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Annual Plan 2025/26		Long Term Plan 2026/27	Annual Plan 2026/27	Variance To LTP
		\$000		
	Rates-funded General Grants			
7,386	Strengthening Communities	7,533	7,615	82
5,032	Strengthening Communities - Rates Remissions	4,781	5,957	1,176
628	Community Events funding	628	628	-
522	Major Events funding	522	522	-
500	Art Centre Funding	500	500	-
700	Environmental Partnership Fund	1,000	1,000	-
500	Biodiversity	500	500	-
400	Innovation and Sustainability	400	400	-
342	City Placemaking	342	342	-
400	Vacant Land Remissions	493	439	(54)
100	Accessibility Improvements Fund	100	150	50
85	Enviroschools	85	85	-
60	Pest Free Banks Peninsula	90	90	-
100	Rod Donald Trust – Operational Grant	100	100	-
167	Banks Peninsula Conservation Trust	167	167	-
1,654	Other Specific Grants	1,407	1,469	62
18,576	Total General Grants	18,648	19,964	1,316
	Economic Development Grants			
13,965	Christchurch NZ	14,272	12,472	(1,800)
2,135	EcoSystem Funding	2,735	2,735	-
2,500	Venues Ōtautahi Operational Grants	3,200	-	(3,200)
255	Antarctic Office	260	257	(3)
270	Central City Business Association	300	300	-
71	International Relations	71	71	-
19,196	Total Economic Development Grants	20,838	15,835	(5,003)
	Statutory Grants			
9,369	Canterbury Museum Trust Board	9,695	9,695	-
510	Riccarton Bush Trust	529	529	-
9,879	Total Statutory Grants	10,224	10,224	-
47,651	Total Rates-funded Grants	49,710	46,023	(3,687)

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	Capital Endowment Fund Grants			
966	Christchurch NZ - Economic development	988	988	-
618	Major Events funding	632	632	-
125	Santa Parade	125	125	-
260	Orana Wildlife Park	260	260	-
250	The Arts Centre	-	-	-
250	Watch This Space - Street Art Programme	250	250	-
50	Rainbow Project	-	-	-
1,030	Youth Hub Events Space	-	-	-
-	Arts & Culture Fund	50	50	-
220	Christchurch Foundation	-	220	220
-	TBA - PX	-	384	384
1,408	Unallocated Grant Funding	2,414	1,492	(922)
5,177	Total Capital Endowment Fund Grants	4,719	4,401	(318)
	Community Grants made on behalf of other organisations			
249	Creative NZ (Arts Council) Scheme	250	250	-
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	Capital Grants			
4,025	Venues Ōtautahi Asset Renewals	4,494	4,586	92
29	Riccarton Bush Trust Capital Expenditure	29	30	1
-	Rod Donald Trust	1,350	1,350	-
9,031	Canterbury Museum Redevelopment	9,031	9,031	-
-	Airforce Museum	-	5,000	5,000
-	Organics Processing Plant - EcoGas	-	15,000	15,000
13,085	Total Capital Grants	14,904	34,997	20,093
66,162	Total Grant Funding	69,583	85,671	16,088

