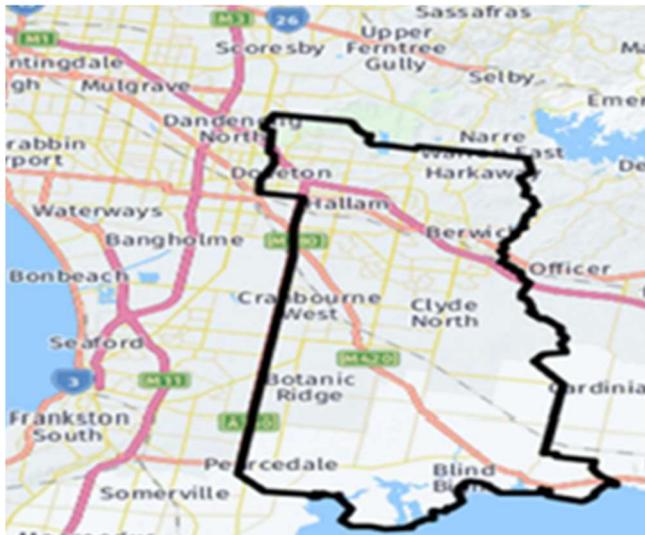


The Growing Suburbs Fund is a contribution towards meeting critical local infrastructure needs for communities in Melbourne's diverse and fast-growing outer suburbs. It is positioned to quickly respond to the pressures being experienced by interface communities by bringing forward local infrastructure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



HALLAM RECREATION RESERVE HALL RENEWAL AND REFURBISHMENT

118-126 Frawley Road, Hallam 3803

Project Description: The Growing Suburbs Fund will contribute funding to help Casey City Council deliver the Hallam Recreation Reserve Hall Renewal and Refurbishment project. The Hallam Recreation Reserve Hall is one of Council's higher-use facilities servicing a range of community groups in Hallam and surrounding areas. The current standard of the facility is inadequate to service participation growth. Renewal of the facility will meet the needs of current and future community groups.

Hallam Recreation Reserve Hall is in within a sporting recreation reserve which includes football, cricket and tennis activities.

The Hallam Recreation Reserve Hall Renewal and Refurbishment will include:

- Floor surface renewal to meet the standards for current recreational programs
- Improvements to public amenities
- Kitchen works
- Ventilation works
- LED lighting
- Acoustic panelling to provide more user-friendly environment
- Other internal/external works

The City of Casey is located in Melbourne's south-eastern suburbs, between 28 and 60 km from the Melbourne Central Business District. It is one of the fastest growing interface councils with a population growth rate of 4.4 per cent in 2017 when compared to the national average of 1.6 per cent. The population in Casey is predicted to increase from 327,400 in 2017 to approximately 515,000 by 2041.

The City of Casey encompasses a total land area of about 400 square kilometres. Rural land is used mainly for grazing, horse agistment, market gardening, commercial flower growing and open space and parklands. The City of Casey has a diverse and young community with about 36 per cent of residents speaking a language other than English at home and 22.7 per cent of residents under 15 years of age.

Victoria in the Future, 2016 <http://profile.id.com.au/casey>



Growing Suburbs Fund

GROWING SUBURBS FUND 2018-19

Expected date of commencement: September 2019

Expected date of completion: April 2020

Total Project Cost: \$1,770,000

Growing Suburbs Fund: \$885,000

Other contributions: Casey City Council contributes \$885,000

Other projects in Casey City Council to receive funding from the 2018/19 Growing Suburbs Fund are:

- Cranbourne West Community Hub and Urban Heart project (\$2,533,000)
- Endeavour Hills Community Precinct Stage 2 (EH2) project (\$1,682,100)

Casey City Council will receive a total of \$5,100,100 for three projects under the Growing Suburbs Fund 2018/19 Round.



Figure 1: Hallam Recreation Reserve Hall – external view (Source: DELWP)

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. Email: gsf@delwp.vic.gov.au or phone: 9948 8536

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

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