

# Ethnic Communities Development Fund

## Successful recipients December 2024

Organisation	Decision	Amount	Project Name	Location
<b>Priority 1. Take action to promote the value of diversity and improve inclusion of ethnic communities</b>				
Al Murtaza Association (NZ) Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$14,000.00	Unity in Diversity: Building Multi-Ethnic Community Connections	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Aoteroa New Zealand Federation of Tamil Sangam Inc (ANTS)	Partially Fund	\$17,500.00	ANTS Cultural, Community Wellbeing and Tamil Awareness Project (hereafter the Project)	Wellington
Central Districts Indian Association Inc	Partially Fund	\$20,000.00	Diwali Mela 2024	Manawatu-Whanganui
CREATIVE CAPITAL ARTS TRUST	Partially Fund	\$24,000.00	CubaDupa 2025	Wellington
Dunedin Tai Chi Club	Partially Fund	\$3,500.00	Taichi Club Activities and Performance for Chinese Festivals in 2025	Otago
HARBOUR SPORT TRUST	Partially Fund	\$20,000.00	Equip'd Expansion - Providing support and engagement with Asian pupils	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Royal New Zealand Coastguard Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	Chinese Boat Safety Challenge	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Tauranga Regional Multicultural Council Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	26th Tauranga Multicultural Festival 2025	Bay of Plenty
The Arts Centre of Christchurch Trust Board	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	One-day free Muslim Music Festival in 2025	Canterbury

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Wellington Volunteer Centre	Partially Fund	\$7,500.00	Building intercultural competency for Wellington community organisations.	Wellington

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<b>Priority 2. Ensure equitable provision of, and access to, Government services for ethnic communities</b>				
The Korean Society of Auckland Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$15,000.00	Korean helpline service	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau

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<b>Priority 3. Develop and support initiatives to improve economic outcomes, including addressing barriers to employment</b>				
New Zealand Nejashi Trust Inc	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	Empowering Muslim Women Refugees	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
WAITAKERE ADULT LITERACY INCORPORATED	Partially Fund	\$20,000.00	Journeys - providing support for students from Middle Eastern, Latin American, African and Asian origins to become published authors	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
WOMEN ENTREPRENEURSHIP CENTRE CHARITABLE TRUST	Partially Fund	\$12,400.00	Digital Skills Development Program (Community Project)	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau

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<b>Priority 4. Work to connect and empower ethnic community groups</b>				
Afghan Association of New Zealand Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$8,000.00	AANZ - Annual Afghan Independence Volleyball Tournament	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Age Concern Auckland	Partially Fund	\$8,688.00	South Asian Family Violence and Sexual Abuse Response and Prevention	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Auckland United Oromo Community Incorporated	Fund	\$10,916.00	Anchoring Multiple Identity	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
CANTERBURY INDIAN WOMEN GROUP TRUST	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	Programme for Women of Diverse Cultures	Canterbury
COMMUNITY PATROLS OF NEW ZEALAND CHARITABLE TRUST	Partially Fund	\$4,069.00	Ethnic Safety Forum Wellington - focusing on ethnic communities	Wellington
Empower Communities Charitable Trust	Partially Fund	\$8,877.00	Cultures United: Celebrating Diversity in Auckland	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh NZ Inc	Partially Fund	\$5,000.00	Youth Development 2025	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Ikatan Masyarakat Indonesia di Queenstown	Partially Fund	\$2,000.00	Indonesian Independence Celebration and Cultural Meet & Greet Event	Otago
ISIPATHANA COLLEGE OLD BOYS ASSOCIATION (NEW ZEALAND) INCORPORATED	Partially Fund	\$5,000.00	Isipathana Tag Rugby 7s Tournament - 2024	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Lady Khadija Charitable Trust	Partially Fund	\$25,000.00	Ethnic Women's Leadership Programme	Canterbury

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Luo Community of Wellington	Partially Fund	\$6,000.00	Luo Initiatives connect	Wellington
New Zealand Nejashi Trust Inc	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	Living Active Holiday Program	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
New Zealand Sri Lanka Cultural Foundation Limited	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	Nadanu Pa - Sri Lankan cultural show	Canterbury
NZ Pan African Broadcasting Corporation Charitable Trust	Partially Fund	\$10,000.00	PABC Athletics and Soccer for YOUTH & Marathon Running for Mental Health Projects	Auckland - Tāmaki Makaurau
Philippine Helpline Trust	Fund	\$10,000.00	Programme of activities for elderly Filipinos	Canterbury
Somaliland Society in New Zealand	Partially Fund	\$5,000.00	Indepence and National Day Celebrations	Wellington
Timaru Malayalee Assoiication Inc	Partially Fund	\$9,000.00	Christmas Celebration	Canterbury
WAIKATO COMMUNITY BROADCASTING CHARITABLE TRUST	Partially Fund	\$4,550.00	Free FM Ethnic Programming 2024	Waikato
Wellington Malayalee Association Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$11,000.00	WMA Arts and Cultural Project 2024	Wellington
Wellington Progressive Jewish Congregation Incorporated	Partially Fund	\$7,000.00	Growing our knowledge, sharing our culture - vital cultural lessons that will develop the cultural identities of students	Wellington

**Total funds disbursed: \$364,000.00**