



# OFFICIAL DONATION FORM



## Queensland Rural, Regional and Remote Women's Network Inc Capacity and Sustainability Project

The Queensland Rural, Regional and Remote Women's Network Inc (QRRRWN) is partnering with The Foundation for Rural & Regional Renewal (FRRR) to support rural, regional and remote Queensland women to access training and self-development through its capacity and sustainability project.

**Thank you for giving a tax deductible donation towards the program.**

*Using this form to accompany your donation ensures a tax deductible receipt will be sent from FRRR to you.*

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### Please indicate how you wish to donate:

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| <b>I wish to give<br/>a one off donation of</b> | \$ |                   |  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Online</b> I have made a donation (nominating the QRRRWN Donation Account) through FRRR's secure website: <a href="http://www.frrr.org.au">www.frrr.org.au</a>                                |                                     |                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Cheque</b> enclosed payable to "FRRR" (Foundation for Rural & Regional Renewal)   |                                     |                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>EFT</b> I have made a donation to the Foundation for Rural & Regional Renewal Public Fund<br>BSB: 633 000 Account: 144 419 736 <i>Please use QRRRWN and your surname as payment reference</i> |                                     |                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Credit Card</b> please securely debit my  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard | <input type="checkbox"/> Visa |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>Invoice</b> I pledge to pay on receipt of an invoice for the amount indicated above   |                                     |                               |

### Please forward the completed form (& payment) to:

FRRR PO Box 41, BENDIGO VIC 3552 / email: [finance@frrr.org.au](mailto:finance@frrr.org.au)

**A receipt will be forwarded to the nominated address. All donations over \$ 2.00 are tax deductible**

### The Foundation for Rural & Regional Renewal & QRRRWN partnership

FRRR ([www.frrr.org.au](http://www.frrr.org.au)) is a charitable foundation based on partnerships between philanthropy, community, government and business. FRRR's strategy is focused on enabling communities to build their social capital and economic resilience; by engaging and providing resources for projects that create the change that communities aspire to achieve. FRRR provides a Donation Account to Queensland Rural, Regional & Remote Women's Network (QRRRWN) as a charitable project for the Capacity and Sustainability Project in line with FRRR's purposes. Donations made into the FRRR Public Fund towards the project are tax deductible because of FRRR's unique tax status.

# Queensland Rural, Regional and Remote Women's Network Inc

## connect ~ network ~ inspire

The Queensland Rural, Regional & Remote Women's Network (QRRRWNI) is a not for profit organisation, established in 1993, that exists to create supportive networks, self-development and educational opportunities for and also to improve the recognition and quality of life of women and young women from across Queensland. It particularly targets those disadvantaged by geographic isolation and those with limited access to education, employment, services and support systems within their rural, regional or remote (RRR) location.

QRRRWNI's mission is to connect RRR women and young women with each other to form social, business and community networks, participate in self-development training and workshops and to celebrate achievements of RRR women and young women, inspiring other RRR women and young women on their journey. Events and training take place virtually, face to face in rural areas and also at certain times in urban areas, with a state conference/gathering in a different RRR community each year.

## Capacity and Sustainability Project

This project provides educational opportunities and improves the quality of life of disadvantaged women and young women through facilitating their participation in the Strong Women Leadership & Innovation Program.

There are three elements to the program:

1. Educational & inspirational webinars on topics such as self-development, leadership and innovation;
2. Face to face workshops, inspirational speakers, recognition of strong women leaders, followed by;
3. A 6-month mentoring and innovation program.

The educational opportunities and workshops offered will teach resilience strategies, approaches to innovation, confidence building and personal development as well as offer participation in a longer term mentoring and innovation program. It will develop a supportive social and community network, link isolated women and young women to positive role models; celebrate the achievements, innovation and the resilience of isolated and disadvantaged RRR women; and create opportunities both personally and professionally for women to grow in their capabilities and confidence.

This project will open a door of enlightenment and opportunity to isolated women and young women severely affected by the compounding factors of drought and the mining downturn. Women typically put their needs behind those of their family, business and even community, often foregoing access to external stimulation and opportunities such as education and social outlets.

In drought times and times of economic downturn such as the mining bubble burst, this instinct is exacerbated by the need to go into survival mode due to reduced cash flows and financial pressure, increased workloads and less capacity and opportunity for employment. Developing resilience and innovation through improved support networks and low cost opportunities to access education, recognition and self-development will directly assist these women to increase their capacity to support their families and communities through this tough time and sustain them as creators of a positive and productive future.

