

Regional Arts Fund Quick Response Grants - September Round 2021

Applicant	Project Location	Project Title	Project Description	Funding amount
Louise Birgan Bezel	Brisbane, 4000	Metropolitan Showing of Waiting for Boris - a New Way of theatre	Showing of "Waiting for Boris - A New Way of Theatre" to a metropolitan audience (extension of tour) at the Elizabeth Picture Theatre, Brisbane. The evening will be dedicated to regional artist promotion and networking with casting directors, film producers, and arts representatives. "Waiting for Boris - A New Way of Theatre" is a recording project and showcase written and performed by artist Louise Birgan Bezel which was funded by the Queensland Government through the Noosa Council's Regional Arts Development Fund in 2021. The regional showcase of this project is for industry professionals and peers to evaluate the process of adapting a stage show to a cinema event, as well as to promote the work to a wider audience.	\$1,412.00
Mapleton Hall and Sportsground Trust	Mapleton, 4560	Festival of Small Halls Woodfordia presentation of Musicians	This project supports "The Festival of Small Halls", a travelling show organised by Woodfordia featuring Queensland artists presenting performances in small country towns during October and November 2021. This is the third year proposed for the local Hall at Mapleton. The project provides an opportunity to engage a local group of artists to perform as opening acts.	\$1,500.00
Ethan Roberts	Gympie, 4570	Gympie Single Launch - Underdog by Aspy Jones	This project supports Aspy Jones to launch his new single 'Underdog', a song written about people who get overlooked in life and do not have their chance to shine. Aspy is from Gympie, Regional Queensland and plans to hold the single launch for 'Underdog' in his hometown at the heritage listed Australian Institute for Country Music (AICM) building where he first started his career at 15 when he joined the AICM Rock'skool. This community event is planned for the evening of Saturday 13th November and will be including local artists from minority groups and aiming for gender equality whenever possible.	\$3,000.00