Volunteer emergency service organisations across the state will receive a share of a record $12.23 million in Victorian Coalition Government grants, Minister for Police and Emergency Services Kim Wells announced last Friday, 4 October 2013. With Life Saving Club’s throughout the state receiving $788,086 (inc GST) in the VESEP Round 3 Announcement.

The following LSV clubs/services were successful in their applications:

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Life Saving Victoria  Rescue Equipment
Lorne SLSC  Minor Building Works
Mentone LSC  Training Equipment Project
Mordialloc LSC  Patrol Radios
Mount Martha LSC  Lifesaving Equipment & Club Lift
Point Leo SLSC  OHS upgrade
Point Lonsdale SLSC  Lifesaving Equipment
Port Campbell SLSC  Offshore Boat Motor upgrade
Port Fairy Marine Rescue  Navigation & Base Communication Upgrade
Port Fairy SLSC  IRB upgrade
Portland SLSC  Replace the IRB
Seaford LSC  IRB Package
Seaspray SLSC  Replacement ATV
Sorrento SLSC  Fuel Storage - OH&S
South Melbourne LSC  IRB / Motor replacement program
St Kilda LSC  Boating Safety Equipment
Torquay SLSC  Operational Equipment Upgrade 2013
Venus Bay SLSC  Replacement of patrol vehicle
Warrnambool SLSC  Building Works and Vehicle
Williamstown Swimming & LSC  S&R Transportation
Wonthaggi LSC  Lifesaving Rescue Equipment Replacement
Woodside Beach SLSC  Replacement of Ford Ranger 4WD

Additionally, Life Saving Victoria has secured funding to support clubs in the implementation of mandatory Lifejacket wearing in IRBs. This will see all clubs issued with a quantity of lifejackets at no cost, which are compliant with the new safety measures.

All clubs who sought funding for this round will receive a letter notifying them of the outcome in the coming days.

Successful clubs can then purchase equipment as per their application. It is required that all equipment being purchased is approved and must be included in the SLSA Approved Gear and Equipment Manual. Please contact your club’s VSO for any questions on Gear and Equipment.

2013 VESEP Claim Forms should be forwarded to Paul Kildea– Manager, Financial Services at Life Saving Victoria State Centre for processing and payment. Please ensure all receipts are included.
Claim forms can be found in the Club Form section of the website below: