

# BUSHFIRES 2019/2020



**For all Phase 2 Grants, the Qualifying Criteria:**

- \* Has suffered loss from 2019-2020 Bushfires
- \* At the time of the bushfires, lived or worked in a bushfire affected area
- \* Is over 18 years old
- \* One grant per household

Type of Grant	Eligibility Criteria	Amount
Hardship Grants	For individuals and families in bushfire affected areas For people who have not previously received assistance from TSA Those already assessed as Cat 1 or Cat 2 in SAMIS	\$1000 - DSS funds \$1000 - TSA funds  <b>TOTAL = \$2000</b>
Loss of Residence Grants	For individuals and families whose principal place of residence (owned or leased) has been destroyed or rendered uninhabitable due to the 2019-2020 bushfires Resident Homeowners primary target (non-resident Homeowners excluded) Only those already assessed as Cat 3 in SAMIS	\$1000 - Bendigo Bank funds (all states <b>except</b> VIC) \$7500 - TSA funds  <b>TOTAL = \$8500</b>

**For Clients already assisted in SAMIS, Assessors:**

- \* Sight ID and confirm basic details
- \* Confirm bank details
- \* Arrange EFT payment

**For New Clients, Assessors:**

- \* Obtain supporting and verification documents
- \* Determine type of Phase 2 Grant (above)
- \* Create SAMIS record and EFT payment