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City of Albany assists funding for local sport projects



Three local sporting projects will receive much-needed funds thanks to the State Government and the City of Albany.

The City of Albany will match \$67,000 in funding through the Department of Sport and Recreation's Community Sporting and Recreation Facilities Fund to go towards projects which will benefit local sporting groups.

The three successful CSRFF grants include more than \$12,000 for the Albany Clay Target Club to construct an additional shooting layout consisting of five concrete shooting lanes and a concrete trap house that accommodates the target trap thrower machine.

Napier Progress Association will receive more than \$9000 to resurface one of Napier Tennis Club's tennis courts.

Albany Leisure and Aquatic Centre will receive almost \$45,000 to upgrade courts on behalf of the Albany Netball and Basketball associations.

The City of Albany will match the funding, and the successful associations will also commit their own funds to the projects.

City of Albany Manager Recreation Services Samantha Stevens said the funding was result of the positive collaborative relationship between the City, DSR and local sport and recreation groups.

"The City is committed to supporting and developing sport and recreation in Albany," she said.

"City staff and Councillors regularly and actively engage with our local sporting groups which is part of the reason why we have such a vibrant sporting culture.

"The City thanks the Department of Sport and Recreation for its support and congratulates Napier Progress Association, the Albany Clay Target Club and the Netball and Basketball associations for being so positive and proactive in getting these projects off the ground."

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Pictured: City of Albany Manager Recreation Services Samantha Stevens with Albany Clay Target Club member Tyneal Callus, president Benjamin Braun and vice president Dave Palmer.