



**Marion Scrymgour**  
MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE

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## **SCRYMGOUR ANNOUNCES \$200 000 HERITAGE GRANTS**

Environment and Heritage Minister Marion Scrymgour today announced the successful applicants of the Northern Territory's \$200 000 NT Heritage Grant Program.

This funding comes on top of the Government's annual \$1 million injection of funds to preserve heritage-listed Government-owned sites.

"Our heritage not only defines our unique Territory identity, but it is also a very important resource for the tourism industry," Ms Scrymgour said.

"This Government is very much leading by example on heritage conservation, and as the single largest owner of heritage assets it is important that we set the standard for keeping them in good shape.

"But I am also pleased to announce today that \$200 000 will be allocated to various organisations throughout the Territory to undertake works on their heritage projects."

From this allocation, the National Trust will receive \$50 000 for conservation works to the Borroloola Police Station Museum and repairs to Magistrates House, Myilly Point.

Other successful grant applicants in the Top End include \$9800 to the Mine Manager's Residence at Batchelor, \$2500 for the excavation of Knight's Folly and \$18 000 for conservation works at St Barbara's Church.

"Not only is this great news for heritage, but it is also a win for small contractors around the Territory who get more work, and of course it benefits our tourism industry," Ms Scrymgour said.

**Successful applicants attached.**

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## NORTHERN TERRITORY HERITAGE GRANT PROGRAM 2005/2006

### HERITAGE ADVISORY COUNCIL - RECOMMENDED PROGRAM

APPLICANT	PROJECT	GRANT RECOMMENDED
Apostleship of the Sea (Darwin)	Stella Maris Hostel, Darwin	\$10,000.00
Aputula Housing Association Inc. Finke	Old Fettle's Cottage & Police Office - Finke Heritage Stage 2	\$8,900.00
Arltarpilta Community Government Council	Atitjere Culture & Knowledge (Education Project)	\$21,000.00
Catholic Diocese of Darwin	Nguiu Catholic Mission Precinct - Old Presbytery - Conservation Works Stage 2	\$20,000.00
Catholic Diocese of Darwin, Fr Joseph Pullanappillill, Central Australian Aboriginal Media Association Radio 8KIN FM (CAAMA)	Conservation works Sydney Williams Hut Catholic Precinct Tennant Creek	\$11,299.00
Ms Daisy Majar, Marindja Association	Digitisation and Preservation of Indigenous Radio Broadcasts relating to the Territory	\$5,000.00
Daly Waters Progress Assoc Inc.	Conservation of Marindja Earth mounds, located on Labelle Downs pastoral station	\$6,000.00
Hamilton Downs Youth Camp Inc.	Courthouse/Police Station	\$10,000.00
Hamilton Downs Youth Camp Inc.	Deviation plumbing - Hamilton Downs Youth Camp	\$3,500.00
Historical Society of Katherine Inc.	Interpretation signage - buildings Hamilton Downs Youth Camp	\$2,000.00
Larrimah Development Association Inc.	Assemble Sidney Williams building at Katherine Museum	\$5,000.00
Mr Clive Pollack, Springvale Homestead/Werner Sarny	"Now or Never Never Project - Larrimah"	\$3,000.00
Mr Rob Hobbs, Batchelor	Springvale Homestead - conservation works - paint verandah Mine Manager's Residence, Batchelor	\$2,000.00
Ms Julie Mastin, Darwin	Excavation of 'Knights Folly' in Darwin	\$9,800.00
National Trust of Australia (NT)	Magistrates House - Conservation works	\$2,500.00
National Trust of Australia (NT) Gulf Branch	Conservation works for Borroloola Police Stn	\$44,000.00
Raymond Doherty 'Doc's Fossicking & Panning Tours' Hayes Creek	World War II - conservation of sites	\$5,833.00
		\$1,600.00



St Barbara's Church, Catholic Diocese of Darwin	St Barbara's Church - Conservation works	\$18,000.00
Tangentyere Council Inc. Alice Sp.	Ayeyi - multi media social history, language & educational resource project	\$2,500.00

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