## **NVC Nature Restoration Grants**Round 3 Supplementary Guide August 2025

The Native Vegetation Council (NVC) is pleased to offer landholders the opportunity to apply for funding to increase protection and improve condition of native vegetation on their properties. This program is seeking projects of sufficient scale to provide a significant environmental benefit.

This information is for Round 3 (August 2025) and should be read in conjunction with the Nature Restoration Grant Guide 2024-2026 v3 available on the DEW website.

Application period	This round will open 18 August 2025 and close 7 pm 8 November 2025.
Regions and funding available	The amount of funding for each round and in each Landscapes SA region will vary depending on the number and value of SEB payments in recent years.  Round 3 is open to landholders in the following Landscapes SA regions, with the following funding available:  • Northern and Yorke: \$3.7 million • Hills and Fleurieu: \$2.8 million • Eyre Peninsula: \$1.5 million • SA Arid Lands: \$1.1 million  The funding in each region may be awarded to one or more applicants, and not all funding may be allocated if suitable projects are not available.
Conservation priorities	<ul> <li>Applications that improve habitat for threatened species or vegetation communities are preferred and will be weighted higher. Threatened species or communities are listed within the:         <ul> <li>National Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999,</li> <li>State National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972, (refer schedule 7, 8 and 9),</li> <li>Provisional List of Threatened Ecosystems of South Australia [DEH in progress] (contained within the Grant Guideline)</li> <li>Regional conservation plans e.g. Landscapes SA plans</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
How do I find out more information?	<ul> <li>Read the Nature Restoration Grant Guide 2024-2026 v3,</li> <li>Attend one of the information sessions:         <ul> <li>Online sessions: 25 August, 11 am and 5 pm</li> <li>Face to face Drop in Sessions: Refer DEW website</li> </ul> </li> <li>Review the DEW website: <u>Department for Environment and Water - Nature Restoration Grants</u></li> </ul>
How do I apply?	Contact the Native Vegetation Branch to discuss your proposal.  Email: <a href="mailto:nvc.haprogram@sa.gov.au">nvc.haprogram@sa.gov.au</a> Phone: 8303 9777  Applications are to be submitted via SmartyGrants (on-line) by 7 pm 8 November 2025. The application form will be available on this website:  Click here to apply.