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## STOCKLAND CELEBRATES \$1 MILLION MILESTONE FOR CARE GRANTS PROGRAM

The Stockland CARE Grants program, now in its fifth year, has today celebrated a key milestone with over \$1 million donated to more than 1,000 community groups across Australia.

Stockland today also announced the recipients of the 2018 CARE Grants program, with over \$270,000 awarded to local community groups to help support community-led programs and local opportunities, all aimed at building thriving communities.

In 2018 alone, Stockland has awarded grants of up to \$1,000 to nearly 300\* local community organisations across the country.

Michael Rosmarin, Chief Operating Officer at Stockland, said: "Stockland is proud to once again lend a hand to hundreds of community groups across Australia and to also be celebrating such a momentous milestone for the Stockland CARE Grants program having donated over \$1,000,000 since inception."

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Stockland CARE Grants is an annual program run across Stockland's Retail, Retirement Living and Residential portfolios to provide local organisations the opportunity to help create more cohesive, inclusive and engaging community-based programs.

The list of recipients of this year's CARE Grants can be found at <u>stockland.com.au/caregrants</u>. They include environmental groups, animal care and welfare groups, local charities, local primary and high schools seeking additional funds to launch special, community-based programs, as well as a host of local sporting, special interest, seniors and social clubs.

Michael Rosmarin continues, "We are passionate about our purpose to create 'a better way to live' and have a long-standing commitment to work with the community

building vibrant and thriving places for people to shop, work and live, now and into the future."

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\*293 organisations were awarded a Stockland CARE Grant in 2018

For more information on the Stockland CARE Grants program visit: https://www.stockland.com.au/about-stockland/stockland-in-the-community/care-grants

## Stockland

Stockland (ASX: SGP) was founded in 1952 and has grown to become Australia's largest diversified property group – owning, developing and managing a large portfolio of shopping centres, residential communities, retirement living villages, office and industrial assets. Stockland was recognised by the S&P Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI) as the as the global real estate sector leader for 2015-16, demonstrating world leadership across the areas of stakeholder engagement, customer relationship management, supply chain management, biodiversity and climate change strategy. Stockland was recognised as the Regional Sector Leader for Listed, Australian, Diversified Property Companies in the 2015 GRESB Report.