

Appendix A: List of funded projects

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Overview

This Appendix has been prepared to support the data that is outlined in the body of the Impact Report. It provides an overview of each individual project (delivered or underway) under each Program. Data in this document has been provided by local councils and state government agency partners for the purpose of evaluating the success of each initiative and in some instances, this has been interpreted for consistency. Data is subject to change during the delivery of programs. The information contained in this Appendix is based on knowledge and understanding at the time of writing (December 2023) and may not be accurate, current or complete, and may differ to the information provided in the body of the Impact Report due to data availability at the time of publishing the report in December 2022.

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Streets as Shared Spaces

Round one

Up to \$15 million in funding was made available through round one with the program delivered between 2020 and 2022.

Category 1 Projects

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
City of Canada Bay	New 'Heart' of Drummoyne Town Centre public square and one-way street trial	Formosa Street and Church Street, Drummoyne	This project created new public squares at the heart of Drummoyne – one at Formosa Street between Lyons Road and Bowman Street, and the other at Church Street between Victoria Road and Formosa Street. The closures of these areas were accompanied by new seating, landscaping and artistic elements, creating safer places for pedestrians and cyclists and, at Church Street Square, a space for cafes to offer outdoor dining to their customers.	Completed 2021
City of Parramatta	Phillip Lane Activation	Phillip Lane, Parramatta	As extensive investment and change within the Parramatta CBD occurs at every level, this project created a new local hub. Over 8 weekends the space became an outdoor dining precinct for adjacent restaurants, becoming an active, people orientated and well connected link. Elements like new art, lighting and greenery were installed within Philip Lane.	Completed 2021
Cumberland City Council	Wentworthville Local Centre Dunmore Street Pop-Up Park	Dunmore Street, Wentworthville	Part of Dunmore Street in Wentworthville was turned over to an attractive green space that helped to connect people and support local businesses. It was also a way to test surface materials to understand which would be most likely to reduce heat build up in the urban environment. Materials included timber decking, natural turf and shade, artificial shade structures and synthetic turf as well as a misting machine.	Completed 2021
Fairfield City Council	Healthy, Active Fairfield – Pop-up Park and Activation Program	Fairfield City Town Centre and Cabramatta Town Centre	Under a theme of Healthy, Active Fairfield, two temporary pop-up parklets were installed alongside additional trees, planter boxes, turf, synthetic grass and seating. This project brought activity to both Fairfield and Cabramatta town centres, including children's yoga classes, live DJs, public art and decorative lighting. This created new and unexpected opportunities for residents to stop, relax, rest, socialise and linger.	Completed 2020
Georges River Council	Walkability and wellness in Kogarah	Hurstville Town Centre	Through the Walkability and Wellness project in Kogarah, a pop-up park created an urban oasis with colourful street furniture, a water feature with creative LED strip lighting, fairy lights within the street trees along Belgrave Street and a large mural on Post Office Lane.	Completed 2021

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Greater Sydney				
Hornsby Shire Council	Reclaim Hunter Lane	Hunter Lane, Hornsby	The 'Reclaim Hunter Lane' project is about 'reclaiming' a place for people. Pedestrians were prioritised through an extended shared zone that featured a colourful laneway design on the road surface, to add vibrancy and highlight that this is an area where pedestrians have priority. Additional lighting was also provided to improve the night time experience.	Completed 2021
North Sydney Council	Burlington Street Play	Burlington Street, Crows Nest	Burlington Street Play aimed to open up the streets for play and fun. The one-day closure of Burlington in North Sydney created a healthy day for kids with a maze, skate ramps, live music, arts and craft, street cricket and a designated kids play area.	Completed 2020
Northern Beaches Council	Beaches Eat. Play.Stay	The Strand, Dee Why Robertson Road, Newport Waratah Street, Mona Vale Tania Park, Balgowlah Heights	Across the Northern Beaches – at Dee Why, Newport, Mona Vale and Balgowlah Heights – streets were reallocated one weekend a month to become better places for pedestrians and cyclists, while also turning the space over to local artists and musicians.	Completed 2022
Randwick City Council	Coogee Bay Village Shared Space	Coogee Bay Road, Coogee	The temporary street closure of Coogee Bay Road transformed the space into an extended public space for pedestrians. People were able to stay a little longer with street furniture, planter boxes, a play area, new lighting, art installations, a stage and new outdoor dining seating areas to support local restaurants.	Completed 2021
Regional NSW				
Armidale Regional Council	Armidale Mall and Laneways Beautification	Armidale Mall, Armidale	Council engaged several local artists to develop murals under a program that brought colour and wonder to the heart of Armidale. People enjoyed new lighting installations and other pop-up activities in Perrot Arcade and another small laneway that feeds off the main Armidale Mall.	Completed 2021
Broken Hill City Council	Play and Stay Arboretum	Argent Street, Broken Hill	The Stay and Play Arboretum provided a restful, calm space in a part of a busy car park in Broken Hill's CBD. By putting people first, and creating a place for people of all ages and abilities, the project invited people to dwell in the space through providing places to sit, additional greenery, installation of public art and increased shade.	Completed 2020
City of Newcastle	Queens Wharf Cycleway Detour and Activation	Queens Wharf, Newcastle	Queens Wharf Cycleway Detour and Activation helped to encourage cycling while also creating great places for people. At Queens Wharf, a new three metre shared path was created by reallocating street space. A 30 km/hr speed limit was trialled, and the installation of a pop-up library and temporary art, brought activity to the space.	Completed 2021
Eurobodalla Shire Council	Youth Central – Batemans Bay	Clyde Street Foreshore, Batemans Bay	Youth Central activated an underutilised section of the Clyde Street waterfront in Batemans Bay for young people to enjoy by creating a temporary basketball half court and a skating circuit across 18 car parking spaces.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Federation Council	Sanger Street Plaza	The Memorial Plaza, Corowa	The Memorial Plaza was created at Sanger Street, Corowa. This open and inclusive space for the community included rendered walls decorated with an interactive mural by artist, Kade Sarte, inspired by the Murray River. The project also included seating throughout the space, festoon lighting, security lighting, an electronic community notice board, new signage and additional artwork.	Completed 2021
Gilgandra Shire Council	Meet Me @ Miller Street	Miller Lane, Gilgandra	The Meet Me @ Miller Lane project connects and brings activity to the Gilgandra CBD, by making the most out of the unused space behind the shops along the main street. This was a blank canvas to create a new shared zone, with the laneways allowing for new greenery and creativity to spill onto the main street. Other measures to slow down the traffic supported these new community spaces for people.	Completed 2021
Gunnedah Shire Council	Gunnedah Cultural Precinct Pop-Up Public Domain	Gunnedah Town Centre	Gunnedah CBD was brought to life in an effort to support local businesses, workers and visitors. This temporary project focused on the town's cultural precinct included new seating, attractive planter boxes and temporary night lighting, created new business opportunities for local retailers, residents and visitors. In addition, 18 temporary market stalls were made available for community events.	Completed 2020
Lismore City Council	Spaced Out – A CBD Pedestrian Comfort and Safety Improvement Project	Keen Street, Lismore Molesworth Street, Kew	Keen and Molesworth streets in Lismore CBD were adapted to include two parklets as part of a social distancing awareness campaign in Lismore and Nimbin. These two spaces helped to create a connection between Lismore's green spaces. These spaces were also chosen to not limit important safety and practical aspects, such as essential services and deliveries.	Completed 2021
Maitland City Council	Morph It	Swan Street to Queens Wharf Park, Morpeth	Morph It at Morpeth built on the township's unique heritage and history. The project installed two parklets, two creative road surface treatments, overhead creative installations, a temporary pedestrian and cycle path connecting Swan Street to Queens Wharf Park and a parking pilot. Activities such as fresh produce stalls, live music, antique valuations, poetry evenings and kids activities also occurred over six weeks.	Completed 2020
Port Stephens Council	Nelson Bay to Little Beach Shared Path	Victoria Parade, Nelson Bay	Nelson Bay to Little Beach Shared Path was created to trial separated pedestrian and cycle pavement along Victoria Parade between Nelson Bay and Little Beach, providing a safer route for people to move between these areas.	Completed 2020
Tweed Shire Council	Tweed's Green Parklet, Public Art and Activation Project	Brisbane Street and Queen Street, Murwillumbah	Council's Green Parklet, Public Art and Activation project was a tactical urban intervention to test changes to the road environment in Murwillumbah. Two temporary parklets and pop-up art seats and planter boxes were more than just a place for people to spend time – the seats and planter boxes became canvasses for public artwork.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Upper Hunter Shire Council	Kerbside Dining-Kelly St, Scone	Kelly Street, Scone	New outside dining spaces were created on Kelly Street, Scone. These enclosed platforms off the Kelly Street kerb included tables and chairs for outside dining to service 5 local cafes, selected based on submissions of interest. Local children from St Mary's, Scone Grammar School, Scone Public School and Scone High School painted murals on the concrete barriers that surrounded the platforms as a safety feature.	Completed 2021
Upper Lachlan Shire Council	Share R Streets	Goulburn Street and Roberts Street, Crookwell	Three areas across the Upper Lachlan Shire – Crookwell, Laggan and Taralga benefited from funding that turned streets over to cycling and activities. Places became more active with planter boxes, art installations, parklets and street furniture on Roberts and Goulburn streets in Crookwell.	Completed 2021
Wollongong City Council	Wollongong City Pop-Up Cycleways	Towradgi Town Centre and Thirroul Town Centre	Wollongong City Pop-Up Cycleways aimed to establish a series of on-road cycleways to make Wollongong a better place for cyclists. Two pop-up cycleways were accompanied by art and greening initiatives to connect rail stations and foreshore areas around Towradgi and Thirroul.	Completed 2022

Category 2 Projects

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
Bayside Council	Place Making - Russell Avenue, San Souci	Russell Avenue, Sans Souci	Many locals walk or ride along Russell Avenue in San Souci to the Botany Bay foreshore. This project makes better use of the 19m wide carriageway by turning some of the space over to people. The reconfiguration added a buffered, line marked cycleway as well as street furniture, including water fountains and resting benches.	Completed 2022
Blacktown City Council	Made in Blacktown	Blacktown City Centre	Across various spots in Blacktown City Centre, the Made in Blacktown project used tactical urbanism to make it easier for people to connect between places, while also bringing more activity and a sense of place. Various new elements were tested, including temporary green public spaces, parklets and pavement treatments, alfresco dining and public art.	Completed 2022
Campbelltown City Council	Queen Street Shared Space	Queen Street, Campbelltown	The shared space at Queen Street, Campbelltown, emerged after a shift to one-way traffic between Cordeaux Street and Dumaresq Street. Once parking was removed, the new public space provided the local community with a contemporary dance space, additional parklets, public art, lighting and additional greenery.	Completed 2022
City of Canterbury Bankstown	Streets as Rooms for Living Micro Rooms	Canterbury Bankstown Local Government Area	The 'Streets as Rooms for Living: Micro Rooms' created ten micro rooms across ten local town centres within the City of Canterbury Bankstown Local Government Area. Micro rooms are pop-up spaces created around a theme, extending the idea of home into public areas. This was an effort to consider the changing nature of people's lives and how people interact with and understand streets as public spaces.	Completed 2022

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Greater Sydney				
Georges River Council	Forest in the City	Forest Road, Hurstville	Forest Road, Hurstville was transformed through the Forest in the City project to create a safer space for pedestrians, with additional seating, more greenery and public art, alongside measures to slow down traffic.	Completed 2022
Ku-ring-gai Council	Gilroy Road Separated, Cycleway and Turramurra Shared path	Gilroy Road, Turramurra	Gilroy Road in Turramurra moves people towards the rail station. A temporary separated cycleway was created by removing one lane of car parking on the western side of the street. Works also included the widening of an existing path to become a shared path around Karuah Oval at the end of Gilroy Road.	Completed 2022
North Sydney Council	Kirribilli and North Sydney CBD	Burton Street, Kirribilli Miller Street, North Sydney	After the success of Burlington Street Play, various other projects in North Sydney and Kirribilli reallocated parking spaces or loading bays into delightful pockets of public open space	Completed 2022
Northern Beaches Council	Activate Manly & The Strand, Dee Why	Manly Town Centre and The Strand, Dee Why	Activate Manly included a package of works around the town centre, including the removal of parking spaces and lighting to prioritise outdoor dining and street furniture. A trial of a one-way traffic flow on The Strand at Dee Why created a two-way separated cycleway and boardwalk footway to enhance the amenity along the beachfront restaurant precinct at The Strand, Dee Why.	Completed 2022
Penrith City Council	Live, Work, Play, Kingswood	Wainwright Park and Kingswood Neighbourhood Centre, Kingswood	Under the Live, Work, Play Kingswood project, Wainwright Park and Kingswood neighbourhood centre became places for people. Various works included new seating and cool spaces for people to sit a while, a community kitchen, public art, a parklet outside the neighbourhood centre on Bringelly Road, and additional planting and greenery.	Completed 2022
Regional NSW				
Ballina Shire Council	A Slow Path -Not A Fast Short Cut	Park Lane, Lennox Head	The community coast at Lennox Head, could be a safer place for both cyclists and pedestrians. As part of the Lennox Village Vision, the community helped to design new elements such as decorative pavements, new lighting, a mural, parklets and other elements to slow down cars in what was traditionally a short cut for motorists.	Completed 2021
Bathurst Regional Council	Bathurst Town Square	Bathurst Town Centre	As part of several projects ongoing to improve Bathurst's historic town square, a new shared access way was created to connect William Street to George Street. The aim was to open up the town square to attract more people and encourage public use and interaction, particularly in the south-east corner. The access way was brought to life with two parklets, new street trees and public art.	Completed 2022
Byron Shire Council	Mullumbimby Talking Street	Burringbar Street, Mullumbimby	Burringbar Street, the main street of Mullumbimby, became a pedestrian friendly, safer and more enjoyable environment through the Talking Street project. The project was designed with the community and incorporated several traffic changes, including new signage, a lower speed limit, installation of a pedestrian crossing, line marking and a coloured road service. Other features included local Aboriginal art, parklets and new seating at various locations.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Central Coast Council	Implementation of a Shared Zone and activation of The Esplanade, Umina Beach (between Ocean Beach Road and Trafalgar Avenue)	The Esplanade, Umina Beach	A one-way shared zone was implemented within The Esplanade, Umina Beach –between Ocean Beach Road and Trafalgar Avenue – to create a safer and more attractive space for pedestrians. Various measures were implemented to slow down traffic, and provide improvements to the streetscape – A pavement stencilling and artwork, seating, landscaping, interpretive signage and related infrastructure, all brought the space to life. This meant that most non-essential vehicle travel was removed from the area.	Completed 2021
City of Newcastle	Hunter Street West End Trial Cycleways and Activation	Hunter Street, Newcastle	Hunter Street West End Trial Cycleway and Activation helped to encourage cycling while also creating great places for people. At Queens Wharf, a new three metre shared path was created by reallocating street space. A 30 km/h speed limit was trialled, and the installation of a pop-up library and temporary art, brought activity to the space. On Hunter Street, between National Park Street and Worth Place, protected cycleways were created in both directions.	Completed 2021
Coffs Harbour City Council	Clarence/Beach Street Corridor Bike Lane and Urban Square	West Woolgoolga to Woolgoolga Beach Town Centre	A new bike lane and urban square was created by trialling an A new on-road bike lane and at the eastern end of the bike lane as a potential public space area. The trial aligns with the adopted master plan for Woolgoolga.	Completed 2022
Eurobodalla Shire Council	Light up the Bay	Batemans Bay Foreshore	Light Up the Bay was located on the foreshore of Batemans Bay and is a part of the wider Waterfront Master Plan and Activation Strategy, the project involved additional plantings, lighting and parklets created a place for people to spend time, alongside interpretive works developed with First Nations people.	Completed 2023
Griffith City Council	Street Scapes Griffith - Activation of Kooyoo Street, Griffith	Kooyoo Street, Griffith	A month-long activation program in Kooyoo Street, Griffith brought this area to life. People enjoyed a whole range of activities, whether they were enjoying an outdoor exercise class or a local performance, or just taking in the day on temporary seating or parklets. Temporary art installations and projects brought a creative edge.	Completed 2021
Lake Macquarie City Council	Pearson and Ridley Street Activation	Pearson Street, Charlestown	The intersection of Pearson and Ridley streets in Charlestown was the site for a new raised pedestrian threshold, as part of a broader plan to redevelop Pearson Street Mall. Supporting works included a refurbished bus station, new street furniture and planting, the installation of a 'smart pole' to monitor pedestrian movement, and installation of digital screens at bus stops.	Completed 2022
Lithgow City Council	Lithgow CBD Revitalisation – Pioneer Square	Main and Bridge Street, Lithgow	The Pioneer Park intersection of Main and Bridge streets in Lithgow became known as Pioneer Square with connections to nearby Pioneer Park and a transformation from a utility area to a space for community reconnection. The project removed walls and damaged brick path surfaces, levelled the ground and used push-in garden edges to create semi-permanent garden beds.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Murray River Council	Enlivening Communities and Connections within Murray River Council – Pilot Program	Echuca Moama Bridge and Cobb Highway, Moama	Moama came to life through light. The underpass of the iconic Echuca Moama Bridge was turned into a temporary public artwork, celebrating stories of the region. Perricoota Road at Moama was transformed through light to make a convenient and safe pedestrian and cycle path. Lighting projects on the Cobb Highway Moama provided safe passage and encouraged people to visit the CBD after dark.	Completed 2021
Murrumbidgee Council	Wiradjuri Walk	Darlington Point Town Centre	The Wiradjuri Walk at Darlington Point was activated with the installation of new public art and cultural icons and murals, designed with the local Wiradjuri people. These artworks capture the essence of the Wiradjuri culture while helping to define streets as safe, shared places for people, while also helping to stimulate and activate the Darlington Point town centre.	Completed 2021
Nambucca Valley Council	Provision of improved pedestrian access-Wallace Lane, Macksville	Macksville Town Centre	Macksville Town Centre is just one block from a popular recreational reserve on River Street fronting the Nambucca River. This project made it easier to move from the town centre to the foreshore, through the connection of Wallace Lane. The project included the installation of artworks, murals, a raised pedestrian area, lighting, planting, seating and entry statements.	Completed 2022
Port Stephens Council	Activating Port Stephens Street	Raymond Terrace, Shoal Bay	The Activating Port Stephens Streets project aimed to provide a busy pedestrian crossing in the centre of William Street, Raymond Terrace, that connects retail and dining areas, was upgraded with new public seating deck areas, new lighting, shade areas, additional greenery and accessibility improvements.	Completed 2022
Shoalhaven City Council	Creativity Connection -Public Art and creative responses to improve CBD social spaces in the Shoalhaven	Bomaderry Town Centre and Nowra Town Centre Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre Ulladulla Harbour	Creativity Connection was a three-part project to improve the CBD areas of the Shoalhaven and celebrate local artists. The project brought underutilised urban and green spaces to life, testing whether art can attract more people and make an area active. The project provided a walking path between Bomaderry CBD and Nowra CBD, the forecourt area at Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre and Ulladulla Harbour.	Completed 2022
Singleton Council	Singleton Council Living Laneways Project	Bourke's Arcade and surrounding laneways, Singleton	The Living Laneways project brought new life and activity to Singleton's laneways. A partnership with University of Newcastle's Future Art, Science and Technology Lab (FastLAB) created 4 interactive art installations: Shadowgram in Bourkes Arcade, Acoustic Alley in Tre-Bella Laneway, Media Orbs in Burns Lane and Oribots in Evidence Lane. People enjoyed three major events based around the art installations.	Completed 2022
Upper Lachlan Shire Council	Laggan and Taralga Shared Streets Project	Laggan Town Centre and Taralga Town Centre	Laggan and Taralga Shared Spaces Project aimed to provide street interventions to both the local town centres of Laggan and Taralga. Street interventions included street art and potted trees in Taralga and a temporary café area at Laggan helped create places for people.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Warrumbungle Shire Council	Little Timor Street	Little Timor Street, Coonabarabran	The plaza on Little Timor Street in the centre of Coonabarabran benefited from a new parklet and greenery to transform the location into a place for people. Activities in this newly revitalised space included exercise classes, night-time entertainment and a place for residents to come together to catch up and take a break and a rest.	Completed 2022
Wollongong City Council	Wollongong City Pop-Up Cycleways	Wollongong Town Centre and Port Kembla Town Centre	Wollongong City Pop-Up Cycleways aimed to establish a series of on-road cycleways to make Wollongong a better place for cyclists. Cycling connections were provided in key locations were also installed Wollongong and Port Kembla created separated cycleways, wider footpaths and mechanisms to slow vehicles.	Completed 2021

Round two

Up to \$20 million in funding was made available through round two, with the program delivered from 2022. Projects shown as expecting completion are defined by the status of their acquittal reports.

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
Blacktown City Council	A trial to improve an underutilised area in Mount Druitt town centre	Cleeve Close, Mount Druitt	Cleeve Close was transformed into a shared zone in the middle of Mount Druitt. This improved space offered people new seating and meeting places, as well as opportunities for active play and for exercise. The shared zone connected with the town centre's radial walking routes, helping the people of Mount Druitt to feel connected, healthy and included.	Expected Completion 2023
Burwood Council	Deane Street Precinct Transformation	Deane Street, Burwood	Deane Street near Burwood rail station became a new shared space, with the street closed between Burwood Road and Youth Lane. Footpaths were extended between Mary Street and Marmaduke Street and a new public space was created, with new seating, spaces for people to dine outdoors and enjoy the local restaurants and plenty of activities for the whole community.	Completed 2023
Camden Council	Larkin Place Activation Pilot	Larkin Place, Camden	Larkin Place is just a block away from Camden Town Centre's main street. This activation project explored the potential of the area to be a more vibrant and activated space, that was easier for people to move around on foot and also a place for people to linger longer. The project provided, new street furniture and opportunities for spontaneous and informal fun activities by businesses and the community.	Completed 2023
City of Canterbury Bankstown	SASSi Campsie	Anzac Square, Campsie	Anzac Square in Campsie became a trial shared zone in the area between Anzac Mall and Anzac Park. People were able to move around more easily on foot between Beamish Street, Anzac Mall and Anzac Park, with installations linked by pavement decals. Attractive lighting helped to make people feel safer while also bringing colour and interest to public areas.	Expected Completion 2023

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Greater Sydney				
City of Ryde	Gladesville Town Centre Activation Project	Linsley Street, Gladesville	Linsley Street in Gladesville town centre was transformed into a place for people. A small section of the street between Victoria Road and Western Crescent was closed off, reallocating road space to create a new public space in an area that people used to get from A to B on foot. The project included new seating, landscaping and interactive elements.	Completed 2023
City of Sydney	George Street North	George Street, Sydney	The northern end of George Street in the centre of the Sydney CBD was closed off to create a colourful and inclusive new gathering space for people. As part of the celebrations for Sydney World Pride 2023, the road space was transformed into a vibrant new precinct featuring bright furniture and roving street performers to attract pedestrians and encourage people to spend time in the city.	Expected Completion 2024
Georges River Council	Riverwood ReConnected	Belmore Road, Riverwood	Belmore Road is the main strip of Riverwood, connecting people to and from Riverwood rail station. This project aimed to bring life and attract locals to the road's underutilised open spaces and make it easier for people to move around on foot. New street furniture and shade provided places for rest and respite and free public WiFi encouraged the community to plug and play.	Expected Completion 2023
Hornsby Shire Council	Recall Your Mall?	Florence Street, Hornsby	Florence Street leads people directly to Hornsby rail station. As a well-used place, it was time for revitalisation, through improved lighting, new outdoor dining areas and informal seating. The installation of attractive new bollards demarcated retail areas and helped to improve safety for pedestrians, and new planters and paving brought colour and life to the space.	Completed 2023
Ku-ring-gai Council	Try Turramurra	Pacific Highway, Turramurra	Try Turramurra was about welcoming the community back to a well loved place with a revamp to the shopping precinct. The project created a series of trails that link separate sectors of the centre, incorporating public art, seating and greenery installations. This was supported by community events, a new pedestrian crossing and edible gardens.	Completed 2023
Lane Cove Council	Pop-up dining on Longueville Road	Longueville Road, Lane Cove	A new pop-up dining area on the busy Longueville Road in Lane Cove created a space for people to enjoy the outdoors, whether they were eating at a local restaurant or just relaxing. The project employed a mountable footpath and installed movable bollards to separate the space, and added parklets and new seating.	Completed 2023
Liverpool City Council	Railway Street Shared Spaces Demonstration Project	Railway Street, Liverpool	The Railway Street Project brings activity to this central area of Liverpool while also benefiting local businesses and enhancing the streetscape. It includes wider footpaths, kerb buildouts, parklets, surface treatments and artificial turf, all in amongst outdoor dining areas with new shade, planter boxes and lighting.	Expected Completion 2023

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Greater Sydney				
North Sydney Council	Blues Point Road, McMahons Point - High Street Streetscape Upgrade	East Crescent Street, McMahons Point	Blues Point Road runs through McMahons Point in North Sydney. As part of a broader master plan for the area, a new pocket park was trialled along this key strip. It featured greenery, new seating and opportunities for people to dine outdoors.	Completed 2023
Northern Beaches Council	Avalon - streets for people	Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach	The Avalon Streets for People project tested the creation of a new shared zone at the end of Old Barrenjoey Road near Avalon Parade. The street was reduced to one-way traffic to make room for easier pedestrian connections, community spaces and areas for outdoor dining.	Completed 2023
Randwick City Council	McKeon Street Plaza	McKeon Street, Maroubra	McKeon Street takes people directly down to Maroubra Beach. The trial of a new plaza at the intersection with Marine Parade transformed road space into a place for people, with areas for alfresco dining, plenty of new seating, colourful new artworks and a series of events and activations.	Completed 2023
Sutherland Shire Council	Flora Street – “Dine and Revitalise”	Flora Street, Sutherland	A new vibrant public space near the intersection of Flora Street and Eton Street, close to Sutherland rail station, was created for outdoor dining. The Dine and Revitalise project introduced wider footpaths, parklets and safer pedestrian crossings, acting as a test case to understand people’s appetite for this kind of change.	Completed 2023
Waverley Council	Bondi Bounce	Hall Street, Bondi	New parklets were provided in five key spots between Bondi Junction and North Bondi as part of the Bondi Bounce project. Locals and tourists were invited to walk between these key areas in an interactive, fun safe and informative experience that also allowed people to take a moment to take in the sights and sounds of diverse neighbourhoods.	Completed 2023
Willoughby City Council	Bellambi Street Square	Bellambi Street, Northbridge	A new Bellambi Street Square was created through the temporary closure of Bellambi Street where it intersects with Sailors Bay Road. The square acted as a connector between some of the main retail and commercial areas in Northbridge, while providing a place for people to catch up, relax, dine outside or enjoy local events.	Expected Completion 2023
Woollahra Municipal Council	Rose Bay Centre Connectivity Program	Wilberforce Avenue, Rose Bay	Rose Bay became a place of connection as temporary changes and interventions within the area’s network of laneways, streets, parks and car parks on both sides of New South Head Road slowed down cars to create new places for people.	Completed 2023

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Regional NSW				
Albury City Council	Albury Parklet	Dean Street, Albury	Three new parklet pods brought dappled shade, greenery and a place to sit and relax to Dean Street, in the middle of Albury CBD. The pods replaced four car parking spaces, with the location supported by surveys and consultation with local businesses. Several events – ranging from craft workshops and storytelling to chess and chamber music – attracted locals to enjoy these contemporary structures.	Completed 2023
Bathurst Regional Council	SaSS R2 Bathurst Town Square	George Street, Bathurst	Machattie and Parrish lanes form part of a network of streets around Bathurst's town square. Both were activated through new plantings and art installation, including Light Poles, a mixed media installation in Machattie Lane, which reflected Aboriginal stories and local vegetation. Improvement works on the lanes completed pedestrian links between of George, William and Howick high streets.	Completed 2023
Byron Shire Council	People not cars –reimagining Byron's spaces	Jonson Street, Byron Bay	The centre of Byron Bay can be a busy place for both people and the many cars passing through – this project tested the viability of a public open space at the heart of the CBD, with street and car park closures around Jonson Street over several weekends. The markets were relocated from the beachfront to the new space and both cyclists and pedestrians were put first.	Completed 2023
City of Newcastle	Darby Street trial 30km/hr zone and streetscape activations	Darby Street, Cooks Hill	Darby Street in Newcastle CBD is a busy strip of shops and restaurants. A trial tested a 30 km/hr speed zone to make this an easier place for pedestrians and cyclists. The footpaths were also widened and safer crossings over Darby Street put in place. Darby Courtyard became a new active place for the community with temporary seating, fun elements that lit up after dark, a movable parklet and art installations.	Completed 2023
Clarence Valley Council	Rediscover Grafton	Prince Street, Grafton	Grafton in northern NSW is a place of rich heritage. This project celebrated both the past and the present by enhancing Prince Street with new plantings to enrich the tree canopy and new footpaths to create spaces that invited locals to spend a little more time in the CBD, support local businesses and see Prince Street in a new light.	Expected Completion 2023
Edward River Council	Energising End Street	End Street, Deniliquin	Energising End Street helped to bring new life into Deni's public spaces. Works increased outdoor dining spaces and included new street furniture, landscaping and art installations. People enjoyed spending time in pop-up parklets or wandered around the cultural garden, while vacant shop fronts were activated with new art and lighting.	Completed 2023
Gilgandra Shire Council	Miller Street > Seats, Beats & Eats	Miller Street, Gilgandra	Seats, Beats & Eats on Miller Street, Gilgandra, transformed the community plaza near The Mill into a place for people. This became an area for locals to connect with one another, with new seating and greenery, as well as shade and shelters. The plaza included new lighting and outdoor speakers to bring colour, vibrancy, opportunity and energy.	Completed 2023

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Regional NSW				
Goulburn Mulwaree Council	Stimulating and Safe Shared Street Spaces	Auburn Street, Goulburn	Auburn Street in Goulburn was transformed into an innovative and creative community space, with the installation of a parklet, chill out trees, café corner, shady tree seating, lighting, a pedestrian crossing, planting, public art and street furniture. The project was driven by collaborative partnerships and created a safer public space in the city's main street.	Completed 2023
Griffith City Council	Activation of Memorial Gardens Carpark	Banna Avenue, Griffith	A section of the Memorial Gardens Car Park at the heart of Griffith was turned converted to an extension to the park for people and additional green space. This allowed Memorial Gardens to be extended as a place for a series of remarkable public events. It also created stronger connections between Railway Street and the main strip of Banna Avenue and attracted more people to spend time and money in the CBD.	Expected Completion 2023
Hilltops Council	"Enliven & Enlighten" Young	Boorowa Street, Young	Enliven & Enlighten in Young transformed crossings and underutilised space along Boorowa Street to create new activations along the three street blocks of Boorowa Street – between Clarke Street to Main Street, Main Street to Lynch Street and Lynch Street to Zouch Street. This brought life and colour to Young's town centre, supporting local businesses and creating new places for the community to gather and dwell.	Completed 2023
Kempsey Shire Council	Kempsey Laneway Revitalisation	Elringtons Lane, Kempsey	Two key laneways in Kempsey CBD - Elringtons Lane and Savages Lane – became welcoming new spaces for this north coast community. This reimagining not only boosted how the area looked and felt, it fostered a shared sense of community and increased safety. Treatments included revamped pavement surfaces, public art, lighting and CCTV to increase comfort, safety, accessibility and connectivity for pedestrians.	Completed 2023
Lake Macquarie City Council	Veronica Place, Cardiff	Main Road, Cardiff	Veronica Street in Cardiff, just south west of Newcastle CBD, became a new public space called Veronica Place. This required new thinking about the use of car parks and pedestrian areas. The project used art, trees, planter boxes and a variety of street options such as an informal stage to bring the area to life. Veronica Place hosted three events for the public over a four-month period.	Expected Completion 2023
Lismore City Council	Nimbin Wayfinding Project	Cullen Street, Nimbin	The Nimbin Wayfinding Project focused on Nimbin's main street, Cullen Street. Locals and visitors benefited from enhanced road and footpath networks – particularly the installation of the pedestrian crossing at 54 Cullen Street – and also enjoyed additional seating and shaded areas. This makes it easier for people to move around the area while improving safety and accessibility.	Expected Completion 2024
Lithgow City Council	Made in Lithgow	Cook Street, Lithgow	Cook Street Plaza in Lithgow became a vibrant place for people to come together for Made in Lithgow. Whether for formal or informal gatherings. Upgrades to paths, new overhead lighting and plenty of new greenery encouraged a more creative use of this central space.	Completed 2023

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Regional NSW				
Maitland City Council	Maitlanes	High Street, Maitland	Seven laneways in Maitland were unlocked as public spaces as part of Maitlanes which made it easier for people to connect in and around the CBD, while also attracting footfall and expenditure both day and night. All works in the laneways differed, ranging from murals, overhead lighting and soundscapes to augmented reality experiences and outdoor dining.	Completed 2023
Orange City Council	Outdoor dining activation for Lords Place Orange	Lords Place, Orange	Lords Place in Orange became a new smart hub for the city, with new areas for people to enjoy meals from local restaurants and cafes, under the colour and excitement of festoon lights. People dined in mobile booths that could be located outside different businesses.	Completed 2023
Parkes Shire Council	Eat, Meet & Greet Parkes Main Street	Clarinda Street, Parkes	Eat, Meet & Greet created a new public space along Clarinda Street in Parkes. People enjoyed outdoor dining and events, while finding it easier and safer to connect to more places on foot.	Completed 2023
Port Macquarie-Hastings Council	Laurieton Town Centre Master Plan Trial	Seymour Street, Laurieton	The Laurieton Town Centre Masterplan Trial transformed Laurieton's town centre through a 6-month program of activations and temporary changes. Parklets took over former parking spaces, helping to create a place for people to gather and to enjoy a series of local events.	Completed 2023
Port Stephens Council	William Street Urban Park Trial	William Street, Raymond Terrace	Raymond Terrace's main street, William Street, became the home of a new urban park, designed for people and made ready for small events. With the demolition of an unused building, the project introduced new seating, landscaping and a stage area, while also improving the way people could move from the commercial core to the new space.	Expected Completion 2023
Richmond Valley Council	The Greens on Barker	Barker Street, Casino	The vacant block near the centre of Casino was transformed into The Greens on Barker – a new public park on Barker Street. The project featured shade structures, accessible pathways, sandstone blocks for seating, picnic tables, noughts and crosses play equipment, and landscaping, as well as pavement stencilling and artwork. The area hosted pop-up markets and performances, benefiting local artists and growers.	Completed 2023
Tamworth Regional Council	Fitzroy Place Light Activation	Fitzroy Street, Tamworth	Fitzroy Street Place, adjacent to Peel Street at the heart of Tamworth CBD, was reimaged as a night-time venue, brought to life with both light and technology. As a new evening destination, Fitzroy Place was abuzz with illuminations and projections, encouraging people to see the public space in a new way.	Completed 2023
Tenterfield Shire Council	Linking People and Place	Manners Street, Tenterfield	Jubilee Park is a treasured community asset on the Tenterfield Creek. The Linking People and Place project created a new crossing point to the park for pedestrians and cyclists, and added a pop-up container café, solar lighting and public Wi-Fi. This diversified the way people could use the park and better linked the park with the Youth Precinct.	Completed 2023

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Regional NSW				
Warrumbungle Shire Council	Pull Up A Stump	Binnia Street, Coolah	Pull Up a Stump is a unique way to bring the local Coolah community together and celebrate the town's iconic rural history and culture. The project provided temporary stump seating made from reclaimed timber, along with new signage, artworks reflecting local culture, history and environment, lighting and plantings. People were connected from the main street to places such as the Riverside Walk, Yarning Circle and local gallery.	Completed 2023
Wollongong City Council	Crown N' Out	Crown Street Mall, Wollongong	Crown Street in Wollongong shifted from a focus on the car, to a focus on people as part of the Crown N' Out Project. Slower speeds to 30 km/hr and the reallocation of traffic space to a trail of outdoor dining spots created new and improved public spaces for people. The project also attracted more activity during the day and at night.	Expected Completion 2023

Places to Love

Over \$2 million in funding was made available with the program delivered from 2020.

Round one

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
Blacktown City Council	The Heart of Blacktown	Patrick Street, Blacktown	Blacktown city centre is undergoing rapid change, with a growing population and major projects that mark a new era for living, education and employment. Located in this richly diverse city centre, this project saw council co-design a Place Identity report and Place Framework with the community and other stakeholders. Several pop-up activations in the city centre tested the findings from the Place Identity in mid-2022.	Completed 2022
Burwood Council	A vibrant new linear plaza connecting people to the library and community hub	Unity Place, Burwood	The project included temporary and semi-permanent changes to support the creation of a new linear plaza connecting Burwood's upgraded library, community hub and council chambers to the town centre. The project included three large murals, landscaping, seating, smart poles, banners and decorative lighting. The new lane was celebrated with a Community Day, an outdoor library pop-up, community group dancers and musicians, temporary sculptures, and a vibrant night market.	Completed 2021
City of Sydney	Trial to help transform a street into one of the world's great boulevards	George Street, Sydney	This demonstration project took place along the southern section of George Street. In 2020, City of Sydney temporarily tested the closure of the street to vehicles. It did this through installing vehicle barricades, new seating, a vibrant road painting installation and engagement with local business and community. In 2021, informed by the success of the trial, council began the permanent pedestrianisation of this section of the street which was completed mid-2022 as a part of the program.	Completed 2022
Liverpool City Council	Transforming a service vehicle laneway into a place for people	Railway Serviceway, Liverpool	The project transformed a laneway with vibrant art created through community engagement that expresses the area's cultural diversity. Rainbow street print, planter boxes with trees and flowers, seating and colourful umbrellas for shade transformed the street into a place for the community to enjoy.	Completed 2022
Penrith City Council	Activating the community's vision for Kingswood	Orth Street, Kingswood	The project aimed to improve the area's safety and walkability by upgrading places where the community can interact and gather. Local women participated in a night walk where they shared their experiences and co-designed ways to improve safety. The project included playful wayfinding, creative lighting, new seating, tree planters embellished by a local artist, garden planters painted by the community, a handball court and a badminton net. It culminated in a free activation program which offered art workshops, community gardening sessions, urban nature tours, picnics, movie nights and night walks with women. The temporary trial has now informed permanent changes to the public space.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Wagga Wagga City Council	Reimagining Wagga Wagga's city centre	Fitzmaurice Street and Baylis Street, Wagga Wagga	From December 2020 to June 2021, the project transformed Baylis and Fitzmaurice Streets in the city centre into places for the community with public art, lighting, temporary furniture, mini-dining pop-ups, creative laneway treatments and music. The project culminated in a launch at the June 2021 Lost Lanes festival, which had thousands of people in attendance, supporting the night-time economic activity, connecting the community with local businesses and fostering community pride.	Completed 2021

Round two

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
Cumberland City Council	Enhancing active transport connections between two vibrant local centres and railway stations	Church Street, Lidcombe	This project improved the walking and cycling connection between two vibrant local centres and railway stations at Auburn and Lidcombe, with 170 metres of footpath extension and colourful interventions, enhancing the amenity in the area. Complementing the new footpath, a footpath mural, street furniture, wayfinding signage, planter boxes and a bike repair station with a drinking fountain were installed at Wyatt Park in Lidcombe. These enhancements were celebrated with a bustling community event, featuring a free open-air cinema, sports games, local community stalls and free food stalls. A parklet with a lighting and greening canopy was also trialled in front of the Auburn Youth Centre.	Completed 2023
City of Parramatta	Spotlighting local First Nations culture and creating a vibrant laneway in Parramatta CBD	Phillip Street, Parramatta	The aim of this project is to improve the sense of place, community, connectivity and pedestrian safety at the Eastern end of Phillip Street through a combination of place naming, artwork and activation. Drawing on local Baramadagal and Dharug culture, knowledge and history, the project seeks to deliver new First Nation-themed public art in a laneway connecting Phillip St to the Parramatta River. The project will also involve naming the currently anonymous laneway and will look to deliver street furniture on the northern end near the river. A community event will punctuate the completion of the project.	Expected Completion 2024
Regional NSW				
Tweed Shire Council	Vibrant activations and improved amenity in Jack Evans Boat Harbour	Coral Street, Tweed Heads	This demonstration project tested temporary place activations at Jack Evans Boat Harbour, attracting people to the parkland both day and night. During the day, a mobile coffee kiosk allowed the community to stop and sip while relaxing in pre-loved furniture from Council's own tip shop. Umbrella shading, tables and seating created welcoming and comfortable spaces for the community to connect. By night, Council hosted two extremely popular outdoor cinema events with hundreds of attendees in February 2023 and April 2023, supported and complemented by the local Twilight Markets.	Completed 2023

Your High Street

Up to \$15 million in funding was made available with the program delivered from 2020.

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
City of Canada Bay	Heart of Drummoyne	Church Street, Drummoyne	Heart of Drummoyne created new public spaces around Church Street, which comes off Victoria Road. Formosa Street was closed, creating opportunities to provide places to sit, new tree planting, public art, areas for kids to play and an outdoor dining area.	Completed 2023
City of Canterbury Bankstown	Lakemba Ramadan Lights	Haldon Street, Lakemba	Lakemba's Haldon Street became the heart of the community's Ramadan celebrations. Funding went towards wider footpaths, plenty of places to sit, additional landscaping and public art. People came together in an attractive, revitalised space with family and friends to celebrate Ramadan and feel a part of community life.	Completed 2023
City of Parramatta	Phillip Street Smart Street	Philip Street, Parramatta	Phillip Street has become Parramatta's new smart street – a place powered by contemporary technology. Elements include condition-responsive lighting, street furniture with built-in USB ports, smart irrigation, environmental monitoring, surveillance, public artwork and lighting. Sensors keep track of elements ranging from bins to parking areas, and much of the power comes from kinetic pavers that create energy.	Completed 2023
Fairfield City Council	Kenyon Street Public Domain Improvement Project	Kenyon Street, Fairfield	Fairfield City Council worked with private and public stakeholders on an aspirational vision to transform Kenyon Street as a living centre – a place focused on people feeling included in both formal and casual settings. Funding went towards wider footpaths, green public spaces and mechanisms to reinforce the 40 km/hr pedestrianised zone. Council helped to encourage people to stay longer, boosting local businesses and creating a sense of buzz.	Completed 2023
Hornsby Shire Council	Coronation StrEat!	Coronation Street, Hornsby	Coronation StrEat! transformed a car park that was once home to a commercial building constructed in the late 1800s. Funding re-purposed the area to create a new space for people, both bringing heritage infrastructure to life while providing a space for celebration, outdoor dining, farmers markets, live music and other activities.	Completed 2023
Inner West Council	Wardell Road (Dulwich Hill) Public Domain Improvements	Wardell Road, Dulwich Hill	The undergrounding of overhead powerlines on Wardell Road in Dulwich Hill opened the street up for transformation. New footpaths, landscaping, street furniture, street lighting and public art encouraged more people to come to the areas in the evening – extending opportunities for local businesses while also creating a new night-time hub. The works also made Wardell Street easier to access for people of all abilities.	Expected Completion 2023

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Greater Sydney				
Penrith City Council	Renewing the Heart of Kingswood	Bringelly Road, Kingswood	Kingswood is just east of Penrith City Centre and has a village vibe. This renewal project focused on Kingswood's local feel, with interventions such as footpath improvements, greening, street furniture, better signage and creative elements to improve how people could connect safely, while also benefiting local businesses and creative endeavours.	Completed 2023
Randwick City Council	Maroubra Junction Central Oasis	Anzac Parade, Maroubra	An underutilised green space in the central median strip of Maroubra Junction, on Anzac Parade between Maroubra Road and Green Street, became an urban oasis through additional landscaping improvements, lighting and seating. This created a new place for people to spend time – and a place for seasonal events. The project also brought together two halves of a divided town centre.	Completed 2023
Regional NSW				
Ballina Shire Council	Lennox Village Vision: Ballina Street -Where We Connect	Byron Street, Lennox Head	Various streets in Lennox Head's commercial centre were brought to life, following investments to slow traffic, wider footpaths and additional street lighting and new seating. The project created places for people to pause and connect within a village atmosphere.	Completed 2023
Gilgandra Shire Council	The Mill on Miller Street	Miller Street, Gilgandra	Miller Street in Gilgandra was revitalised to link the heart of the Central West with the natural beauty of the Castlereagh River. Landscaping, a new stage area for events and activations, and new lighting and public art. Through providing easier access, this encouraged more people to stay and spend time within the space and to enjoy the existing Windmill Walk.	Expected Completion 2023
Griffith City Council	Kooyoo Street Plaza Development	Kooyoo Street, Griffith	Kooyoo Street in Griffith CBD was transformed into a place for people, creating a new pedestrian plaza between Banna Avenue and Yambil Street. The new pedestrian plaza can be temporarily closed for cultural and art events, markets and holiday celebrations; alongside this, traffic improvements, safer paths and new seating encouraged more people to come to the area. As a new community area, the plaza also benefits local shops and restaurants.	Completed 2022
Hay Shire Council	Witcombe Place Phase 2	Lachlan Street, Hay	Witcombe Place is on the western side of Lachlan Street in Hay CBD. It was an underutilised space that came to life with new paving, tree planting and new seating, creating a much needed community space. A new sculpture celebrated the unique heritage setting, Hay's renowned Shilling Ram – a grand champion Merino from Hay that was immortalised on Australia's one-shilling coin.	Completed 2023
Maitland City Council	High Street Revitalisation -Grant Street to Ken Tubman Drive	High Street, Maitland	High Street is at the heart of Maitland's civic and cultural precinct, which includes Maitland Regional Art Gallery and Town Hall. The area between Grant Street and Ken Tubman Drive was underused. Funding unlocked the public space to create a new shared zone with seating, improved footpaths and street treatments, a parklet and a vertical garden.	Completed 2023

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Regional NSW				
Moree Plains Shire Council	Cooling Moree's High Street	Balo Street, Moree	Balo Street is the main street of Moree in western NSW. Hot and dry summer days can make it an unpleasant place for shoppers; thus, in order to improve comfort and bring more life to the area, funding went towards the planting of more trees, shade structures, water misters and lighting. Other measures were also put in place to slow down car traffic to make Balo Street not just cooler, but safer for everyone.	Completed 2023
Parkes Shire Council	Making Trundle's wide street the high street of choice	Forbes Street, Trundle	Trundle is a small community in Parkes Shire, with Forbes Street as its main street. Funding aimed to revitalise the street as a safer and more comfortable place for pedestrians. New pedestrian refuges, tree planting and a new community area for informal gatherings or local events attract both people from around the community, and motorists who are passing through.	Completed 2023
Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council	Monaro Lanes	Monaro Street, Queanbeyan	The Monaro Lanes project is all about renewal at the heart of the Queanbeyan CBD. Two pedestrian laneways were brought to life with new public art and lighting, to create better pedestrian connections, a stronger sense of safety and new commercial opportunities. The project also included new seating and outdoor furniture, new signage, greenery and new paving.	Completed 2023
Shoalhaven City Council	Junction Court Revitalisation	Junction Street, Nowra	Junction Court in Nowra CBD came to life with colour and fun, with play sculptures, group seating, shelters and strips of overhead lighting. A colourful mural along the ground now designates the space for pedestrians, creating a pedestrian friendly, safe, engaging environment that encourages people to use the main street to stay longer and shop in surrounding businesses.	Completed 2023
Tweed Shire Council	The Murwillumbah High Street Beautification Project	Wollumbin Street, Murwillumbah	Wollumbin Street is Murwillumbah's main street. Funding helped to create a place that was safer and more comfortable for walking and lingering. It improved connections from the entry of the town to the main retail area, to Knox Park and the town's arts and heritage precinct. The project included new greenery, street furniture, public art, pedestrian blisters and landscaping elements.	Completed 2022
Wagga Wagga City Council	Beautification of Fitzmaurice Street	Fitzmaurice Street, Wagga Wagga	Fitzmaurice Street has been revived as Wagga Wagga CBD's focal point, with works that improved how people could connect to the Murrumbidgee and its popular waterfront trail, while also counteracting the dominance of nearby shopping centres. Beautification and activation of the high street included lighting, artwork, parklets, bike features and new signage.	Completed 2023

Summer Fund

More than \$1 million in funding was made available, with the program delivered from 2020.

Council	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
Bayside Council	Light Up Bayside	Princes Highway, Rockdale	Light Up Bayside lit up Rockdale Town Hall over the summer. It was designed to welcome people back to Rockdale town centre following the COVID-19 pandemic and to showcase the broader Bayside LGA as a vibrant, community-focused place.	Completed 2021
Blacktown City Council	Our Kids Place	Patrick and Main Street, Blacktown	Our Kids Place was a pop-up park in Patrick Street, Blacktown. Over the Summer holidays, kids from across Blacktown enjoyed free live performances, workshops, storytelling and fun activities. The project supported employment for local artists and creative workers.	Completed 2021
Blue Mountains City Council	Mid Mountains Mingle	Staples Crescent, Lawson	The Mid Mountains Mingle took place around Staples Crescent, Lawson in the Blue Mountains. This family-friendly event showcased new and established Blue Mountains artists. It featured a drumming group and creative workshops.	Completed 2021
Burwood Council	Unity Place Activation	Burwood Road, Burwood	Unity Place is a new public space in the heart of Burwood on Burwood Road. Renamed in 2021, Unity Place was celebrated and enjoyed by the community with activations including food trucks, roaming performers, outdoor movies, cultural performers and a lighting installation.	Completed 2021
Camden Council	#CamdenLive	Argyle Street and surrounding streets, Camden	#CamdenLive explored new cultural experiences and showcased local visual artists and musicians in the streets and outside retail spaces and businesses in the main street of Argyle Street in Camden Town Centre. Fifty-two activations were held over two months.	Completed 2021
Campbelltown City Council	Kids On Q	Queen Street, Campbelltown	Kids on Q was a free activation for kids during the summer school holidays. Lithgow Street Mall in Campbelltown's city centre was transformed into a creative kids hub as parents enjoyed the broader On Q project. Four outdoor activations included creative workshops hosted by Western Sydney artists, sensory play activities and water play-based activities.	Completed 2021
City of Canada bay	Dumpling DJ Nights	Rider Boulevard, Rhodes	The Dumpling DJ Nights was a six-week outdoor evening activation series in Union Square, Rhodes. This is the central transport spine of Rhodes, connecting people between the rail station, cafes, restaurants, offices and shops, and became a social meeting place while also supporting local businesses.	Completed 2021
City of Canterbury Bankstown	Lunar New Year Campsie Noodle markets	Amy Street, Campsie	Anzac Street Mall in Campsie came alive for the 2021 Lunar New Year celebrations. The Year of the Ox was brought in with colourful décor, lanterns, food stalls, a Lion Dance, firecrackers, roving and acoustic performers during an early evening in February.	Completed 2021

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Greater Sydney				
City of Parramatta	Phillip Lane Outdoor Dining Project	Church Street, Parramatta	The outdoor dining project in Phillip Lane in Parramatta CBD came to life through summer evenings, with live music events designed in conjunction with local businesses including John Belvedere, Lone Star and Bondi Pizza, and artists, Dan Spillane, Zapfish, Muma Megs, Amy Chase, Natalie Conway and Lady Lauryn.	Completed 2021
City of Ryde	Neon Nights	Anthony Road and surrounding streets, West Ryde	Neon Nights in West Ryde Plaza was a pop-up activation including neon putt putt, LED hula hooping, LED dancers, LED backdrops and dessert options. Residents found it easy to extend their time within the town centre and have some fun together before or after dinner at one of their local West Ryde restaurants.	Completed 2021
City of Sydney	City Art Public Art Tours and Workshops	George Street and surrounding streets, Sydney	This project allowed the community to discover Sydney CBD through different eyes, with free artist-led tours in George Street, Darling Square and Redfern. Participants created models for their own public artwork, following a short tour of artworks in public areas.	Completed 2021
Cumberland City Council	Arty Party	South Street, Granville	The Arty Party celebrated Granville's new art space, Granville Centre Art Gallery. This late-night event offered people an action-packed night of live music, emerging designer markets, breakdance beatboxing, creative arts workshops and good company.	Completed 2021
Fairfield City Council	Cabramatta Lunar New Year 2021 Year of the Ox	John Street, Park Road, Arthur Street, Cabramatta	Cabramatta saw in the 2021 Lunar New Year - the Year of the Ox - in Freedom Plaza and on surrounding streets. The streets were brought to life with new décor, vibrancy and a Snap & Win campaign ran with cash prizes. An Instagram-worthy activation was held in Freedom Plaza where the God of Fortune handed out lucky candy.	Completed 2021
Georges River Council	In Good Taste - Outdoor Cinema	Kyle Pde, Connells Point	In Good Taste - Outdoor Cinema was held as part of council's Good Taste month. This free community event enticed people to enjoy a picnic overlooking the serene Donnelly Park, Connells Point, followed by the film, 'Chef'. The event also featured local food trucks.	Completed 2021
Hawkesbury City Council	An Easter Egg-sperience in our Town Centres	March Street and Windsor Street, Richmond George Street, Windsor George Street, South Windsor	The Easter Egg-sperience ran over three local town centres in the Hawkesbury City Local Government Area. South Windsor, Windsor and Richmond were brought to life with roaming entertainment, live music, chalk art and Easter activities throughout the main streets during the Easter school holidays.	Completed 2021
Hills Shire Council	Australia Day Vibes	Old Northern Road, Glenorie Old Northern Rd, Baulkham Hills Old Northern Rd, Castle Hill Heritage Park Road, Castle Hill Norwest Boulevard, Norwest	The Hills Shire came alive with music and art through Australia Day Vibes, a collection of forty-two local artists staging twenty-nine performances in Castle Towers, Heritage Park, Norwest Lake, Glenorie Bakery and Grove Square (Stockland Mall) in Baulkham Hills in January.	Completed 2021

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Greater Sydney				
Hornsby Shire Council	Food Truck Fridays	Berowra Waters Road, Berowra	Food Truck Fridays brought the whole community together. Held on Berowra Waters Road in Berowra, the events included a range of Sydney's best food trucks, fabulous live music, and a COVID-safe environment to farewell Summer.	Completed 2021
Hunter's Hill Council	Magic on Massey	Flagstaff Street, Gladesville	Gladesville's Massey Lane came alive during a three-week festival. The quiet laneway was activated with colourful 'love birds' canopy art, lights, planting, and casual seating. Visitors also enjoyed art installations and live performances.	Completed 2021
Inner West Council	Light Up the Town Halls	Darling Street, Balmain	Light Up the Town Halls was a lighting project that was part of Inner West Fest – Baludarri. Council invited a local Aboriginal mob to collaboratively work on the project, which included a strong storytelling element.	Completed 2021
Ku-ring-gai Council	Enliven Ku-ring-gai	St John's Avenue, Gordon Bobbin Head Road, North Turramurra Philip Mall West, Pymble Hughes Place, East Lindfield	Enliven Ku-ring-gai brought evening entertainment, music and food to the Ku-ring-gai suburbs of Gordon, North Turramurra, West Pymble and Lindfield. These pop-up live street events included music, kids entertainment and roving performers. As people wandered through these enriched local areas they were surprised and delighted by local artists, seeing friends and family and an enjoyable atmosphere.	Completed 2021
Lane Cove Council	Public Art Activation	Burns Bay Road, Lane Cove	Two temporary public art pieces popped up in Lane Cove village around Burns Bay Road. The pieces - 'Love Birds in the Plaza' and 'Plasma at The Canopy' were immersive and helped to bring Lane Cove to life.	Completed 2021
Liverpool City Council	Liverpool Art and Play Trail	Macquarie Street, Liverpool	Liverpool Art and Play Trail celebrated the Liverpool community's unique character and vibrant creative culture. People could explore art in the city centre at their leisure and discover the city's offerings, from the existing street art to temporary interactive art installations and two new murals.	Completed 2021
Mosman Council	Mosman Seaside Scavenge	The Esplanade, Mosman	The Mosman Seaside Scavenge was a beach clean-up event suitable for people of all ages. The public rolled up their sleeves to collect litter from Balmoral Beach and used the litter as the currency in a pop-up market to purchase pre-loved clothes and goods donated by the community. People enjoyed performances from local musicians and talks hosted by local community groups such as the Women of Water.	Completed 2021
Northern Beaches Council	World Food Markets & Food Truck Party	Mona Vale Road, Mona Vale	Mona Vale came alive with World Food Markets and a Food Truck Party hosted at Winererremy Bay. Visitors enjoyed a selection of food trucks while listening to live music and relaxing on their picnic rugs with friends and family.	Completed 2021
Penrith City Council	Penrith Producers	High Street, Penrith	High Street Penrith was brought to life with a free outdoor licensed evening event for the community to eat, drink and enjoy live entertainment through the Penrith Producers event. The popular Western Sydney band Mt Trio performed during the four-hour program while local traders provided culinary delights in a market style atmosphere with festoon lighting.	Completed 2021

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Greater Sydney				
Randwick City Council	Community Art and Performance at La Perouse Museum	Anzac Parade, Randwick	The community art and performance at La Perouse Museum engaged an Aboriginal artist to incorporate children's designs into temporary log seating as part of an Aboriginal story telling, didgeridoo playing and fire-pit. Where practical, children and their families assisted in the painting with the community artist.	Completed 2021
Strathfield Council	Lunar New Year 2021	Underwood Road, Homebush	Lunar New Year celebrations in Homebush West in 2021 brought people safely back into open space to enjoy several traditional Lunar New Year activities around Underwood Road.	Completed 2021
Sutherland Shire Council	Autumn School Holiday Activations	GyMEA Bay Road, GyMEA Jannali Avenue, Jannali Old Princes Highway, Engadine Menai Road, Menai Cronulla Street, Cronulla Duncomb Place, Menai	Events on high streets in five town centres – GyMEA, Jannali, Engadine, Menai and Cronulla – welcomed kids to come and meet their favourite farm animal, decorate cupcakes, discover incredible sea life and interact with the existing world of mini beasts during the Autumn school holidays.	Completed 2021
Waverley Council	Harmony Day in the Mall	Oxford Street, Bondi Junction	Harmony Day in the Mall was a joint event organised by Waverley Council and the Sydney Improvised Music Association to celebrate Harmony Day with a free concert in Oxford Street Mall, Bondi Junction.	Completed 2021
Willoughby City Council	Friday Afternoons at The Concourse	Victoria Avenue, Chatswood	Friday Afternoons at The Concourse featured breakout musicians from the Willoughby Symphony Orchestra joined by other Sydney musical acts.	Completed 2021
Wollondilly Shire Council	Summer Live and Local in the Dilly	Regreme Road, Wollondilly	Summer Live and Local in the Dilly included an Eat Street and Outdoor Movie evening in the Botanic Gardens. The event encouraged residents to reconnect while enjoying a range of local food trucks and local providers and producers while watching a new release film.	Completed 2021
Woollahra Municipal Council	A Rose Bay Evening & Go Slow Trail Gap Park Watsons Bay	New South Head Road, Woollahra	Rose Bay Evening celebrated the local village of Rose Bay. Retailers and restaurants hosted events with exclusive offerings alongside a Council-hosted picnic in Panerong Reserve for people to dine under the stars and enjoy live entertainment. The Go Slow Trail at Gap Park, Watsons Bay welcomed people to come out and enjoy the natural environment.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Albury City Council	Cinema in the Square	Dean Street, Albury	Cinema in the Square was an evening of entertainment, celebrating the end of summer with a fun night for the whole family in QEII Square in Albury. The event featured an outdoor screening of the comedy adventure film, 'Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle', as well as live entertainment before the screening. Cinema in the Square also provided opportunities for local vendors.	Completed 2021
Bathurst Regional Council	Musicians in the Park	Kings Parade and surrounding streets, Bathurst	Musicians in the Park aimed to activate public spaces and get people out and about to support local cafes. Musicians played on Kings Parade in the Bathurst CBD on various days throughout the week, with a focus on Friday and Saturday performances. An outdoor cinema event during the Bathurst Cycling Classic gave people a reason to remain in the CBD on the Saturday night of the event.	Completed 2021
Bega Valley Shire Council	Ephemeral Festival & The Candelo Festival	William Street Candelo and Princes Highway, Pambula	Ephemeral Festival was a one-day festival to celebrate the landscape of Panboola wetlands and the art and creativity that will be at their heart. Candelo Festival celebrated the bustling village of Candelo and its thriving arts scene and rural community.	Completed 2021
Berrigan Shire Council	Festival of Music on Chanter	Chanter Street, Berrigan	Festival of Music on Chanter brought music and celebrations to Chanter Street, Berrigan. When not enjoying the performances of five artists from around the region, people could visit the local shops, and catering provided by local community associations including the Berrigan Men's Shed and Berrigan Lions Club.	Completed 2021
Bland Shire Council	Bland Shire Main Street Activation	Main Street, West Wyalong	West Wyalong's Main Street was the place to be during the school holidays, with a series of interactive family events. People could get involved in workshops, some mini golf fun or obstacle courses.	Completed 2021
Blayney Shire Council	March Music Month	Belubula Street, Carcoar	March Music Month was jointly arranged between Blayney and Cabonne councils. Locals and visitors came together on a weekend afternoon and support local musical artists in a relaxed, casual setting. People were encouraged to bring along a picnic while enjoying time with family and friends.	Completed 2021
Bourke Shire Council	"Get out -Outback"- Bourke Easter Festival -Back in the Outback	Oxley Street and surrounding streets, Bourke	In three locations across Bourke—at Oxley, Mitchell and Sturt streets—people were encouraged to 'Get Out, Outback' during the Easter school holidays. The festival included a colour fun run, Back O Bourke Picnic Races, entertainment, a street parade, and community-run activities.	Completed 2021
Cabonne Council	Cabonne March Music Month	Hill Street, Molong	Cabonne March Music Month enlivened public spaces and created opportunities to revitalise the local economy following the COVID-19 pandemic. Two outdoor live music events in Molong and Cudal featured mobile food and drinks vendors, allowing people to relax, eat, drink and gather while enjoying the performances.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Central Coast Council	Bright Nights @ The Entrance	The Entrance Road, The Entrance	Bright Nights @ The Entrance was a free creative lighting display that attracted people to come and enjoy the town centre at night. As well as bringing activity, the event was a celebration of the coast's lifestyle, and helped support local businesses.	Completed 2021
Cessnock City Council	Lunchtime Specials	Vincent Street, Cessnock	Cessnock's Lunchtime Specials was a program of live music in Cessnock CBD. Events included A Morning of Brass at Cessnock Performing Arts Centre, with a special performance by Maitland City Brass and a history presentation about the brass bands, orchestras and choirs from the early coalfields of Cessnock. This was followed by a screening of the feature film, 'Brassed Off'. Another event was the exhibition of artworks about love, created by young and old in community workshops, displayed at Cessnock Library.	Completed 2021
City of Newcastle	New Annual Art Markets	King Street and surrounding streets, Newcastle	New Annual was the City of Newcastle's inaugural ten day arts festival where artists shared music, dance, contemporary performance, and visual art in a celebration of creativity across three city locations. Along with art markets, the event included a curated program of roving performers, independent local music acts and art installations at Civic Park.	Completed 2021
Clarence Valley Council	Little Bits of Magic: Art, Performance, Creativity	Pound Street and surrounding streets, Grafton	Little Bits of Magic: Art, Performance, Creativity was a festival of creativity at the heart of Grafton CBD. Across several locations, local artists presented creative workshops, live music and bespoke street-theatre performances.	Completed 2021
Coffs Harbour City Council	Bale Out!	Earl Street and Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour	Bale Out! featured live music events at Earl Street and Harbour Drive on the edges of Coffs Harbour. Using the concept of a performance on the back of a hay bale truck, the event brought music to new communities, and each offered its own unique flavour.	Completed 2021
Coonamble Shire Council	Coonamble Evening Festival	Castlereagh Street, Coonamble	Coonamble Evening Festival was held on Castlereagh Street, Coonamble, transforming the space into a pedestrian mall with outdoor markets run by local stallholders and a variety of street entertainment.	Completed 2021
Cootamundra Gundagai Regional Council	Summer Fun Day	Adams Street and Bourke Street, Cootamundra	The Summer Fun Day at Cootamundra and Gundagai included pool parties and youth-inspired activities such as a silent disco. People could find events and fun at local pools, parks, green spaces and community centres.	Completed 2021
Cowra Shire Council	Cowra Cinema Comes Back	Darling Street, Cowra	Cowra Cinema Comes Back celebrated the new cinema facilities at Cowra Civic Centre, the major public performing arts facility for the region. The opening featured a series of films for locals to enjoy for free during the summer.	Completed 2021
Dubbo Regional Council	The Great Easter Chase	Macquarie Street, Dubbo	The Great Easter Chase encouraged visitors and residents to download the Dubbo Region Discovery App and explore the Dubbo CBD, using the map and their phone camera to find virtual Easter Bunnies in key locations. The Great Easter Chase was based on augmented reality technology.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Dungog Shire Council	Creative Art Space Experiences	Dowling Street, Dungog Duke Street, Paterson Durham Street, Clarence	Small creative hubs throughout Dungog Shire villages – Dungog, Paterson and Clarence – saw people of all ages come along to paint, draw, explore, read, relax and create. These free to enjoy creative hubs included traditional art, creative artists, performers, authors and family activities	Completed 2021
Edward River Council	J-Milla Free Live Concert	George Street, Deniliquin	Hip hop artist J-Milla performed a free lunchtime concert and workshop with local Deniliquin High School students, then returned for a free outdoor concert on Friday evening in Deniliquin's new outdoor amphitheatre in George Street.	Completed 2021
Eurobodalla Shire Council	Regeneration	Princes Hwy, Narooma	Regeneration was a creative project driven by local performers at the heart of Narooma. The project included an immersive performance that encouraged people to explore Narooma's public spaces guided by personal stories.	Completed 2021
Gilgandra Shire Council	A Night Under the Gums!	Miller Street, Gilgandra	A Night Under the Gums!, held on the banks of the Castlereagh River behind Miller Street, Gilgandra, incorporated light displays to enhance the beautiful natural surrounds along with the sounds of live music and pop-up food and bar stalls.	Completed 2021
Glen Innes Severn Council	Walk of Light	Grey and Bourke Street, Glen Innes	The Walk of Light was a pop-up lighting event to bring visitors out to explore an unforgettable lighting and storytelling experience in the picturesque Glen Innes Anzac Parklands. People who came along also enjoyed live music, twilight Pilates and an easter egg hunt.	Completed 2021
Goulburn Mulwaree Council	The Festival of Place - Goulburn	Bourke Street and Braidwood Round, Goulburn	Goulburn's Festival of Place featured a series of live music sessions from popular artists, and free activities and workshops throughout the day including yoga, karate, Free G, drumming, circus and art.	Completed 2021
Griffith City Council	Griffith Easter Party	Banna Avenue, Griffith	Griffith Easter Party included a Side Walk Sale at the heart of Banna Avenue. Visitors and locals enjoyed a roster of performers, local entertainment and activities, bringing an exciting atmosphere and family fun in the heart of Griffith CBD.	Completed 2021
Gunnedah Shire Council	Gunnedah Autumn Market Day	Conadilly Street, Gunnedah	Two Rivers Arts Council and Gunnedah Shire Council worked together to celebrate the vibrant and diverse community at the Gunnedah's Autumn Markets as part of Harmony Day celebrations in March. The event also included international food stalls and inputs from local community and sporting groups.	Completed 2021
Gwydir Shire Council	Living the Gwydir Good Life - Grazing on the Gwydir	Maitland Street, Bingara	Grazing on the Gwydir was a celebration of the wonderful life people enjoy across Gwydir Shire. Held on the Maitland Street Bingara, the event was a festival of food, stalls, entertainment and fun.	Completed 2021
Hay Shire Council	Haylumminate	Lachlan Street, Hay	Witcombe Place in Hay came alive with a bespoke illumination artwork through the Haylumminate project. This night-time event also featured night markets over two nights, where locals and visitors enjoyed looking over the creative goods from local makers and creators.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Hilltops Council	Young Street Party	Boorowa Street, Young	The Young Street Party transformed Boorowa Street. It included a silent disco, M&M's busking competition, lots of fun with balloon twisting, giant games, a caricaturist and a circus performer doing hula-hooping acts and interactive sessions.	Completed 2021
Junee Shire Council	Broadway Sessions	Broadway, Junee	Broadway Sessions in Junee, featured a music street party and movie event that showcased local music and creative talent while also inviting the local community to come together to celebrate and spend time together.	Completed 2021
Kempsey Shire Council	Creating Place Through Culture	Livingstone Street, South West Rocks	Creating Place Through Culture consisted of markets and workshops in the warmer months of February and March at the Gladstone Quality Market, South West Rocks, Kempsey and Stuarts Point.	Completed 2021
Kiama Municipal Council	The Big Get Together - The Festival of Place	Shoalhaven Street, Kiama	The Big Get Together on Black Beach Foreshore in Kiama was an action-packed evening of stalls, food trucks, live tunes, a vintage car show and community art. The event concluded with a film under the stars.	Completed 2021
Lachlan Shire Council	Twilight Cinema	Bathurst Street, Condobolin	Twilight Cinema brought activity and fun to Renown Park on Bathurst Street, Condobolin. All the family came along on a Friday night in March to enjoy the film, 'Sonic the Hedgehog'.	Completed 2021
Leeton Shire Council	Brunch with the Bard - Henry V Community Launch	Leeton Plaza, Leeton	Brunch with the Bard - Henry V was the community launch of 'Henry V', a community theatre production at the Roxy Theatre Leeton. This free, family-friendly live event saw the actors in character among the crowd speaking Shakespearean English and performing scenes from the play.	Completed 2021
Lismore City Council	Lismore Art Activations	Magellan Street, Lismore	Lismore's cultural precinct came alive with partnership-based creative events. The Defiant Youth exhibition celebrated art and music from the young people of the Northern Rivers. Several workshops and programs were held, including a street art workshop by local artist Erica Gully, school holiday programs by Sydney Puppet Theatre and a lantern making workshop by LightnUp Inc. Youth Week 2021 featured creative workshops, musical performances and a Rainbow Youth Collective gallery residency and art showcase.	Completed 2021
Lithgow City Council	Pioneer Park Discovery Day presents Pioneer Pictures	Main Street, Lithgow	Pioneer Pictures was a street cinema that activated Lithgow's Main Street and highlighted and allowed people to discover recent improvements to Pioneer Square. It featured Easter celebrations including market stalls and family friendly activities.	Completed 2021
Liverpool Plains Shire Council	Liverpool Plains Military Tattoo + International Women's Day	Henry Street and George Street, Quirindi	A combined Liverpool Plains Military Tattoo and International Women's Day event gave the local Quirindi community a range of choices - from the performance at Longfield Park and the Women's Day event at the Royal Theatre.	Completed 2021
Maitland City Council	Neon Nights at Maitland Regional Art Gallery and Maitland Library	High Street, Central Maitland	Neon Nights at Maitland Regional Art Gallery and Maitland Library included performative lighting projections as well as live music and roving entertainment, engaging local artists and creatives.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Mid-coast Council	MidCoast Bustles	Beach Street, Harrington Isabella Street, Wingham Clarkson Street, Nabaic Tuloo Avenue, Hawks Nest Marine Drive, Tea Gardens Cowper Street, Stroud Macquarie Street, Taree Breese Parade, Forster	The MidCoast Bustles was a series of free live music events, where high-class local performers took the stage in Nabaic, Wingham, Stroud, Harrington, Tea Gardens and Hawks Nest. Taree and Forster libraries also hosted creative workshops for kids with local authors and illustrators.	Completed 2021
Moree Plains Shire Council	BAMM Autumn Art Series	Frome Street, Moree	The BAMM Autumn Art Series brought Moree's CBD to life over two weekends in the school holidays. An exciting joint initiative between Council and the Bank Art Museum Moree showcased –and helped to build –local creative skills and talents, with young and old from across the community getting involved.	Completed 2021
Murray River Council	A Sunday Session @ Moama Soundshell	Meninya Street, Moama	A Sunday Session @ Moama Soundshell invited the community to bring a picnic rug and wander down to the Soundshell for a relaxing afternoon of live and local music along with kids' activities, a bar and food stalls.	Completed 2021
Murrumbidgee Council	Artist Talk Jerilderie	Main Street, Murrumbidgee	This Artist Talk at Jerilderie featured Anthea Da Silva, the winner of The Darling Prize 2020. Anthea spoke about her journey in winning the national prize and provided guidance and a workshop in Jerilderie. National Portrait Gallery Exhibitions Curator, Penny Grist came to be part of the presentation and discussion on Portrait paintings.	Completed 2021
Muswellbrook Shire Council	Muswellbrook Art Hunt	Bridge Street, Muswellbrook	Muswellbrook Regional Arts Centre hosted the Muswellbrook Art Hunt -a free, fun, self-guided walking tour of ten public art and culture sites around Bridge Street in the centre of Muswellbrook CBD. Held during the Autumn school holidays, the Art Hunt was a digital treasure hunt for the whole family to enjoy.	Completed 2021
Narrabri Shire Council	Narrabri Shire CREATE Activation	Maitland Street, Narrabri	Narrabri Shire Council's CREATE activation was an arts and culture event that invited people to enjoy lighting projects and displays in Narrabri CBD and along the front façade of the Crossing Theatre.	Completed 2021
Narrandera Shire Council	Sunset Cinema	East Street and surrounding streets, Narrandera	Narrandera hosted a free open-air Sunset Cinema event with family-friendly movies and activities. Local businesses provided food packages for picnic-style dinner, allowing residents and visitors to come together and support the local economy.	Completed 2021
Orange City Council	Orange Future Flix	Summer Street, Orange	Orange Future Flix was an outdoor community event showing a well-loved film suitable for everyone, 'E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial'. People of all ages gathered to watch this classic film in Robertson Park in Orange CBD.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Parkes Shire Council	Foxy in the Park	Clarinda Street, Parkes	Foxy in the Park was a free community concert in Cooke Park, Parkes. The concert featured a local band and Foxy Cleopatra performing live on a temporary stage. People could also enjoy food from local eateries and entertainment for all ages	Completed 2021
Port Macquarie-Hastings Council	Port Macquarie Town Square Market	Horton Street, Port Macquarie	Two pop-up Town Square Markets in Port Macquarie CBD provided an opportunity for stallholders to test new business ideas, develop an understanding of the retail landscape, and develop business cases for leasing retail premises.	Completed 2021
Port Stephens Council	Endless Summer Program	Newline Road, Raymond Terrace	The Endless Summer Program at Raymond Terrace made the Shoal Bay foreshore the place to be on a Saturday evening. People enjoyed music and activities and could relax or dine out in new parklets and the park.	Completed 2021
Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Council	Araluen Market and Music Day	Araluen Road, Araluen	All the residents of the town of Araluen were invited to come together over dinner as part of the Araluen Market and Music Day. Accompanying music included a busking competition and bands. People also enjoyed markets, stalls and kids entertainment.	Completed 2021
Shoalhaven City Council	Nowra at Night	Junction Street, Nowra	Nowra at Night was an inter-generational celebration of community food and music, enjoyed by all ages to celebrate inclusion and diversity in the Nowra CBD.	Completed 2021
Snowy Monaro Regional Council	Jindabyne Lakeside Scavenge	Snowy River Avenue, Jindabyne	Jindabyne Lakeside Scavenge was a waterway clean-up event. The public rolled up their sleeves to collect litter from Lake Jindabyne and used the litter as the currency in a pop-up market to purchase pre-loved clothes and goods donated by the community. The festival-style event included live music, informative talks and stalls hosted by local community groups working in waste reduction and environmental conservation, such as Sustainable Snowies.	Completed 2021
Snowy Valleys Council	Snowy Valleys Activation	Mitchell Street, Khancoban	Activations across the Snow Valleys Local Government Area included live performances, temporary art displays and plenty of stalls from locally sourced food and beverages providers. People were encouraged to visit and stay longer, to kickstart the return of visitors and to start to re-use these local spaces, while spending time together.	Completed 2021
Tamworth Regional Council	Australia Day Concert	Kable Avenue, Tamworth	Tamworth's Australia Day Concert was held in Bicentennial Park, located within the CBD. The event included local food vendors/stalls, a welcome to country ceremony, live entertainment and fireworks.	Completed 2021
Temora Shire Council	NSW Festival of Place-Temora Creative Expo 27 March-18 April 2021	Junee Road and surrounding streets, Temora	Temora Creative Expo featured several creative workshops and activities in public spaces around Temora CBD. All workshops were facilitated by local and regional artist and creatives, with opportunities to register for ongoing workshops throughout the year.	Completed 2021

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Regional NSW				
Upper Hunter Shire Council	Christmas on Kelly	Kelly Street, Scone	Scone CBD was infused with the Christmas spirit for an evening of shopping, eating and entertainment. Local shops dressed up, street food and markets were available and roving performers brightened the street.	Completed 2020
Upper Lachlan Shire Council	Crookwell School Holidays Activation	Goulburn Street, Crookwell	Goulburn Street in Crookwell was the best place for kids to be during the busy April school holidays due to their holiday activation program. The program featured an open-air cinema, arts workshop, cultural shows, live entertainment, games, competitions and more.	Completed 2021
Wagga Wagga City Council	33.3 RPM Live	Baylis Street, Wagga Wagga	33.3 RPM Live welcomed people to turn back time and pretend it was the 1970s over one weekend at Wollundry Lagoon Amphitheatre in Wagga Wagga. The event featured open-air singing along to classic 70s tunes and people were invited to “dig out your old satin shirts and bell-bottom jeans, spruce up your mullet and brace your ankles to wear those three-inch platform shoes”.	Completed 2021
Walcha Council	1st Annual Walcha Swap Meet	Fitzroy Street, Walcha	The first annual Walcha Swap Meet gave people from the local community and surrounding areas the opportunity to meet up and trade or sell their second-hand objects. The event also featured live music, food vendors, and kids’ activities in this unique setting.	Completed 2021
Walgett Shire Council	Walgett Shire’s: SPIRIT OF PLACES FESTIVAL 2021	Shire Fox Street, Walgett Opal Street, Lightning Ridge Walgett Street, Collarenebri	The Spirit of Places Festival 2021 kept the local communities of Walgett, Lightning Ride and Collarenebri cool over the summer with events at local pools and community parks that featured, music, fun activities and BBQs.	Completed 2021
Warrumbungle Shire Council	Drive In Movie Nights	Goddard Street, Coolah	Drive In Movie Nights at Coonabarabran and Coolah were held during school holidays and offered a way for people of all ages to come together to celebrate Youth Week.	Completed 2021
Wingecarribee Shire Council	Lunch @ Bendooley Precinct	Bendooley Street, Wingecarribee	Over five weekdays, local workers and the Bowral community were invited to bring their lunch to a redesigned space to enjoy entertainment and activity as part of the Lunch @ Bendooley Precinct Project. The activations aligned in with the 5 Ways to Wellbeing Framework - to give, get active, keep learning, take notice and connect.	Completed 2021
Wollongong City Council	Pedal in the Park	Crown Street, Wollongong	Pedal in the Park on Crown Street, Wollongong celebrated cycling as a great way to have fun and improve wellbeing. People of all ages and abilities were encouraged to ride more often, while enjoying bicycle-themed activities, food and entertainment.	Completed 2021

Open Streets

Up to \$6.5 million in funding was made available with the program delivered from 2021 to 2022.

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Greater Sydney				
Bayside Council	Streets Alive Brighton le Sands	Bay Street and surrounding laneways, Brighton Le Sands	Over a weekend in May 2022, Bayside Council closed off Bay Street, in the heart of Brighton-Le-Sands, for an all-day event that kicked off with breakfast. Throughout the day, people enjoyed lunch or dinner while enjoying the market stalls, live music and a synthetic ice-skating rink, before settling down to enjoy the outdoor cinema in the evening.	Completed 2022
Blacktown City Council	F.A.M Fest -Food, Art and Music	Main Street and the Warrick Lane Precinct, Blacktown	Main Street in Blacktown was partially closed to vehicles over a weekend in May to host a food, art and music activation called 'F.A.M Fest'. Welcoming people back into Blacktown CBD, the festival featured a street parade along Flushcombe Road, a live art mural, petting zoo, amusement rides, market stalls and headliner performances from Jessica Mauboy, The Wiggles and others.	Completed 2022
Burwood Council	Burwood Bounce Back	Burwood Road and surrounding laneways, Burwood	Over three weekends, Burwood Road was transformed into an urban park. Themes each week differed, starting with the Lantern Festival, timed with Lunar New Year. Beats and Eats added music, light and colour to the town centre. Autumn Fest had a family focus with alfresco dining, amusement rides and food trucks. Clarendon Place also came to life with a large-scale floor mural bringing colour and excitement to this hidden laneway.	Completed 2022
Campbelltown City Council	Campbelltown Festival of Place -On Q & Ingleburn	Queen Street and surrounding laneways, Campbelltown Oxford Road, Ingleburn	Seven exciting place activations prioritised pedestrians in Campbelltown and Ingleburn. Handmade & Homegrown Markets, Thank Q It's Friday and Wander On Q took place along Queen Street, Lithgow Street and Short Street in Campbelltown and Sweet Street took over Oxford Road in Ingleburn. Campbelltown Arts Centre led a program to install two art murals in Campbelltown's City Centre.	Completed 2022
City of Canterbury Bankstown	Campsie Street Festival	Beamish Street and surrounding streets, Campsie	A weekend long activation saw Campsie's Beamish Street opened to people and closed to cars for food stalls, outdoor dining, kids' activities, live entertainment, large-scale chess and public art to showcase the thriving, dynamic diversity of this community. The event focused on building partnerships with local businesses.	Completed 2022
City of Parramatta	Parramatta Nights Street Festival	Phillip Street, Parramatta	Parramatta Nights Street Festival was based around a temporary closure of Phillip Street and surrounding laneways in Parramatta's CBD-linking five activation areas from Friday to Sunday for two weeks. Live performances, pop-up bars, outdoor dining, art installations and lighting treatments re-imagined the town centre and celebrated the diverse culture and talent of Western Sydney.	Completed 2022

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Greater Sydney				
City of Sydney	Summer Streets	Darlinghurst Road and Macleay Street, Kings Cross Crown Street, Surry Hills	As part of the 'Summer Streets' activations, Council held two road closure events along Darlinghurst Road in Kings Cross and Crown Street in Surry Hills. Each street was closed to traffic from 9am, with the events commencing at 11am and running until late in the evening. The road closures were accompanied by a program of roving and pop-up performances to entertain the public, and tables and chairs for people to sit and enjoy.	Completed 2022
Cumberland City Council	Ramadan Street Food Festival Good Vibes Granville	Auburn Road, Auburn South Street and surrounding streets, Granville	Council held events in two local centres: Auburn and Granville. The Ramadan Street Food Festival saw Auburn Road transformed and jam-packed with food trucks and stalls to create an authentic outdoor dining experience. Good Vibes Granville turned South Street into a vibrant and interactive hub over seven days, showcasing Western Sydney's diverse food culture and dynamic art music scene.	Completed 2022
Fairfield City Council	Culinary Carnival	Arthur Street and surrounding laneways, Cabramatta Spencer Street and surrounding laneways, Fairfield	Over two weekends in May, Culinary Carnival transformed Cabramatta and Fairfield town centres into a street party celebrating all things food and culture. Park Road, Arthur Street, Freedom Plaza and surrounding laneways in Cabramatta, and Ware Street, Spencer Street and Crescent Plaza in Fairfield were decked with food carts, live performances, and cooking demonstrations from a celebrity chef – 'Fast Ed'.	Completed 2022
Georges River Council	Summer Streets In Good Taste Festival	Forest Road, Hurstville Belgrave Street, Kogarah	The Summer Streets series transformed Kogarah Plaza into a circus school and Belgrave Street was pedestrianised for a night market featuring kids entertainment, food and market stalls. The Little Lunar Night Market along Forest Road, Hurstville kickstarted the 'In Good Taste Program' with food stalls, a three-metre-tall tiger sculpture and roving performances. This was followed by multiple Friday night markets showcasing live cooking demonstrations.	Completed 2022
Liverpool City Council	Starry Sari Nights	George Street and surrounding laneways, Liverpool	Taking place over three nights, Starry Sari Nights was a sensory experience with live performances, a market bazaar and outdoor dining to celebrate the local South Asian community. Council worked with local businesses to curate the fashion showcase, which featured their own designs. The road closure of George Street allowed businesses and attendees to rethink streets as places for people with the potential of activation and vibrancy.	Completed 2022

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Greater Sydney				
Penrith City Council	Festival of Place Open Streets	West Lane, St Marys Woodriff Street, Penrith	Seven activations in Penrith and St Marys town centres included closing off Woodriff Street, Masters Place and Masters Place Car Park in Penrith to cars to host a street party style program of food and drinks, DJs and world-class comedy acts. West Lane and Crana Street, surrounding Kokoda Car Park in St Marys became an ambient festival environment with alfresco dining, an outdoor bar, pop-up green space and performance stage.	Completed 2022
Strathfield Council	Festival 2140	Rochester Street, Homebush Henley Road, Homebush West	Activations across Rochester Street in Homebush and Henley Road in Homebush West over nine days featured live performances, market stalls, amusement rides and expanded outdoor dining. Local schools and cultural groups performed and local restaurants extended their licensed areas. Permanent elements were also installed, including an art mural, overhead lighting, garden renovations and installation of historical banners.	Completed 2022

Summer Night Fund

Over \$1.8 million in funding was available with the program delivered in 2022.

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Greater Sydney				
Blacktown City Council	Blacktown Block Party	Flushcombe Road, Blacktown	Blacktown Block Party featured some of the west's most exciting artists and creatives, transforming the Leo Kelly Blacktown Arts Centre into a playground of music, dance, markets and creative workshops and lights for the whole community.	Completed 2022
Blue Mountains City Council	Twilight Spaces - Explore, Engage & Experience	Katoomba Street, Katoomba	Twilight Spaces - Explore, Engage & Experience was a free family-friendly event that celebrated and promoted the artistic talents of the Blue Mountains creative community, filling Katoomba lanes and the town centre with colour, performances and sound.	Completed 2022
Burwood Council	Burwood Laneways	Conder Street, Burwood	Burwood Laneways activated a mix of laneways, shopping precincts and public spaces, bringing live music, markets, food, art and activity to the southern heart of the Burwood CBD.	Completed 2022
Camden Council	Camden Culture Club	John Street, Camden	Camden Culture Club was a series of events over four Friday evenings. Each event featured live public art installations, art demonstrations, makers market stalls for local creatives to sell their products, multicultural performances and food offerings as well as a curated display of story-telling projections that showcased Camden's ancestry, diverse culture, people and places through the Alan Baker Art Gallery's windows.	Completed 2022
Campbelltown City Council	Gather, Train, Create	Lithgow Street, Campbelltown	The Dance on Forum Q and Kids on Q Summer Fun project was designed to bring of young people into the newly installed dance space in Lithgow Street, Campbelltown. The event attracted people into the Campbelltown City Centre and showcased innovative and creative public spaces Forum Q whilst supporting the local creative industry, performance artists and surrounding businesses.	Completed 2022
City of Canada Bay	Beats and Eats Canada Bay	Church Street, Drummoyne	Beats and Eats Canada Bay included thirteen activation events in Drummoyne, Five Dock, Concord and Rhodes Town centres. In all four locations, town centres were activated which increased the local economic activity, business participation and visitor interest. The events created a pathway to employ local creatives, including musicians and cultural performers.	Completed 2022
City of Canterbury Bankstown	Movies Under the Stars	Paul Keating Park, Bankstown	Movies Under the Stars at Paul Keating Park, Bankstown was an evening movie event with a temporary outdoor cinema, with food trucks, entertainment and kids' activities.	Completed 2022
City of Parramatta	Jazz After Dark	Parramatta Square, Parramatta	Jazz After Dark in Parramatta Square was a series of eight jazz concerts over twelve nights in, featuring highly skilled performers from a diverse range of jazz traditions. The concerts attracted people into Parramatta CBD and encouraged them to dwell in the precinct into the evening.	Completed 2022

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Greater Sydney				
City of Ryde	Coulter Street Collective	Coulter Street, Gladesville	Coulter Street Collective was a laneway creative series in Gladesville designed to showcase local creatives, their skills, art and products. People also enjoyed entertainment from local musicians, live artist demonstrations, chalk art and kids workshops.	Completed 2022
City of Sydney	City of Sydney – City Art, Free Walking Tours	Dixon Street, Haymarket	Seventeen City Art free walking tours held by the City of Sydney featured public art in Chinatown and the city centre. More than 120 participants visited historically significant sites and contemporary artworks. Four local artists/educators led the tours, sharing insights into local histories and leading conversations about place, diverse cultures and art-making practices.	Completed 2022
Cumberland City Council	Good Vibes Granville - Neon Activation	Joseph Street, Lidcombe	The neon activation at Good Vibes Granville aimed to replicate the Vivid Festival from the City in the West. It included more than ten neon lighting installations across Russell Street, Granville over a week of evenings.	Completed 2022
Fairfield City Council	Cabramatta Lunar New Year 2022	Freedom Street, Fairfield	Lunar New Year 2022 brought Freedom Plaza in Cabramatta to life and the community gathered to see in the Year of the Tiger. Over two days people enjoyed interactive shows, lion dancing, live music, LED dining, free amusement rides, carnival games and fireworks.	Completed 2022
Georges River Council	Short Stuff Film Festival screening event 2022	Forest Street, Georges	The Short Stuff Film Festival in Hurstville in 2022 created an opportunity for young people from the area to showcase their talents to their community. The event brought 'Hollywood' to Hurstville through the inclusion of a red carpet and bollards, media wall and live entertainment.	Completed 2022
Hornsby Shire Council	Food Truck Fridays	Berowra Street, Hornsby	Food Truck Fridays in Berowra featured a pop-up bar, a range of delicious foods, live music from local artists and a COVID-safe environment for the community to gather. The festival supported local artists while engaging the community with plenty of home-grown music, local food and a safe, vibrant atmosphere.	Completed 2022
Hunter's Hill Council	Festival of Fools	Gladesville Street, Hunter's Hill	Festival of Fools was a night-time event in the Hunters Hill village shopping precinct themed around April Fools. People got together to enjoy informal outdoor dining and performance spaces while purchasing food from restaurants and cafes or browsing through other businesses. Roaming entertainment, a treasure hunt, costumes, decorations and workshops enhanced the theme across the night.	Completed 2022
Inner West Council	Inner West Fest - Dully Locals	Caves Street, Dulwich Hill	Dully Locals was a takeover of Dulwich Hill's laneways as part of Inner West Fest. Inner West Council worked with a local business group to bring light and art to Caves Lane with renowned artists and provided an opportunity and place for the community to safely gather and engage with their neighbours.	Completed 2022

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Greater Sydney				
Lane Cove Council	Village Night Lights	Liberty Place, Lane Cove	Village Night Lights at Lane Cove was a ten-day series of evening activations that included the illumination of iconic sites around the village. People were able to see an array of public spaces in Lane Cove through fresh eyes and connected with others in new ways.	Completed 2022
Liverpool City Council	Love Summer Series 2022	Bigge Street, Liverpool	The Love Summer Series 2022 in Liverpool Local Government Area activated local parks by turning open spaces into vibrant hubs that offered family-friendly games, performances and an open-air cinema. The event helped to boost community spirit, with events within easy walking distance from where people live.	Completed 2022
Mosman Council	Mosman Junction Street Party	Middle Head Road, Mosman	Mosman Junction Street Party was a free community event featuring live entertainment, catering and activities including face painting and cupcake decorating. The event provided an opportunity for the community to connect and celebrate together, enjoying the local village atmosphere.	Completed 2022
North Sydney Council	Village Vibes	Ernest Place, Crows Nest	Village Vibes at Crows Nest brought free live music to the community and featured performances by soloists, duos and trios. As people stayed to enjoy the music, they also supported surrounding local businesses.	Completed 2022
Northern Beaches Council	Manly Family Fun Fest	The Corso, Manly	Manly Family Fun Fest supported local businesses by activating public spaces in the evening and encouraging people to dine or get takeaway from nearby restaurants and cafes. As people enjoyed a meal, they could also take in the live music and family friendly entertainment.	Completed 2022
Penrith City Council	Penrith Producers	High Street, Penrith	Penrith Producers was a free, outdoor, licensed event showcasing locally made food and beverage whilst activating High Street. As people and colour brought the street to life, local businesses and the local food industry were the centre of attention. The event which also included live music and festoon lighting, creating an ambient festival environment for people to come and relax to live music, while enjoying food and drink.	Completed 2022
Randwick City Council	Eat, Drink, Play	Pioneers Park, Malabar	Eat, Drink, Play at Pioneers Park, Malabar was a five-day activation that encouraged people to come, meet and gather whilst enjoying local food trucks, live music and entertainment across the Easter long weekend.	Completed 2022
Strathfield Council	Strathfield Nights	Raw Square, Strathfield	Strathfield Nights was a music activation that brought free live music and family friendly activities to the centre of Strathfield. People were encouraged to linger and stay longer, supporting local merchants and businesses in the area.	Completed 2022
Sutherland Shire Council	Gymea Nights	Gymea Bay Road, Gymea	Across three-night events, Gymea Nights showcased a combination of fairy and festoon lights which were temporarily installed in thirteen trees along the restaurant end of Gymea Bay Road, Gymea. A roving four-piece brass band played to diners, and children enjoyed face painting, an arts and craft zone, balloon twisters, neon pirate jugglers and large outside games, such as Giant Jenga and Giant Connect 4.	Completed 2022

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Greater Sydney				
Waverley Council	Silent Disco Walking Tours in Bondi Junction and Bondi Beach	Oxford Street, Bondi Junction	A silent disco and walking tours were held over eight evenings between March and April at Bondi Junction and Bondi Beach. Each tour was site-specific and tailored to highlight local stories, identities and landmarks. People learnt new insights about their area and got to know areas and businesses for the first time. The tours were a spectacle and a colourful, entertaining activation.	Completed 2022
Willoughby City Council	Chatswood Live at Night	Victoria Avenue, Chatswood	Chatswood Live at Night brought free live music to The Concourse outdoor precinct in Chatswood. Where possible, performances in the concourse were aligned with those inside The Concourse Performing Arts Centre, extending the experience for people and enhancing their cultural and creative connection to Chatswood.	Completed 2022
Wollondilly Shire Council	"Love the Dilly" Eat Street, Markets & Movie	Menangle Street, Picton	Love the Dilly Eat Street, Markets & Movie, was a night time screening following the Together Arts Program in the Picton Shire Hall. Despite many challenges with weather and flooding, the movie screening was held with an appreciative audience in attendance and supported the overall community wellbeing and connection.	Completed 2022
Woollahra Municipal Council	People of Rose Bay	New South Head Road, Rose Bay	The 'People of Rose Bay' Photo Trail was a creative photo exhibition event that transformed key laneways, parks, beachfronts, and businesses in Rose Bay into an open-air gallery for one evening. Through temporary art activation, the Trail aimed to highlight Rose Bay's local identity including business owners, and enhanced pedestrian connections between the commercial core of Rose Bay and the Harbour.	Completed 2022
Regional NSW				
Albury City Council	Summer Night	Dean Street, Albury	Summer Night infused a rolling program of live music, free art, dance performances and mobile food and drink, in and around QEII Square at the heart of Albury. It aimed to help people see the area from a new, night-time perspective. This was a genuinely local event, with all artists, activity facilitators, performers, hospitality providers and other service providers from the Albury-Wodonga region.	Completed 2022
Balranald Shire Council	Easter in Balranald - Twilight Market	Market Street, Balranald	Easter in Balranald was an Easter Sunday twilight market held on Market Street, Balranald. Locals enjoyed a mix of market stalls from local businesses, smaller cottage industries, schools and community groups. This festive market featured lots of food, locally handmade crafts, home-grown produce, artwork and bric-a-bracs. The event injected joy, community spirit and a financial boost into the community.	Completed 2022
Bathurst Regional Council	Musicians in the Park	Kings Parade and Russell Street, Bathurst	Musicians in the Park comprised of a series of activations held in the Bathurst CBD, including a Music in the Park event, a NRL match, Cinema in the Park and commissioning an Aboriginal artwork. These activations encouraged people to return to Bathurst CBD to support local cafes and musicians.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Bega Valley Shire Council	Bega Valley Summer Nights Public Space Events	Cobargo Main Street, Pambula Town Hall, Eden Welcome Centre Merimbula Main Street, Bega Showground Bega, Bega	The Celebrate Cobargo Street Festival and two Merimbula Twilight Markets provided an opportunity for local businesses to showcase their products. The events were supported with street lighting, flags, art and creative displays, food and entertainment.	Completed 2022
Bland Shire Council	West Wyalong Chocfest	Main Street, Bland	West Wyalong Chocfest marked the commencement of Easter and the April School Holidays. The event included roving entertainers, giveaways, street stalls, shop local promotions, competitions, staged photo ops, live entertainment and businesses providing specialty menu items.	Completed 2022
Blayney Shire Council	Music and Movies in the Villages	Adelaide Street, Blayney	Music and Movies in the Villages featured two movie nights that included live music performances before the events and local food stalls. The events engaged a range of smaller villages to participate, activate and support their town centres and public spaces.	Completed 2022
Broken Hill City Council	Broken Hill Mundi Mundi Bash Fringe Festival	Argent Street, Broken Hill	The Broken Hill Mundi Mundi Bash is a music festival that supports many local businesses and brings activity and fun to Argent Street, Broken Hill's main street. Businesses extended trading hours as local artists, buskers and performers took over the main street and town square.	Completed 2022
Byron Shire Council	Friday Fun Inflatable & Cinema Night	Jubilee Avenue, Mullumbimby	Friday Fun Inflatable & Cinema Night were free family-friendly film nights that aimed to enliven Mullumbimby and provide a public space in the evening to support the local community and activate the night time economy.	Completed 2022
Cabonne Council	Venture to the Villages - Music and Movie events	Bank Street, Molong	Venture to the Villages - Music and Movie events featured three events, including an outdoor movie screening with live music. Smaller village communities like Molong were encouraged to participate and activate their town centres and public spaces.	Completed 2022
Central Coast Council	Terrigal Publi	Terrigal Esplanade, Terrigal	Terrigal Publi delivered unique seating and lighting arrangements along the Terrigal Esplanade which encouraged residents to leave their homes and gather, enjoying take away food from local retailers whilst enjoying the festival atmosphere.	Completed 2022
City of Newcastle	Music at the Museum	Workshop Way, Newcastle	Music at the Museum in Newcastle engaged local musicians and showcased new and emerging talent. The project was a free platform for social cohesion and community and allowed the Museum to be considered as an alternative live performance space.	Completed 2022
Cobar Shire Council	Cobar's Family Friendly Fun Night	Linsley Street, Cobar	Cobar's Family Friendly Fun Night was a family friendly evening that brought colour and fun to a local park and open space with activities such as markets, food vendors, entertainment, sports and cultural events. Through the diversity of events, the project attracted a wide demographic including both young people and families.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Coffs Harbour City Council	Coffs City Centre 'Block Party'	Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour	The Coffs City Centre 'Block Party' was an evening of free live music, shopping, food and entertainment. The event was aimed at families, who could come along to enjoy markets and free activities for children including pop-up performers and a fantasy photo booth.	Completed 2022
Coonamble Shire Council	Eat Street Coonamble	Castlereagh Street, Coonamble	Eat Street Coonamble welcomed twenty-two stall holders to outdoor markets in Castlereagh Street, Coonamble's main street. Through these outdoor markets, as well as street entertainment and decorations, many people flocked to the main street to help revitalise local businesses.	Completed 2022
Cootamundra Gundagai Regional Council	Festival of Lights	Parker Street, Cootamundra	Festival of Lights involved closing two blocks from traffic for an event on Parker Street, the main street of Cootamundra. The Festival embraced the community's new main street lighting including street trees decorated with fairy lights from past events. The community benefited from new seating, tables and decorations, while enjoying live music and the wares of local pubs, cafes and restaurants. People lingered into the evening, able to access food from surrounding eateries who had extended their hours into the evening.	Completed 2022
Cowra Shire Council	Cowra Celebrates After Dark	Edgell Park, Cowra	Cowra Celebrates After Dark was part of the Cowra Festival of International - a carnival that incorporated carnival rides, performances by local musicians, stalls, a bar, performances and activities and a large-scale fireworks display. The event drew people from surrounding areas to Cowra, increasing the economic activity of the area.	Completed 2022
Dubbo Regional Council	Festival of Footy - Music/Arts Event Activation	Macquarie Street, Dubbo	The music, arts and event activation around the Festival of Footy in Dubbo and Wellington CBDs offered free live music, dance and art while promoting regional arts and local music productions to residents and visitors.	Completed 2022
Dungog Shire Council	Creative Art Space Experience	Dowling Street, Dungog	The Creative Art Space Experience in Dungog Shire created small creative hubs throughout village centres. These free creative options were held in a safe local space and supported local works and food operators, while helping to revitalise local village economies.	Completed 2022
Edward River Council	Weekend in the Gardens	Cressy Street, Edward	Weekend in the Gardens in Deniliquin CBD was a weekend of live music, food trucks, a lagoon lantern installation, an outdoor mystery film, a bar, games and a lantern parade. The community embraced the event and enjoyed learning new skills while bring activity and fun to the heart of the city.	Completed 2022
Eurobodalla Shire Council	Endless Summer	Nata Oval, Eurobodalla	Endless Summer at Narooma featured a seating pod and the installation of lights, all aiming to attract more people to spend time in the public space at Nata Oval.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Gilgandra Shire Council	Enjoy Gilgandra > Under the Gums	Miller Street, Gilgandra	Under the Gums was held in Miller Street, the high street of Gilgandra. The event featured food stalls by local and regional producers, community groups and local businesses along with live music, a pop-up bar and lighting displays to bring the banks and beautiful river gums to life.	Completed 2022
Goulburn Mulwaree Council	2022 Season Launch -Goulburn Performing Arts Centre	Auburn Street, Goulburn	The season launch of Goulburn Performing Arts Centre's 2022 season was a night-time event that featured illumination, performances and supporting infrastructure to attract people to enjoy local businesses' evening offerings.	Completed 2022
Griffith City Council	Griffith Twilight Market	Banna Avenue, Griffith	Griffith Twilight Market was a night for makers, growers and producers to showcase their products while people were able to enjoy live music in the CBD. The relaxed atmosphere attracted people of all ages, nationalities and abilities.	Completed 2022
Hay Shire Council	Hayluminate	Lachlan Street, Hay	Hayluminate included a night-time light projection and markets on the main street in Witcombe Place in Hay over the Easter long weekend. The community and visitors were invited to re-engage with their main street and gather in the CBD. The theme for the artwork was 'Smiles', created through contributions from local schools and the community, including images, words and artworks that became a bespoke art piece to celebrate the community of Hay.	Completed 2022
Hilltops Council	Boorowa & Harden Street Party	Marsden Street, Boorowa	The Boorowa and Harden Street parties were festivals on footpaths, designed to activate the shopping precincts in each town whilst providing entertainment for young people and families. The event included roving street performances such as dancing, singing, bubble artists, magicians, face painting and lighting up local businesses.	Completed 2022
Kempsey Shire Council	Summer Nights at Kempsey Riverside Park	Eden Street, Kempsey	Summer Nights at Kempsey Riverside Park were held over two evenings and built on the existing daytime markets to extend activity in the area into the night. The events included the activation of the courtyard outside the library as a community space, a bush tucker garden and workshops to learn about bush tucker.	Completed 2022
Kiama Municipal Council	Kiama Season Soiree	Terralong Street, Kiama	A section of Terralong Street was closed to vehicular traffic and opened for the public for Kiama Season Soiree. As people came along to gather in the space they enjoyed a range of entertainment and activities, dance, performers, live music, kids games and outdoor dining on the street, celebrating the art and culture of Kiama.	Completed 2022
Kyogle Council	Park parties to shake off the covid blues	Kyogle Local Government Area	Park parties were held in Tabulam, Bonalbo and Mallanganee in Kyogle, bringing life and colour to local halls and parks. Locals and visitors enjoyed live music, a light show, film activities, projections onto buildings, local catering and other entertainment.	Completed 2022
Lachlan Shire Council	Flamingo Flotilla and Film Evening	Liberty Park, Lake Cargelligo	The Flamingo Flotilla and Film Evening at Lake Cargelligo was a late afternoon and evening of fun on the lake with inflatable flamingos, live music and an open-air cinema.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Lake Macquarie City Council	Lake Mac Festival 2022 -additional Creative Program	First Street, Booragul	Lake Mac Festival 2022 featured a creative program for the community. This included a free community breakfast at Croudace Bay Park, live music and an evening activation across the foreshore, including live entertainment and fireworks. The event attracted people of all ages, day and night across the entire city.	Completed 2022
Leeton Shire Council	Festival of Place SunRice Festival	Chelmsford Place, Leeton	The Festival of Place SunRice Festival at Leeton offered a comprehensive music program that featured some of the top live jazz acts, and a vinyl DJ set. Through interactive performances, the community were encouraged to participate and activate the main street businesses, bolstering the night-time economy.	Completed 2022
Lismore City Council	Illuminate Nimbin	Cullen & Sibley Street, Nimbin	Illuminate Nimbin activated Nimbin's high street and recreational precinct around Cullen and Sibley streets, shining light on Nimbin's creative culture. Despite the challenges of recent flooding, Council invited the local community and businesses to child-friendly events, markets and live music.	Completed 2022
Lithgow City Council	World Music, Dance and Food	Bridge Street, Lithgow	World Music, Dance and Food at Lithgow is a collaboration between the Union Theatre, Western Sydney University, Maldhan Ngurr Ngurra Lithgow Transformation Hub and the Tin Shed Restaurant. It created a connected entertainment and cultural precinct in the CBD of Lithgow. People enjoyed dance, entertainment, music, exhibitions and performances.	Completed 2022
Liverpool Plains Shire Council	What's great about the Plains!	Station Street, Quirindi	What's great about the Plains! was an event in Quirindi that featured six public night time film screenings across the Liverpool Plains Shire. The screenings provided easy to access and COVID-safe activations, encouraging people to come back to public spaces while also helping the night-time economy.	Completed 2022
Maitland City Council	Live at The Levee presents Changing Tides	High Street, Maitland	Live at The Levee presents Changing Tides was an event over two nights at The Levee in Maitland. Performers played on the floating stage on the Hunter River, capturing a wide audience.	Completed 2022
Moree Plains Shire Council	MyMoree by the Moonlight	Heber Street, Moree	MyMoree by the Moonlight was a family-friendly night street festival that celebrated art, culture, music and brought much-needed spending to participating local businesses. The event was provided a safe, positive environment for families and visitors to reconnect.	Completed 2022
Murray River Council	A Sunday Session @ Moama Soundshell	Meninya Street, Moama	A Sunday Session @ Moama Soundshell brought the community together at Moama's main street for a relaxing afternoon and early evening of live and local music. The event included a variety of food offerings and free kids' activities including pony rides, a reptile show and science activities.	Completed 2022
Muswellbrook Shire Council	Denman Summer Night Event	Ogilvie Street, Denman	The Denman Summer Night Event included street markets and a machinery show, celebrating the upgrade of Ogilvie Street, the main street of Denman. This is now a safer area for pedestrians and thanks to the night event, people now know this area as a refreshed, welcoming place.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Narrabri Shire Council	NarraBRIGHT 2022	Maitland Street, Narrabri	NarraBRIGHT 2022 featured an LED light show illuminating iconic building facades throughout Maitland Street in Narrabri CBD and the Crossing Theatre. The project showcased local musicians and children's activities based on the illuminate theme, engaging and inspiring the younger audiences with the wonder of the lights festival.	Completed 2022
Narrandera Shire Council	Summer Movie Nights	Victoria Avenue, Narrandera	Summer Movie Nights were held over two nights at Narrandera Sportsground. The events included several local partnerships and were designed to encourage the community to reconnect and support local businesses.	Completed 2022
Orange City Council	Orange's Future Flix street cinema series	Robertson Park, Orange	Orange's Future Flix street cinema series at Robertson Park in the CBD was held over four Friday nights. Each event invited the community to enjoy a free night out in Orange. Events catered for all age groups and abilities, providing the community and visitors a safe return to enjoy public space.	Completed 2022
Parkes Shire Council	Summer in the Park	Cooke Park, Parkes	Summer in the Park was a free, family-friendly concert in Cooke Park in Parkes. It was held at the new pavilion and invited the community to engage with various local artists and a five-piece band. The event attracted people from across the local community, as well as visitors.	Completed 2022
Port Macquarie-Hastings Council	Laurieton Alive Night Markets	Bold Street, Laurieton	Laurieton Alive Night Markets was a three-night event that features street-side market stalls, live music, outdoor dining, late night shopping and art display pop-ups. This interactive event for all ages maximised the region's summer evenings during peak tourism season.	Completed 2022
Port Stephens Council	Endless Summer Nights	William Street, Raymond Terrace	Endless Summer Nights featured two summer night markets and "It's On! Light's On" music, games and solar light activations. The Port Stephens Community could browse and enjoy markets, kids activation zones, music performances, public art workshops and food trucks.	Completed 2022
Shoalhaven City Council	Burradise Live Music in Culburra Beach and Vibe in the Village	Jacobs Drive, Sussex Inlet	Burradise Live Music in Culburra Beach and Vibe in the Village in Sussex Inlet brought activity to public spaces and featured live music and plenty of food and drink. Both events allowed Council to engage with local businesses and local food providers.	Completed 2022
Snowy Valleys Council	Snowy Valleys Night Markets	Albury Street, Tumbarumba	Snowy Valleys Night Markets at Tumbarumba featured a range of local businesses and producers in the town's CBD. The event included more than twenty market stalls, including food vendors, beverage providers, home and living products, children's entertainment and local musicians.	Completed 2022
Tamworth Regional Council	Family Night on Fitzroy	Fitzroy Street, Tamworth	Family Night on Fitzroy featured several micro events in Tamworth's Fitzroy Street. Family-friendly activities included henna art, face painting, Easter arts and crafts, food trucks, local restaurants, musical, dance performances and carnival rides.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Temora Shire Council	Places of Art and Culture Temora	Hoskins Street, Temora	The Places of Art and Culture Temora project focused on three major cultural spots: Temora Rural Arts Centre, Library and Town Hall Theatre. All were open during events, inviting residents to reconnect with these spaces and their community and create new connections to art and culture through arts workshops, book clubs and film clubs.	Completed 2022
Tenterfield Shire Council	Summer under the Stars	Rouse Street, Tenterfield	Summer under the Stars in Tenterfield aimed to activate the CBD by extending trading hours and providing outside dining, marketplaces and local entertainment along the street. Despite the challenges with weather, the live music and installation of the stars within Bruxner Park attracted visitors and locals to the main street and created a positive atmosphere.	Completed 2022
Upper Hunter Shire Council	Little Night Out	Kelly Street, Scone	Little Night Out in Scone CBD invited residents and visitors to eat out under the stars with entertainment, street performers, live music and food vendors. Creativity drove community connections and the CBD came to life with many local businesses benefitting from the increase in foot traffic. This celebration of local talent brought people into the town centre for an evening of entertainment.	Completed 2022
Upper Lachlan Shire Council	Upper Lachlan Easter Festival	Goulburn Street, Crookwell	The Upper Lachlan Easter Festival in Crookwell included an outdoor film and five nights of lights to activate the main street. The project aimed to encourage people to visit local businesses in the evenings, while celebrating the region's art and culture. Historic Goulburn Street and its buildings came to life with an array of coloured light projections.	Completed 2022
Uralla Shire Council	Uralla Shire Summer Night Events 2022	Souter Street, Bundarra	The Uralla Shire Summer Night Events 2022 included a night event at Bundarra Multipurpose Courts in April. The event incorporated live music and family-friendly entertainment to attract people from all age groups and diverse backgrounds. The project was all about community connection and wellbeing and provided opportunities for local musicians and performers.	Completed 2022
Wagga Wagga City Council	15 MINUTE PARKING Block Party	Fitzmaurice Street, Wagga Wagga	The 15 MINUTE PARKING Block Party on Fitzmaurice Street in Wagga Wagga was a one-off live music project in April. It featured live performances by a mix of musical genres and local and touring acts, bringing vibrancy to the community, who came together to celebrate Wagga Wagga's identity and character.	Completed 2022

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Regional NSW				
Walgett Shire Council	Walgett Shire Council Fun Summer Night Program	Fox Street, Walgett	The Walgett Shire Council Fun Summer Night Program was a series of twelve events including movie nights, discos, life skills workshops, pool days and games nights. Each event provided free meals, music, service promotions, games and activities and strengthened partnerships with local businesses, artists and service providers	Completed 2022
Warrumbungle Shire Council	Light the Night Markets	John Street, Coonabarabran	Light the Night Markets across Warrumbungle Shire provided the community with local markets, along with movie nights, meal deal events and a professional light up of the iconic Baradine Memorial Hall over two nights. The project supported local businesses and encouraged local artistic performances.	Completed 2022
Weddin Shire Council	Light Up The Night	Main Street, Grenfell	Light Up The Night in Main Street, Grenfell, was a one-week art installation. It included a contemporary light projection designed to encourage people to interact with and dwell in Main Street. It brought sound, light, movement and colour back to the retail centre.	Completed 2022
Wingecarribee shire Council	Hello 'good night'	Elizabeth Street, Moss Vale	Hello 'Good Night' delivered two events in Mittagong and Bowral which activated outdoor spaces to form a commercial corridor of the Southern Highlands. In Bowral, Corbett Plaza was closed between Bong Bong Street and Lamond Lane with Business Southern Highlands encouraging local businesses to stay open later, providing an evening offering. Diners enjoyed eating outdoors while being entertained with live performances organised by SH Jazz. In Mittagong, Ward Lane was closed between the Old Hume Highway and Regents Lane. Adjoining cafes were encouraged to open into the evening and provided a unique festival menu. The art gallery provided after hours art activities in the evening including artist talks. Young people were attracted to visit both events with subsidised food and beverages.	Completed 2022
Wollongong City Council	Three Summer Events	Bong Bong Road, Dapto	The Three Summer Events program delivered events for communities in Dapto in the Wollongong Local Government Area. Wollongong Council partnered with Northern Illawarra, Corrimal and Dapto Chambers of Commerce to deliver activations including movie nights, night markets and family friendly activities. The events supported local businesses, providing local food offerings and entertainment for the community.	Completed 2022

Long Summer Nights

Round one

Four Sydney CBD precincts activated from November 2021 to June 2022.

State Agency Partners	Project Name	Project Location	Project Description	Status
Greater Sydney				
Place Management NSW	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The Rocks: Laneway Cinema, Lunar New Year, Sweet Summer Street Party Sweet Summer SoundsDarling Harbour: Live at Lunch, Rollerama, Lunar Block Party, Summer of 20You, Lunar New Year, Live at Lunch, FireworksThe Domain: The Garden SocialWynyard Park: Wynside Out	The Rocks	The Rocks, Darling Harbour, The Domain and Wynyard Park celebrated a long summer with reimagined and newly created areas with outdoor dance floors, live music, theatre, and comedy shows under the stars. Cities Revitalisation and Place partnered with Place Management NSW, The Royal Botanic Garden and Domain Trust and Property and Development NSW to deliver Long Summer Nights, a series of activations under The Festival of Place from November 2021 to June 2022.	Completed 2022
The Royal Botanic Garden and Domain Trust		Darling Harbour		
Property and Development NSW		The Domain		
		Wynyard Park		

Round two

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Greater Sydney				
Place Management NSW	Long Summer Nights – Sydney WorldPride 2023	The Rocks Barangaroo Darling Harbour	As part of Sydney WorldPride 2023, The Rocks and Barangaroo created and hosted two stages (one in each precinct), that showcased music performances from the Sydney LGBTQIA+ community across Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays for the three-weekend campaign. To support this, a wayfinding and communications program was implemented to lead the public through The Rocks, Barangaroo and Darling Harbour precincts, and to the WorldPride stages and other activations.	Completed 2023

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