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Stronger Communities Programme a boost for Reid

Federal Member for Reid Craig Laundy said Reid has received a significant boost in the 2015 Budget.

“The Coalition Government’s new **Stronger Communities Programme** will provide $45 million over two years to fund small capital projects in local communities,” Mr Laundy said

“Our community will receive funding of $150,000 per year over two years, to support projects that deliver social benefits.

“I will be consulting closely with eligible organisations in Reid to identify high-priority projects,” Mr Laundy said.

“Between $1,000 and $20,000 will be made available to reputable, not-for-profit organisations for local projects.

“Grants will fund projects that will yield significant social benefits and can be delivered within the two-year lifespan of the programme.

“I look forward to seeing new local projects for a stronger community, and to the people of Reid benefitting from this programme.

“The 2015 Budget is the next step in the Government’s responsible, long-term economic plan to build a strong, safe and prosperous future for all Australians.”

Guidelines for the Programme will be available shortly on the Department of Infrastructure and Regional Development website at www.infrastructure.gov.au.

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