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Empowering the future of Larrakia

The ongoing opportunities for Larrakia families to access funding for community, education and training support has been one of the LDC's more effective initiatives, creating economic opportunities and advancement for all Larrakia since 2006.

When the Larrakia Ichthys-LNG Foundation Trust (LIFT) was launched in 2018 it allowed for more opportunities for the Larrakia community to access important funding through an enhanced LDC Distribution Policy.

In 2022 the LIFT funding opportunities will expand even further with the inclusion of funding access for Grounds Maintenance services for Larrakia aged over 50 and a trade tools fund for Larrakia trainees and apprentices.

These additional opportunities add to the already substantial support shared across the Larrakia community over almost two decades. The LDC Distribution Policy provided the following funding during the 2021 financial year:



**60s+
\$57K**



**Headstones
\$6.3K**

The LIFT funded Distribution Policy payments for the 2021 financial year are:



**Tertiary
Scholarship
\$34K**



**School
Participation
\$11K**



**Funeral Fund
\$52K**



**Upskilling
Program
\$3.5K**



“Ensuring access to important funding and assistance to the Larrakia community is the LDC’s mandate. This funding addresses some cost-of-living pressure on Larrakia families and leads to greater opportunities, particularly for our younger mob”.

Quote attributed to Nigel Browne, LDC CEO.

Larrakia who have been provided with funding are spread across all Larrakia family groups and most funding is available all year round except for the educational support programs which are open as per the following:

- LDCSP (Tertiary Scholarship) – Closing 16 February 2022
- LSPP (School Participation) – Term 1 of 2022 School Year (31 January to 8 April 2022)

We encourage all Larrakia to apply for any funding by completing the online forms on the LDC website <https://www.larrakia.com.au/distribution-policy/> or you can request a form via Email: applications@larrakia.com.au

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