023	\$105,030.30
						30/11/2023	\$52,515.15
						28/04/2024	\$52,515.15
The Trustee for Wetland Revival Trust	Fryerstown, Victoria	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Promoting best-practice feed base management to deliver improved drought resilience in low to medium rainfall regions through on-farm demonstrations and case studies.</i>	\$999,920.00	\$999,920.00	15/05/2022	\$111,046.19
						15/06/2022	\$629,261.76
						04/04/2023	\$129,806.03
						30/11/2023	\$64,903.01
						28/04/2024	\$64,903.01

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CHRRUP Limited	Emerald, Queensland	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Improved drought resilience through the demonstration of practices that maximize rehydration of fragile grazing landscapes.</i>	\$907,000.00	\$907,000.00	15/05/2022	\$100,726.95
						15/06/2022	\$570,786.08
						04/04/2023	\$117,743.48
						30/11/2023	\$58,871.74
						28/04/2024	\$58,871.74
The University of Queensland	St Lucia, Queensland	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Improving the drought resilience of cropping soils by enabling the identification and successful management of soil constraints.</i>	\$999,107.00	\$999,107.00	15/05/2022	\$110,955.90
						15/06/2022	\$628,750.13
						04/04/2023	\$129,700.48
						30/11/2023	\$64,850.24
						28/04/2024	\$64,850.24
Western Australian Agriculture Authority	Kensington, Western Australia	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Revitalising the drought resilience of Western Australia’s Southern Rangelands.</i>	\$1,000,000.00	\$935,091.80	15/05/2022	\$111,055.08
						15/06/2022	\$629,312.10
						04/04/2023	\$129,816.40
						30/11/2023	\$64,908.21
						Upon satisfactory completion of milestone	\$64,908.21
Healthy Land and Water Ltd	Brisbane, Queensland	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Demonstrating and promoting best practices to build drought resilience in Southeast Queensland grazing landscapes.</i>	\$682,000.00	\$682,000.00	15/05/2022	\$75,739.56
						15/06/2022	\$429,190.85
						04/04/2023	\$88,534.79
						30/11/2023	\$44,267.40
						28/04/2024	\$44,267.40

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Holbrook Landcare Group	Holbrook, New South Wales	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Landcare-led landscape resilience - tools and data for restoration decisions.</i>	\$875,680.00	\$875,680.00	15/05/2022	\$97,248.71
						15/06/2022	\$551,076.02
						04/04/2023	\$113,677.63
						30/11/2023	\$56,838.82
						28/04/2024	\$56,838.82
Charles Darwin University	Casuarina, Northern Territory	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Scaling of proven landscape rehydration and sustainable management practices to restore natural functions in two central Australian rangeland catchments to trial, demonstrate and widely communicate to pastoral land holders in the NT and WA.</i>	\$926,343.00	\$926,343.00	15/05/2022	\$102,875.09
						15/06/2022	\$582,958.86
						04/04/2023	\$120,254.52
						30/11/2023	\$60,127.26
						28/04/2024	\$60,127.26
Mallee Catchment Management Authority	Irymple, Victoria	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Building drought resilience of vulnerable soils in low rainfall cropping and grazing systems.</i>	\$875,000.00	\$875,000.00	15/05/2022	\$97,173.19
						15/06/2022	\$550,648.09
						04/04/2023	\$113,589.36
						30/11/2023	\$56,794.68
						28/04/2024	\$56,794.68
Fruit Growers Victoria Ltd	Mooroopna, Victoria	s21(1)(c) – Carrying out a project that is directed towards achieving drought resilience	Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program <i>Which grass is greener - how planting vegetation between rows improves drought resilience in orchards.</i>	\$739,645.00	\$739,645.00	15/05/2022	\$82,141.33
						15/06/2022	\$465,467.55
						04/04/2023	\$96,018.06
						30/11/2023	\$48,009.03
						28/04/2024	\$48,009.03
Totals for Drought Resilient Soils and Landscapes Grants Program				\$23,109,559.00	\$23,044,650.80		\$23,109,559.00

Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of Australia and their continuing connection to land and sea, waters, environment and community. We pay our respects to the Traditional Custodians of the lands we live and work on, their culture, and their Elders past and present.

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