Hume City Council is a growing, urban fringe municipality about 20 km from the Melbourne Central Business District. The southern parts of the city are well-established urban areas while the north remains rural in character. It has a young population, with 31 per cent of residents under 18 years of age.

Hume City Council is experiencing significant growth at a rate of 4.3 per cent in 2018 - outstripping the national average growth rate of 1.6 per cent. The resident population in Hume City Council estimated at 224,400 in June 2018 is projected to grow by 53 per cent, to about 344,000 by 2036.¹

¹ Victoria in the Future, 2019

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The Growing Suburbs Fund is a contribution towards meeting critical local infrastructure needs for communities in Melbourne’s diverse and fast-growing outer suburbs. It is positioned to quickly respond to the pressures being experienced by interface communities by bringing forward local infrastructure projects that will make a big difference in the day-to-day lives of outer suburban families.

**GLADSTONE PARK PAVILION REDEVELOPMENT**

Circular Road, Gladstone Park 3043

**Background:** The Growing Suburbs Fund will assist Hume City Council to provide new changerooms and associated works to support the growth in female participation at the Gladstone Park Reserve.

The project will deliver a standalone modular pavilion creating an extension to existing facilities and will include the following:

- 2 x new changerooms with gender inclusive amenities
- Trainers/First Aid Rooms in each changeroom
- Dual umpire’s rooms (male and female usage)
- Club storage areas
- Utility/cleaner room
- External covered viewing area
- Compound fence around pavilion
- Accessible public toilet

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GROWING SUBURBS FUND 2019-20

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Expected date of commencement: November 2020
Expected date of completion: March 2021

Total Project Cost: $750,000
Growing Suburbs Fund: $400,000
Other contributions:
  - Hume City Council contribution $350,000

Other projects in Hume City Council to receive funding from the 2019-20 Growing Suburbs Fund are:

• Goonawarra Neighbourhood House Redevelopment ($228,600)
• Greenvale Recreation Reserve Playspace ($500,000)
• Cloerton Recreation Reserve Pavilion ($1,495,000)
• Kalkallo North Community Centre ($2,000,000)

Hume City Council will receive a total of $4,623,600 for five projects under the Growing Suburbs Fund 2019-20.

Growing Suburbs Fund contributes to a mix of infrastructure projects that have a direct benefit to communities living in the outer suburbs.

You can find out about other Growing Suburbs Fund Projects at localgovernment.vic.gov.au/gsf

For more information regarding these projects contact Local Infrastructure, DELWP.
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Figure 1: Gladstone Park pavilion location (Hume City Council)