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Backing the Future Written Application Questions

Contact Details

This section asks for basic contact details to ensure we can get in touch once you have submitted your application!

- 1. What's your name?
- 2. What's your email address?
- 3. What's your mobile number?
- 4. Do you have a CV or LinkedIn profile? Please link it here!
- 5. How did you hear about Backing the Future?

Request Details

This is a space to provide us with a quick snapshot of your idea.

- 1. What is your Backing the Future title? You can see some past projects here.
- 2. What is your Backing the Future idea?
- 3. Which region(s) will your work take place?

Alignment

This section asks you to specify which VFFF focus area your work best aligns with and why.

- 1. Select the focus area with which your work best aligns.
- 2. How does your work align with the focus area selected above?

Strategy

This section gives you the opportunity to provide more detail about your idea and your approach.

- 1. What will you do? Who will be involved? Where will the work take place?
- 2. What is the issue or opportunity you want to address? What change do you want to see as a result of this work?
- 3. Please set out your key milestones/timeline for delivering your idea.
- 4. How is the work youth-led or informed by authentic input from young people?
- 5. What work have you already done towards achieving this goal? What are you proud of?

Financials

This section gives you the space to outline how you would allocate a \$50,000 grant and whether you have/need any other funding.

- 1. Please outline how you would allocate a \$50,000 grant. This should be an indicative breakdown of expected costs. Examples of expenditure items might include: salary, communications, office expenses etc. Please complete and upload the VFFF Budget Template.
- 2. Do you have funding from other sources (including in-kind contributions)? Who and how much? Will you require additional funding (beyond the \$50,000) to achieve your goals?

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Backing the Future Video Application Questions

Video

Please upload a 2-3 minute video addressing the following:

- Tell us about you (e.g. your background, connection to a rural and regional community)
- What is your "why" for doing what you do? What is your motivation for applying now?
- There will be a news headline about you and your work in 5 years, what will it say?

Please visit the VFFF Video Submission Guide for instructions on uploading a video link.

Note: your video will not be assessed beyond the three minute mark.