

# Key Government Grants

	SFFF	GIDI	EECA Suite	Waste Minimisation
Food + Bev	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development of prototypes / pre-commercial pilot scale NPD eg. lab grown or green protein</li> <li>Genetic research and breeding programs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development of prototypes / pre-commercial pilot scale NPD e.g. lab grown or natural gas systems with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Biomass fuel pellets</li> <li>High temperature heat pumps</li> <li>Electric heating solutions</li> <li>Geothermal steam</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identification of new technology and process change opportunities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roll-out of food scraps and green waste initiatives</li> </ul>
Agri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sustainable farming initiatives</li> <li>Cultivation of new proteins/crops for new uses</li> <li>Pest management initiatives</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opportunities assessment determining the areas of the business which could benefit from technology upgrades to reduce emissions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Waste sorting facilities</li> <li>Feasibility studies for organics and resource recovery</li> </ul>
Light manufacturing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reduction, repurposing, or recycling of waste products</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fleet transition from fuel to electric / hybrid / hydrogen</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feasibility studies and business cases to support delivery of organics and resource recovery collection, consolidation and processing infrastructure</li> </ul>
Heavy manufacturing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development of electric heavy machinery prototype</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identification, purchasing, fine tuning and monitoring of process heat alternatives</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Extension of plant to bring in new recycling process capability</li> <li>Focus on construction demolition waste</li> </ul>

	Provider	Intention / Purpose	Potential Benefits	Eligibility Considerations
<b>Sustainable Food + Fibre Futures (SFFF)</b>	Ministry for Primary Industries	Intends to fund initiatives in the food + fibre sector which have sustainable social, cultural, economic and environmental benefits to NZ.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commercial project: 40%</li> <li>Māori agribusiness: 50-70%</li> <li>Wider industry benefit: 50%</li> <li>IP widely available: 70-80%</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OPEX</li> <li>CAPEX only eligible for prototyping / pilot program</li> <li>Sustainable benefits to NZ + beyond BAU</li> </ul>
<b>Government Investment for Decarbonisation of Industry (GIDI)</b>	Energy Efficiency & Conservation Authority	Intends to fund electricity transmission and distribution infrastructure upgrades to support fuel-switching, early adoption of high decarbonisation energy technologies, and installation of energy efficient equipment in energy intensive processes and operations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At least \$150,000 funding</li> <li>50% co-funding rate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Project cost must exceed \$300,000</li> <li>CAPEX not OPEX</li> </ul>
<b>EECA Suite</b>	Energy Efficiency & Conservation Authority	Energy transition accelerator fund for opportunity assessment + financial planning.	\$35,000 funding at 40%	Best suited for organisations in agri, heavy industry, universities, large councils.
		Feasibility study fund for preparation of business case to determine viability.	\$50,000 funding at 40%	Must spend >\$150,000/year on stationary energy.
		Technology demonstration fund for acquisition of specified technologies.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-process heat: &lt;\$100,000</li> <li>Process heat: &lt;\$250,000</li> <li>40% co-funding</li> </ul>	Priority is given to technologies that could be used by multiple businesses and across industry sectors.
		Energy Systems Optimisation fund for fine tuning + calibration of new tech.	\$100,000 funding at 40%	Must currently emit >10,000tonnes/year CO2 on stationary energy
		Monitoring + targeting fund.	\$100,000 funding at 40%	Must currently emit >10,000tonnes/year CO2 on stationary energy.
		Sector decarbonisation provides specific pathways for different sectors.	No funding but pathways into the funding pipeline above	Current eligible sectors are aged care, brewing, coffee, commercial buildings, and covered cropping.
		Low Emission Transport fund for transition from fuel to electric / hybrid / hydrogen in transport sector.	Annual pool: \$25m at 20% co-funding	Must spend >\$50,000 on project.
<b>Waste Minimisation</b>	Ministry for the Environment	Intends to fund large initiatives which have significant impact on the shift to low emissions and a low waste circular economy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>R&amp;D, business cases or innovation: &lt;\$50,000</li> <li>Other: &lt;\$150,000</li> <li>Pool of \$120 million over two years</li> </ul>	Projects must intend to divert food, green, paper or wood waste from landfill.