



COMMUNITY INVESTMENT AND FUNDING

We are committed to helping our communities achieve their goals. We aim to do this through a proactive, evidence based approach, investing in people and communities, and facilitating opportunities for positive change.

How we approach our work

The Taranaki community is at the Trust's heart. We are at the heart of our community.

Together we are stronger; this philosophy drives our approach as a philanthropic trust, working alongside community to:

- Build capable, connected communities
- Co-design solutions for positive change
- Focus on long-term impact

We are open and approachable, build trusted partnerships, community capacity and capability, engage expertise and work with others who share our vision for positive change within our region.

Our community grants are vital to maintaining the intricate fabric of our community. We also invest strategically to tackle our region's most significant challenges.

We are willing to take risks on new ideas and approaches with potential to deliver catalytic results and to invest with a long-term focus to achieve inter-generational change.

Over the next five years we believe the best opportunity to achieve beneficial change is by investing in outcomes that support and enhance child and youth wellbeing.

Why and how we seek to achieve beneficial change

We see a future where Taranaki tamariki (children), whānau (families) and communities are strong, resilient, connected and thriving across generations.

A future where Taranaki children, young people and whānau actively participate in their communities.

Our Focus for Impact is Child and Youth Wellbeing; the Early Years in a Whānau Context

Engaging and investing earlier has greater results long-term and positive outcomes later in life. Family and community are essential to child wellbeing.

We take a two-generation approach, investing in whānau wellbeing as well as wider community outcomes.

We fund initiatives that are based on evidence, are culturally responsive and achieve shared value.

Impact and innovation are important to us – we're prepared to try new ways to achieve greater results. We don't have the answers; we are open to learning and will share what we and our community discover to improve child and youth wellbeing.

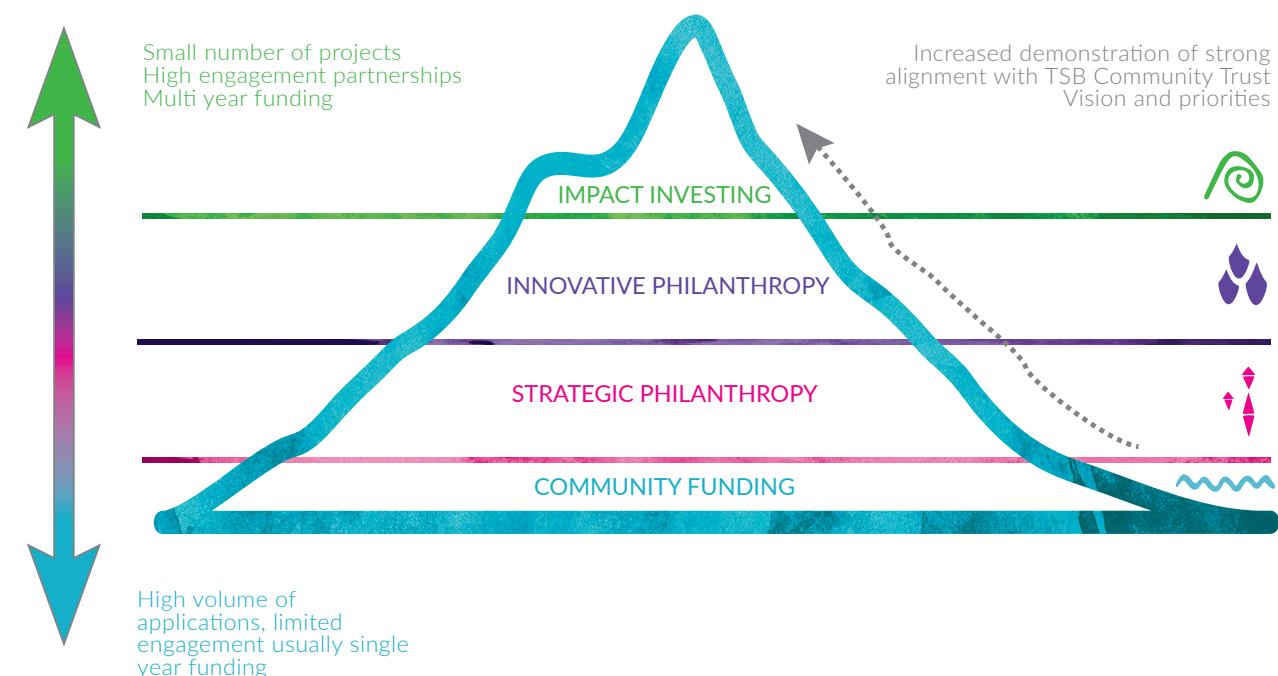
We will invest with the intention to achieve our Vision.

Refer to Our Funding Framework to find out more about how we structure our Community Investment and Funding, including our strategic priority of Child and Youth Wellbeing.

OUR COMMUNITY INVESTMENT AND FUNDING FRAMEWORK

How we apply our community investment and funding framework

The model below shows how we structure our community investment and funding.



COMMUNITY FUNDING

We understand the significance of our community grants towards supporting the fabric of our community. We are responsive to community requests that contribute towards our overall Vision. Our Community Funding includes Operational, Capital and Programme and Event Grants, Community Training and Facilitation and Match Funding.

STRATEGIC PHILANTHROPY

We are focused on working strategically to achieve our Vision and priorities. We do this through supporting, facilitating and engaging in strategic and collaborative relationships, partnerships and investments.

INNOVATIVE PHILANTHROPY

We may contribute innovative funding to support new opportunities with a high potential for catalytic impact developed and tested through place-based, co-designed initiatives. We take a flexible and adaptable approach to funding which includes resourcing for capacity building and understanding impact.

IMPACT INVESTING

We may make viable investments providing social and/or financial returns, with a focus on shared priority outcomes and significant impact. We engage in prototyping, and place-based initiatives with the potential to be developed (scaling up) for greater impact.

For further information about the TSB Community Trust refer to www.tsbtrust.org.nz