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Guy Barnett, Minister for Veterans' Affairs

Teddy Sheean Memorial Grants Program

Tasmanian RSL clubs, sub-branches and ex-service organisations are encouraged to apply for funding under round two of the Teddy Sheean Memorial Grants Program which opens tomorrow.

The Program will provide grants of up to \$10,000 for minor capital works, up to \$5,000 for equipment purchases or up to \$5,000 for the building, repair and maintenance of war memorials in Tasmania.

The initiative was established as a tribute to the bravery and sacrifice made by Tasmanian sailor Edward 'Teddy' Sheean, who gave his life for his country and fellow shipmates during a battle in 1942 off the coast of East Timor.

The Hodgman Liberal Government recognises the valuable contribution of Tasmania's service men and women and is committed to supporting the veterans and ex-service community in Tasmania.

Guidelines and application forms are available at www.communities.tas.gov.au/csr.