

Queensland

The QLD Government is supporting Business Entities in many ways, and the most relevant measures are outlined below. If you are classified as a Business use the [Coronavirus Business Assistance Finder](#) to see what your club may be eligible for.

Small or Medium Business Entity		
Scheme	Support	Eligibility
Coronavirus payroll tax relief	<p>You may be eligible for one or more of a range of payroll tax relief measures as a result of the impacts of coronavirus (COVID-19). These include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • refunds of payroll tax for 2 months • a payroll tax holiday for 3 months • deferral of paying payroll tax for the 2020 calendar year. <p>As part of this relief package, the refund and payroll tax holiday do not have to be repaid.</p>	<p>If you are an employer (or part of a group of employers) who pays \$6.5 million or less in Australian taxable wages, you may have received an email about a:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • refund of your payroll tax for 2 months (November and December 2019) • payroll tax holiday (i.e. no payroll tax to be paid) for 3 months (January to March 2020). <p>You can also apply for a deferral of payroll tax for the 2020 calendar year. (If you have already applied for a deferral, you do not need not reapply – it will be extended.)</p> <p>If you do not receive an email, or you are unsure about your eligibility, complete the refund/holiday application form.</p>
Coronavirus (COVID-19) electricity rebate	<p>Sole traders, small and medium businesses that consume less than 100,000 kilowatt hours will get a \$500 rebate on their power bill, as part of the Queensland Government's COVID-19 economic relief package for businesses.</p>	<p>The rebate will be automatically applied on business electricity bills.</p>

The QLD Government have several programs that support sport within the community. An example of a program which may assist your club if you have been heavily impacted by COVID-19 is below. For more information and a full list of funding programs click [here](#).

Community Sporting Organisations		
Scheme	Support	Eligibility
Gambling Community Benefit Fund	Not-for-profit groups operating in Queensland can apply for grants from \$500 to \$35,000 through the Gambling Community Benefit Fund (GCBF).	<p>For your organisation to be eligible, it must meet the requirements of either a legal entity or a sponsored entity.</p> <p>A legal entity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is incorporated or registered under an Act of Parliament • has an active ABN • has not-for-profit objectives • has a bank account in the name of the legal entity • must provide a bank verification form stamped by the organisation's financial institute. <p>A sponsored entity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is unincorporated and not registered under an Act of Parliament • has not-for-profit objectives • may be a local ambulance committee, rural fire brigade or State Emergency Service group.
Active Clubs Kickstart	COVID SAFE Active Clubs Kickstart provides funding of \$2,000 to sport or active recreation organisations so they can restart and continue delivery of physical activity opportunities to the Queensland community post-COVID-19.	<p>Your organisation needs to meet the following criteria to apply.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • registered with an ABN; and • local or regional level Queensland not-for-profit sport or recreation organisations or not-for-profit community organisations (with an objective of sport or recreation) incorporated under the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Associations Incorporation Act 1981 (Qld) ○ Corporations Act 2001 (Cwlth) ○ Cooperatives Act 1997 (Qld) ○ Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006 (Cwlth); or • sport or recreation clubs incorporated within a Queensland university.