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Greater Sydney Harbour Coastal Management Program (GSHCMP) – July 2021 update

Dear Councils,

It is with great pleasure that we can inform you that the Minister for Local Government recently announced changes to the [Coastal and Estuary Grants Program Guidelines](#).

One significant change is that Regional Organisation of Councils (ROCs) as incorporated associations can now apply for grants. This amendment to the guidelines is what we have been waiting for and as a result, our CMP Planning Grant proposal is now ready to submit.

Thank you very much for your support and patience.

We look forward to the outcome of the combined SCCG-PRCG submission and will keep you informed of developments.

Best wishes,

Prof. Bruce Thom
Chair, Greater Sydney Harbour CMP Steering Committee