NSW Boating Access Dredging Program

Application Form

**Boating Access Dredging Program**

Applicants should refer to the Boating Access Dredging Program Guidelines and FAQs documents before completing this form.

**1 Applicant Details**

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| **Applicant’s Name** | **Name** |  |
| **ABN** |  |
| **Contact Details**(in relation to this application) | **Name** |  |
| **Position or Role** |  |
| **Phone** | **B:****M:** |
| **Email** |  |
| **Postal address**  |  |
| **Project Partner(s)** | **Name** | *Attach a letter of support from your partner(s), which also outlines their financial commitment to the project.* |

## 2 Project Details

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| **Project Name**(use a maximum of 80 characters) |  |
| **Project Category** (delete categories not considered relevant)  | 1. Preparation of dredging strategies; and/or
2. Navigation improvements in waterways; and/or
3. Access to public waterway infrastructure; and/or
4. Pre-dredge activities.
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| **Project Location**(enter location description and attach a locality diagram or map. Where possible, include nearest town, roads, beach or other landmarks, LGA and State electorate) |  |
| **Land ownership**Describe the land ownership details for each element/activity associated with the project.For example, public waterway, public land or privately-owned land. |  |
| **Is the project of local, regional or state significance?** |  |

## 3 The activity will deliver direct benefits to current and potential waterway users.

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| **Project Summary**Please provide a brief project overview, including the issue that the project will address. This may be used for promotional purposes (max 150 words). |  |
| **Project outcomes**Please briefly outline the objective, result, impact or benefits (including any social, economic or environmental benefits) of the project. Note: If your application is successful you will need to report against these outcomes in your milestone and final reports. |  |
| **Which user group/s will benefit from the activity, and how?** |  |

## 4 The activity is technically feasible and represents value for money

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| **Preliminary work plan**You must attach a preliminary work plan in Microsoft Excel format. The template for the plan is available at <https://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/maritime/projects/nsw-boating-access-dredging-program/index.html> | *Please be realistic about the dates and costs you provide in your preliminary work plan and ensure that they match the completion date provided elsewhere in this application.*  |
| **Is the project consistent with a relevant estuary and/or coastal management planning processes**If yes, please provide details, including relative priority. If no, please explain how the need for this project was established. |  |
| **What are the risks associated with undertaking the project and how will they be managed?**For example are there any outstanding legal, social, environmental or cultural heritage issues which could impact on the proposal? |  |
| **What planning approvals, consents and/or assessments are required?** Note: It is not necessary to obtain any required approvals, assessments or consents prior to applying for funding. However, consideration will be given to applications with demonstrated “in principle” approvals and land owner’s consents. | * *Development permitted without consent (environmental assessment required).*
* *Development requires consent (development application to be submitted to local council. Obtain landowner’s consent through before lodging development application).*
* *Crown Lands Licence*
* *Other (please specify).*
* *Relevant approvals have already been obtained.*
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## 5 The activity is supported by relevant user groups, the local community, and other relevant government authorities.

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| **What consultation has been undertaken with community, other agencies and/or other stakeholders and what was the outcome?** Please provide the name of relevant agency officers consulted and the nature of the advice provided. |  |

## 6 Demonstrated performance in relation to the delivery of government supported projects and in meeting governance obligations e.g. post-activity project and expenditure reporting

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| **How will council manage project delivery?**Provide evidence of demonstrated performance in relation to the delivery of government supported projects and in meeting governance obligations e.g. post-activity project and expenditure reporting. |  |

## 7 Commitment by Council to obtain a longer term licence for dredging works to avoid the need for a new licence for future dredging works.

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| **Will council commit to obtaining a longer term licence for dredging works to avoid the need for a new licence for future dredging works?**Please provide details.  |  |

# Proposed Project Expenditure and Funding Details

## Activity Elements

List each element of the activity and provide relevant timeframes and financial information. These elements should be consistent with the description of how the activity outcome/s will be achieved.

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| **Activity Element**(For example) | **Start Date\*** | **End Date\*** | **Total Cost****(ex GST)** | **Applicant’s contribution (ex GST)** | **Partner’s contribution (ex GST)** | **Grant amount sought****(ex GST)** |
| Pre-dredge planning i.e. surveys, channel design, etc |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Environmental assessments, consultation and planning approvals |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dredging works and dredged sand placement/reuse |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Totals** |  |  |  |  |  |  |

*\* Please be realistic about the commencement and completion dates, as this will be used to set the term of your funding agreement if offered a grant.*

## Other funding sources

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| **Do you have any current or planned proposals to other funding programs for this project or components of this project?** | € No € Yes. Please provide details:  |

## Other funding grants at this location

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| **Have you received any previous funding for projects at this location?** | € No € Yes. Please provide details:  |

# Additional Information to Support Application and Checklist

Please ensure you include all supporting documentation with your application and ensure that you:

* Read the “Program Guidelines” and the “FAQs” for the *Boating Access Dredging Program* and any additional relevant information provided on the Maritime Projects website at <https://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/maritime/projects/nsw-boating-access-dredging-program/index.html>.
* Answer all the questions and type only in the spaces provided in the application
* Enter monetary amounts in full e.g. $10,000 not $10k
* Check budget and timeframes in the attached preliminary work plan are consistent with the application
* Attach your preliminary work plan and any letter(s) of support from project partners
* Have your application authorised by the appropriately delegated officer (note: signature not required)
* Submit your application by the **closing date – 5pm, Friday 30 April 2021**

# 5 Declaration of Authority to Apply

All applications must have the support of the authorised senior officer of your organisation. The authorised senior officer must have appropriate delegation to authorise the submission of this application and to authorise the commitment of the resources and expenditure required to deliver this project. *Note: a signature is not required.*

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| Details of authorised senior officer. | Name |  |
| Position |  |
| Phone | B:M: |
| Email |  |
| Date |  |

# 6 Application prepared by

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| Details of person who has completed this form | Name |  |
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| Email |  |
| Date |  |

# 7 Lodging Applications

Applications should be lodged at mido@transport.nsw.gov.au.

Before submitting your application, please use the checklist above to make sure that you have included all the necessary information.

**Application must be submitted by 5pm, Friday 30 April 2021.**