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PPG TAUBMANS is continuing to support communities affected by drought, fire and floods with GIVIT for the 2023 In It Together campaign.

\$515,000 worth of donations have been distributed to Australian communities as part of *Taubmans In It Together* initiative with GIVIT since 2020.

This year Taubmans will continue its support of GIVIT over the Easter period with sales from selected Taubmans products contributing to a donation of \$180,000 for GIVIT, who will purchase essential items and services for people and communities in need.

Over the last four years, funds from Taubmans *In It Together* annual Easter campaign have been donated to GIVIT for community projects nationally. In the last financial period alone over 199 community projects were supported nationally.

These donations have gone to communities right across Australia, providing support with rebuilding, maintenance, vouchers, home appliances and more.

“Our work with GIVIT is important to us at Taubmans. We have been in it together with the community for over 125 years and working with GIVIT allows us to give back to communities where and when they need it most.” Said, Sarah Yap, PPG Head of Marketing, Architectural, Australia and NZ.

Not-for-profit donation platform [GIVIT](#) works with more than 4,500 local councils, charities and support organisations across Australia to ensure people get what they need, when they need it.

“We’re so grateful to Taubmans for their ongoing support of our work in communities around Australia,” said GIVIT CEO Sarah Tennant.

“The past twelve months have been challenging for so many people impacted by catastrophic floods or still rebuilding from previous disasters. These funds help us to ensure people have access to the essential items they need to move forward with their lives.”

There have been so many contributions of support in different ways to communities who need it, see how Taubmans In It Together funds were distributed in the 2022 period:

Just over **\$32,000 worth of rebuilding support** across 12 projects, including support of building and construction services and maintenance activities like gardening and tree removal services.

\$2,262 worth of vouchers to help families get back on their feet after setbacks experienced from the flood disasters.

31 home appliances, worth over \$30,000 – including fridges, lawnmowers and washing machines. All for families who lost many of their essential appliances from recent natural disasters.

51 donations of computers, tech and electronic devices – including iPads, laptops, phones and accessories to help educate and connect vulnerable and disadvantaged Australians.

Sales from selected products from Bunnings and Taubmans stockists from the 1 April to 30 April 2023 will contribute to the \$180,000 donation to GIVIT.

Find out more about Taubmans' *In It Together* initiative with GIVIT here.

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About GIVIT

GIVIT is the smart way to give. Through GIVIT.org.au, we channel generosity where it is needed to support vulnerable people and communities in Australia.

Working with more than 4,500 support organisations, we ensure people get what they need when they need it most – whether recovering from an emergency event, or experiencing hardship due to circumstances such as drought, domestic and family violence, homelessness, disability, and mental health.

GIVIT captures all offers of goods and services online, removing the need for charities and services to sort, store and dispose of unrequested donations, saving valuable resources. 100% of donated money received by GIVIT to support people in need are used to purchase essential items and services. We buy locally, wherever possible, to support local businesses and the economic recovery of affected communities. GIVIT's operational costs are covered by government contracts and corporate partners.