

Bee Friendly Farming® Tree Grant Terms and Conditions



Grants valued between \$1,000 and \$10,000 are on offer.
Grants for larger amounts will be considered.

Grants will be assessed on their merits based on the following criteria:

- Impact /benefits to local environment, farm and community
- Likelihood of long term survival (risks are identified and mitigation strategies in place)
- Species mix (preference for indigenous species, i.e. local to your bioregion with an allowance to cater for climate change forecasts)
- Location
- Permanent plantings
- Return on investment (level of co-financing).

Application start date 1 October 2022.

Application closing date 5pm AEDT on 21 November 2022.

It is anticipated that trees will be ordered in spring 2022 for planting in 2023.

To be eligible to apply for these tree grants, you must either be a BFF CERTIFIED Farm or have your BFF CERTIFIED application submitted and pending approval by the tree grant closing date.

Grants are available for trees (>2m at maturity) that are indigenous to the region, provide nectar and/or pollen rewards that support and encourage pollinator health and encourage a diversity of pollinators to enhance crop pollination outcomes.

Applications will be reviewed by a panel comprising representatives from When Bee Foundation, One Tree Planted, Flow Hive and the Bee Friendly Farming Task force.

The Panel's decision is final.

Successful applicants will be advised on or before 5 December 2022. This is to allow applicants to order suitable trees from their preferred local native tree nursery.

To confirm the grant, successful Applicants will be required to sign and return a grant confirmation letter.

Payment of the grant will be paid subject to providing a tax invoice for the agreed amount together with:

- Specific details defining the boundaries of the planting in a KML file, (we can provide information on how to do this)
- Evidence that the eligible/agreed trees have been planted (eg paid invoices listing the species or statutory declaration)
- Photographs showing the nominated/approved site planted with trees.

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