

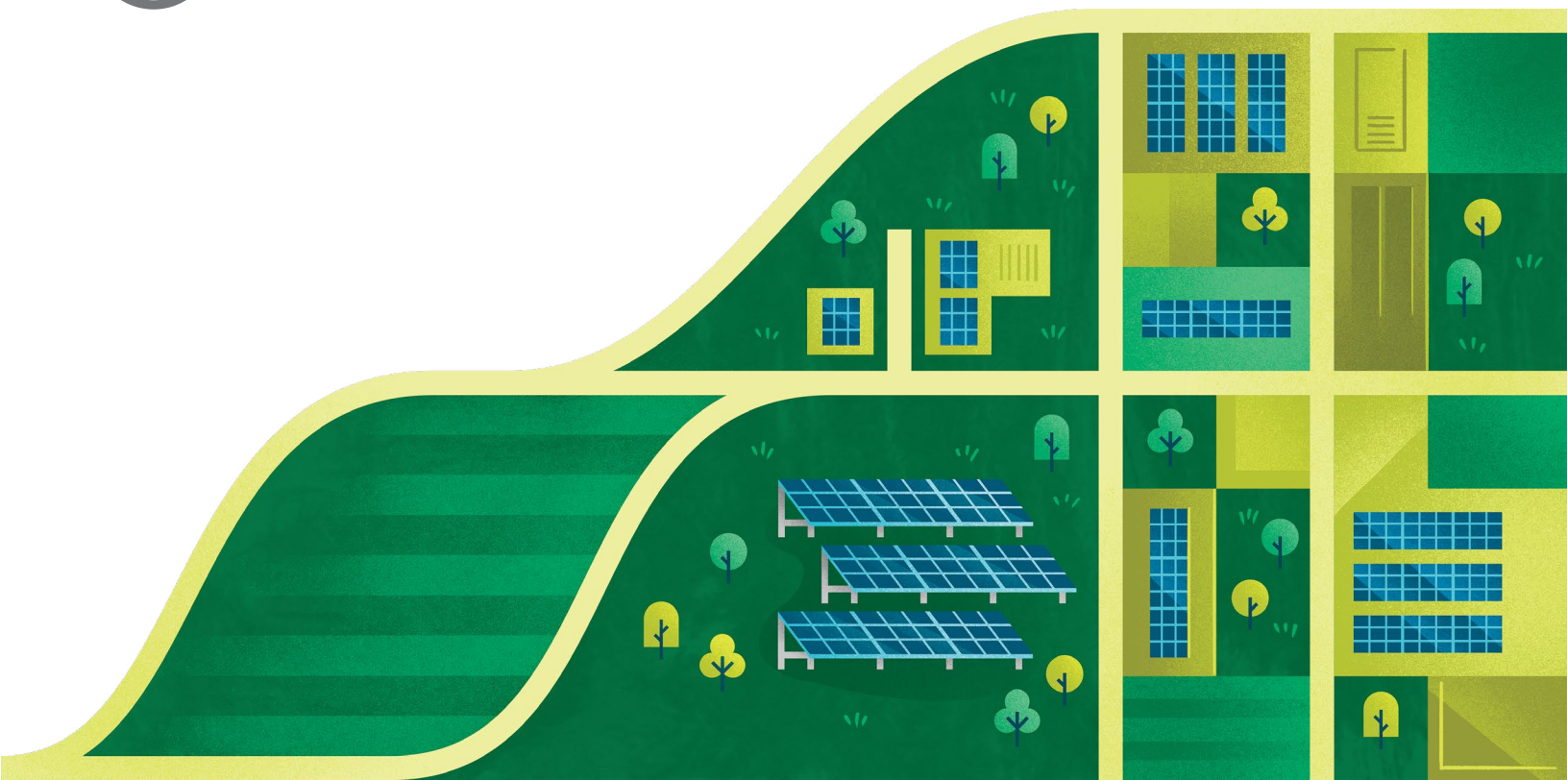
Alberta Funding Guide

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This guide provides information about climate adaptation and mitigation funding opportunities available to municipalities in Alberta.



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About

This funding guide assists Alberta municipal government staff, elected officials, communities, organizations, and their members in their search for appropriate funding to support local government energy planning, and climate adaptation and mitigation projects. Due to limited space, only key information is included for each program.

The guide provides a comprehensive listing of funding programs for which Alberta municipal governments are eligible. Each listing includes the program title, description, application deadline, restrictions on eligibility, amount of funds available, organization, contact information and website address.

Disclaimer

The views expressed herein do not necessarily represent the views of the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre or the Community Energy Association.

Every effort is made to provide accurate information however, information provided in this document may deviate, as programs are updated over time. It is recommended that readers contact each program to confirm the details.

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Community Energy
Association

The Community Energy Association is a charitable organization that supports local governments in BC, Alberta and across Canada with climate action in their community and own corporate operations. Community Energy Association helps to accelerate building energy efficiency, renewable energy projects and sustainable transportation through community energy planning and project implementation.

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Steps to a winning grant application

1. Review Alberta Funding Guide to determine if programs are available to support your project

2. Ensure a good fit

Check your project's goals and objectives against those of the funding program. Review evaluation criteria and ensure that your proposal responds directly to each criterion, or as many as possible.

3. Contact funding agency and ask:

- Does this project meet the funding program's goals and objectives?
- What are key parts of past successful applications?
- What are the evaluation criteria (if not listed on form)?
- Can supporting material (i.e. letters of support) be submitted after the closing date?
- Are previous applications available for review?
- Is Council or Board endorsement of the application required before submission?

4. Create a timeline for application preparation and an application package checklist, including:

- Obtaining executive committee, Council or Board endorsement, if required
- Identifying and/or obtaining matching funding, if required
- Identifying possible partners and reaching agreements
- Writing the proposal and ensuring senior management review and final edits
- Securing letters of support
- Developing a budget
- Copying and filing
- Confirming submission deadline, format and method of delivery (postmarked document, email, etc.)

5. Review application package checklist and ensure that all requirements have been met

6. Submit proposal on time in the required format

Application Content

Follow the recommended format of application:

1. Focus on key elements and ensure you clearly address all evaluation criteria. Include everything you think is important, but be succinct – longer is not better.
2. List resources your agency has committed or will commit to ensure success.
3. Identify partners and note how you will work with them to ensure success.
4. Describe any planned community engagement processes and consider using innovative approaches.
5. Facts and figures are helpful. If possible, calculate or estimate the magnitude of benefits of the project.
6. A budget can be either calculated or estimated but it should not necessarily reflect the maximum amount of funding available, unless you can justify it. Provide a reasonable level of detail for costs, itemize matching funds, and in-kind contributions.



Cross Reference

This cross reference table is here to help you find what you are looking for faster. The grants, loans and deductions listed below fall into one or more of the categories, depending on what is funded. The categories are related to climate adaptation and mitigation, including: buildings, infrastructure, renewable energy and transportation.

- Buildings refers to upgrading individual buildings with energy-efficient measures.
- Infrastructure refers to installing larger climate adaptation and mitigation projects, such as a network of electric vehicle charging stations.
- Renewable energy refers to installing solar PV or other forms of renewable energy.
- Transportation refers to purchasing electric vehicles, such as buses or ATVs.

	CATEGORIES				INCENTIVES	
	BUILDINGS	INFRASTRUCTURE	RENEWABLE ENERGY	TRANSPORTATION	GRANT	LOAN/DEDUCTION
Alberta Capital Finance Authority		●			●	
ACE Green Offset Program			●			●
Alberta Community Partnership		●			●	
Alberta Municipal Solar Program	●	●	●		●	
Alberta Municipal Water/Wastewater Partnership		●			●	
Alberta Real Estate Foundation	●	●	●	●	●	
Canada Infrastructure Bank Growth Plan	●	●	●	●	●	
Clean Energy Improvement Program	●		●			●
Climate Action Awareness Fund		●			●	
Climate Adaptation Program	●	●	●	●	●	
Climate Innovation Fund	●	●	●	●	●	
Co-op Community Spaces Funding Program	●	●			●	●
Economic Development Initiative		●			●	
Electric Vehicle Charging Program				●	●	
Electric Vehicles for Municipalities Program				●	●	
ENMAX Community Investment Program	●	●	●		●	
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Green Infrastructure Commercial Building Retrofits Initiative	●				●	
Green Infrastructure Public Retrofits Initiative	●				●	
Incentives for Zero Emission Vehicles Program				●	●	
Municipal Energy Manager Program	●	●			●	
Municipal Sustainability Initiative	●	●	●	●	●	
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Water for Life Program		●			●	
Zero-Emission Vehicle Awareness Initiative		●		●	●	
Zero-Emission Vehicles Infrastructure Program		●		●	●	



Alberta Capital Finance Authority

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alberta.ca/loans-to-local-authorities.aspx

The Government of Alberta provides eligible municipal, regional, health and education authorities with financing for capital projects. Funding is available for capital project purposes. Refer to the Guide for Loan Types and Terms. Funding is available to municipalities, improvement districts, Métis settlements, and regional, education and health authorities.

Grant

Explore and implement upgrades to:

- Roads, bridges, culverts, grading and gravelling.
- Transit, fire and ambulance equipment, airports.
- Computer hardware and software.
- Buildings, utility infrastructure (water, sewer, gas, electric) and energy-efficient retrofits.
- Irrigation and drainage.

How to Apply

Variable application intake, if you meet the requirements:

- Refer to the Guide for Loan Types and Terms for capital project purposes.
- Blended amortization, fixed rate loans.
- 3 – 40 year amortization (depending on asset life).
- Semi-annual payments.
- Other structures offered, subject to availability.



ACE Green Offset Program

RENEWABLE ENERGY

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Alberta Cooperative Energy (ACE) customers that join the Green Offset Program choose which renewable energy generators to support. They might select a local wind farm, a group of solar or wind micro-generators in their community. Municipalities may register to sell the green attributes of their exported energy. If municipalities have received funding from the Government of Alberta, they cannot sell their green attributes.

Loan or Tax Break

Export green energy to support Alberta Green Energy Generation.

SPARK Certified Green Generators (generators) have the opportunity to sell the green attributes of their exported energy at the current rate of 1.85 cents/kWh. Generators will also continue to receive compensation for their exported energy as they would if they were not registered in the SPARK Green Offset Program. Only the green attributes of the exported energy are registered with ACE in the form of a Green Energy Offset for sale to its customers.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- ACE Member and SPARK Member and Green Generators
- ACE micro-generators that have received funding from the provincial Energy Efficiency Alberta Residential and Commercial Solar Program are not eligible to participate.
- ACE micro-generators that have received funding from the provincial Energy Efficiency Alberta Residential and Commercial Solar Program are not eligible to sell their offsets anywhere else.



Alberta Community Partnership

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alberta.ca/alberta-community-partnership

The objective of the Alberta Community Partnership is to improve the viability and long-term sustainability of municipalities. This program supports regional collaboration and capacity building initiatives which may include planning for energy efficiency and renewable energy solutions. The Partnership offers support for inter-municipal collaboration and finding efficient and effective ways to deliver regional municipal services, municipal restructuring (e.g. amalgamation or dissolution), cooperative processes to resolve conflict and facilitate collaboration, and municipal internships.

Grant

Explore and implement regional service delivery framework options and strategies (e.g. plans, studies, service delivery and cost-sharing models, and governance models).

Funding varies per project. Application deadlines depend on the project area and are available when program guidelines are released. The internship program deadline is October 1 each year.

How to Apply

Variable application intake, if you meet the requirements:

- Municipalities
- Improvement Districts
- Métis settlements
- Town site of Redwood Meadows Administration Society
- Edmonton Metropolitan Region Board
- Calgary Metropolitan Region Board
- Municipally controlled planning service agencies



Alberta Municipal Solar Program

RENEWABLE ENERGY

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This program provides financial rebates to Alberta municipalities that install grid-connected solar photovoltaic (PV) systems on municipally owned facilities or land and complete public engagement for the project. Rebate based on system size and will not exceed 30% of eligible expenses (municipality capped at \$1.5 million). Eligible for bonus of \$0.25/watt for first-time applicants (capped at \$250,000). Solar PV system must be grid connected and located on land that is owned and paid by the municipality or community-related organization (CRO), and owned by the municipality or CRO for life of project.

Grant

Install solar PV systems on municipally-owned buildings or land.

- Greater than or equal to 2 kW (kW DC PV array capacity) is eligible.
- Municipalities in Alberta can submit multiple applications, but each municipality can only apply for rebates up to \$1.5 million, including any bonuses.
- Must not have received an incentive for solar PV system under another provincial solar incentive program (federal or other funding stacking is permitted, provided all funding does not exceed 100% of project costs).

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, and funding is first-come-first-serve, if you meet these requirements:

- All municipalities within Alberta.
- Community-related organizations: non-profit CROs are eligible to participate if the project is located on a municipally owned facility or land (municipality must be the signatory).



Alberta Municipal Water/ Wastewater Partnership

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780.674.4700
alberta.ca/amwwp-apply

The Alberta Municipal Water/Wastewater Partnership, which launched in 1991, provides cost-shared funding to eligible municipalities to help build municipal facilities for water supply and treatment, and wastewater treatment and disposal which may include planning for energy efficiency and renewable energy solutions. Municipalities can apply for funding for municipal water supply and treatment facilities, and wastewater treatment and disposal facilities. Municipalities can apply for funding for water and wastewater projects that support water conservation. Municipalities can apply for funding for planning studies to identify water and wastewater needs.

Grant

Explore and implement cost-sharing models to build municipal facilities for water supply and treatment.

For regional water systems where upgrades are made to existing facilities, a weighted average is used to determine each municipality's share of the allocated funds.

How to Apply

Deadline to apply is November 30 each year, if you meet these requirements:

- Populations and grant percentages are determined at the time of approval. Grant funding is determined by a formula.
- Municipalities with less than 1,000 people: 75%
- Municipalities with 1,000 to 3,000 people: 60.87%
- Municipalities with 3,001 to 10,000 people: 43.87%
- Municipalities with 10,001 to 45,000 people: 29.7%



Alberta Real Estate Foundation

ALL CATEGORIES

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The Alberta Real Estate Foundation invests in real estate policy, research, practices, and education that strengthen Alberta's communities. Alberta Real Estate Foundation offers grants for projects that fall within one of four categories: housing, land stewardship and environment, community innovation, or industry leadership. Generally, financial assistance is offered to projects that meet certain criteria such as capacity building in a municipality or real estate industry, knowledge sharing, cooperation to leverage resources, and participation of the real estate sector.

Grant

Examples of funded projects include:

- Adopting technologies to increase the energy efficiency and sustainability of buildings.
- Adapting housing best practices from elsewhere to Alberta communities.
- Featuring smart growth principles in municipal land use planning.
- Enabling better land stewardship and land use management.
- Solving a community problem through collaboration, capacity building, and entrepreneurship.

How to Apply

Apply by one of the application deadlines, if you meet the requirements:

- Municipalities, if partnering with a non-profit organization.
- In 2021, apply by January 25, May 3 or August 9.



Canada Infrastructure Bank Growth Plan

ALL CATEGORIES

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The Canada Infrastructure Bank (CIB) is a new Crown corporation that operates at arm's length from government and is governed by a Board of Directors. The \$10 billion Growth Plan developed by the CIB aims to stimulate jobs for Canadians and strengthen Canada's economy through new infrastructure investments. By increasing levels of public and private investment in infrastructure, the CIB's Growth Plan will contribute to Canada's competitive, connected and resilient economy. Over the next three years, the CIB will deliver a \$10 billion Growth Plan to help Canadians get back to work, connect more households and small businesses to high-speed Internet, strengthen Canadian agriculture, and help build a low-carbon economy.

Grant

Funding for:

- \$1.5 Billion for Zero-Emission Buses
- \$2.5 Billion for Clean Power
- \$2 Billion for Energy-efficient Building Retrofits
- \$2 Billion for Large Scale Broadband
- \$1.5 Billion for Agriculture Infrastructure
- \$500 Million for Project Acceleration

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- Zero-Emission Buses
- Clean Power
- Energy-efficient Building Retrofits
- Large Scale Broadband
- Agriculture Infrastructure
- Project Acceleration



Clean Energy Improvement Program

RENEWABLE ENERGY & BUILDINGS

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The Clean Energy Improvement Program (CEIP) administered by the Alberta Municipal Services Corporation, is an innovative financing tool for property owners to pay for energy efficiency upgrades and renewable energy installations. With payments made through property taxes, and approval based on mortgage and property tax payment history, participants finance projects with a competitive interest rate and flexible terms. Municipalities can support property owners to take on energy efficiency renovations and/or renewable energy projects and pay over time as they save on their energy bills.

Loan or Tax Break

Financing for clean energy upgrades and renewable energy for residential and commercial properties.

CEIP provides residential and commercial property owners with access to competitive, long-term financing to cover up to 100% of their project costs. This program can improve building stock and increase property values, energizing the local economy by creating new business opportunities for contractors and healthier communities.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- CEIP is a voluntary program and municipalities can opt-in by passing a bylaw to enable CEIP in their community.
- Rolling intake in participating municipalities.
- Open to Alberta residential, commercial, and agricultural property owners in participating municipalities.



Climate Action Awareness Fund

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[canada.ca/funding-programs/
climate-action-awareness-fund](https://canada.ca/funding-programs/climate-action-awareness-fund)

The Climate Action and Awareness Fund is designed to support projects that can create middle class jobs for Canadians that work in science and technology, academia and at the grassroots community level. These projects are critical as we continue to build a sustainable net zero emissions economy by 2050. Organizations requesting funding between \$100,000 up to \$500,000 must spend funds over one to two fiscal years, starting in 2020-2021. Organizations requesting over \$500,000 up to \$6 million must complete their project within five years of the signed Funding Agreement.

Grant

The minimum project funding request is \$100,000 and the maximum is \$6 million.

- Support youth climate awareness (request for proposals - closed summer 2020) and community-based climate action (request for proposals – closed fall 2020).
- Support climate research at Canadian think tanks and in academia (request for proposals - winter 2021).
- Advance climate science and technology (request for proposals - winter 2021).

How to Apply

Application intake in late 2021, if you meet the requirements:

- Not-for-profit non-governmental organization.
- University or academic institution.
- Indigenous organization.
- Applicants are responsible for submitting their proposal and for negotiating and signing a funding agreement if selected
- Applicants are encouraged to partner with at least one other organization (i.e. a non-governmental organization, Indigenous organization, academic institution, small and medium-sized enterprise, and/or a provincial, territorial or municipal government).



Climate Adaptation Program

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The Climate Adaptation Program will help Alberta municipalities and Indigenous communities better understand, cope, manage, and adjust to changing climatic conditions. This program will enhance the ability of Alberta municipalities and Indigenous communities to prepare for and respond to climate-related risks. The Municipal Climate Change Action Centre will launch program activities in 2021 that offer networking and outreach events, information resources and tools, as well as training, and one-on-one support for Alberta municipalities and Indigenous communities.

Grant

Amount of funding to be announced in 2021

Funding for:

- Broadening their climate adaptation literacy.
- Assessing climate vulnerabilities.
- Building climate adaptation plans.
- Making progress on risk reduction strategies.

How to Apply

Launching in 2021 and you must meet the requirements:

- All municipalities in Alberta
- Indigenous communities in Alberta



Climate Innovation Fund

ALL CATEGORIES

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Alberta Ecotrust is launching a \$40 million Climate Innovation Fund. Partnering with the two largest municipalities in Alberta, the Climate Innovation Fund will implement a local program framework in each city to identify, invest in, and scale up carbon reduction solutions. As a new program within Alberta Ecotrust, it will build upon organizational strengths while fostering innovative climate action. The Climate Innovation Fund will incubate the seeds of innovation required to ensure Calgary and Edmonton's future communities and economies are resilient.

Grant

Municipal climate planning:

- The Climate Innovation Fund is designed to amplify the municipal climate plans in Calgary and Edmonton, providing a tremendous opportunity to continue to build on the strengths of an active and creative climate action ecosystem.

How to Apply

The Application Portal for the Climate Innovation Fund Grant Program will open on July 1st.

Potential projects must tackle urban emissions reduction in buildings and transportation in the following priority areas:

- Overarching low carbon financing, measurement, verification and offsetting.
- Building better and retrofitting wiser.
- Moving on mobility.
- Decarbonization and renewable energy.



Co-op Community Spaces Funding Program

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co-op.crs

Co-op Community Spaces Program is to improve community health and wellbeing by building places for Western Canadians to come together and build social connections. Three funding areas have been selected to ensure the program achieves its core objectives of enabling community development and bringing people together.

Grant

Applicants are eligible for funding between \$25,000 and \$150,000 for projects in one of the following categories: Recreation, Environmental Conservation and Urban Agriculture.

Funding for:

- Be available and accessible for community use
- Align with one of the three funding categories (recreation, conservation or urban agriculture).
- Be a capital project, located in British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan or Manitoba, and completed within two years.
- Provide the opportunity for permanent signage.

How to Apply

Applications open on February 1 each year and are due by the first business day in March, if you meet the requirements:

- Municipalities are not eligible to apply, but are encouraged to partner with non-profit organizations to support a project.
- Registered charities under the Canada Revenue Agency with valid registration numbers.
- Registered non-profit organizations under their provincial government with proof of registration.
- Non-profit organizations partnered with their municipal government that will accept funding and issue receipts on their behalf.
- Community service co-operatives.



Economic Development Initiative

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The Economic Development Initiative (EDI) provides financial support to projects that encourage economic diversification, business development, innovation, partnerships and increased support for small- and medium-sized enterprises in official language minority communities (OLMCs). Western Economic Diversification Canada (WD), along with Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada and the other regional development agencies, delivers the EDI. WD will invest \$3.2 million through the EDI over 5 years for projects that help develop capacities, expertise and partnerships.

Grant

There is \$3.2M available. Projects funded under the program may be local, provincial or interprovincial.

They must demonstrate a real impact with clear and measurable benefits in at least one of the following sectors:

- economic diversification and development, including trade and investment
- economic immigration
- the green economy
- youth
- tourism

How to Apply

The 4 Francophone Economic Development Organizations (FEDOs) in Western Canada are managing this fund.

- Projects are accepted on a rolling intake basis.
- If you have a project idea and would like to submit an application, please contact your local Francophone Economic Development Organizations (FEDOs) or email: fdefo@cecs-sk.ca.



Electric Vehicle Charging Program

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mccac.ca

TRANSPORTATION

Accelerate the adoption of electric vehicles in your community with the Electric Vehicle Charging Program. This new program will offset the cost of installing charging stations in public places, on-street locations, municipal workplaces and for municipal vehicle fleets. More details about funding maximums, eligible expenses, and the application process will be released at program launch. This program is administered by the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre.

Grant

Funding for:

Municipalities within Alberta will be eligible to receive funding for multiple electric vehicle charging stations for public and municipal use. Purchase new, electric vehicles charging stations, such as:

- Level 2 (208/240 V) – 3.3 kW to 19.2 kW networked chargers
- Fast charger – 20 kW to 49 kW networked chargers
- Fast chargers – 50+ kW networked chargers

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, and funding is first-come-first-serve, if you meet the requirements:

- All municipalities within Alberta



Electric Vehicles for Municipalities Program

TRANSPORTATION

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The Electric Vehicles for Municipalities Program provides funding to municipalities to purchase electric vehicles, charging stations, and feasibility studies. This program provides funding for a variety of electric vehicle types, including: Passenger Battery Electric Vehicles and Plug in Hybrid Electric Vehicles, Medium and Heavy-Duty Battery Electric Vehicles and Plug in Hybrid Electric Vehicles, and Low Speed, Non-Road Battery Electric Vehicles and Plug in Hybrid Electric Vehicles. This program is administered by the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre.

Grant

Funding for:

- Purchase or lease of new passenger vehicles, such as electric sedans, sport-utility vehicles, or trucks with funding up to \$14,000 per vehicle.
- Purchase or lease of new medium or heavy-duty vehicles such as electric garbage or yard trucks with funding up to 30 per cent of costs, up to \$300,000 per vehicle.
- Purchase or lease of new, low speed, non-road vehicles such as electric ice resurfacing vehicles or utility task vehicles with funding up to 30 per cent of costs, up to \$50,000 per vehicle.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, and funding is first-come-first-serve, if you meet the requirements:

- All municipalities within Alberta



ENMAX Community Investment Program

RENEWABLE ENERGY & BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

310.4822 (toll free)

community@enmax.ca

enmax.ca

ENMAX financially supports community projects that correspond to one of four focus areas, Powering Alberta, Powering Tomorrow, and Powering Partners. As part of these focus areas, education and guidance is provided to limit the chance of these situations occurring in the future. If your organization has a program or event that can brighten our community, make meaningful connections, or help people manage these difficult times, please complete their online application. Funding varies per project.

Grant

Funding for:

- Powering Alberta funds grassroots energy projects that help communities.
- Powering Tomorrow supports the enhancement of electricity literacy through education with the goal of creating more electricity stewards.
- Powering Partners helps community partners and organizations that offer aid, resources, and energy assistance to Alberta residents during a crisis or difficult times.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- Non-profit and for profit entities.



EQUS Solar PV Micro-Generation Financing & Incentives

RENEWABLE ENERGY

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equs.ca

EQUS offers financial assistance to members that generate electricity from solar PV systems. Financing is available for the installation of solar PV units. In addition, monetary incentives are offered per watt of solar PV installed. Solar PV micro-generation projects must be grid-connected, designed and installed by qualified installer and new installation. The solar projects must include all new system components (expansions are eligible but only that portion will be covered) and carry minimum warranty levels.

Grant

Funding for:

- Financing - Solar PV unit installation - \$1,500/kW up to \$15,000.
- Incentive - \$0.10/W of solar PV installed up to \$500 (5 kW).

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- EQUS Members



EQUS Micro-Generators

RENEWABLE ENERGY

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EQUS offers this program in partnership with ReWatt Power to open new revenue sources for our micro-generation members. ReWatt Power has developed an innovative web-based platform to streamline a once expensive and time-consuming process of tracking and validating Renewable Energy Credits (RECs). RECs are purchased by major energy consumers to help offset their carbon emissions. Previously, a single micro-generation system producing less than 50KW of solar power did not generate enough power to produce an attractive amount of RECs. Government of Alberta funded projects are not able to sell their RECs.

Loan or Tax Break

ReWatt Power's platform will pool all of the micro-generation together across EQUS' membership to produce enough RECs to be attractive to credit worthy buyers.

Additionally, they will facilitate the transaction process with these buyers and then distribute the revenue back to EQUS' micro-generation members that are part of the program in accordance with the percentage of generation they contribute to the pool.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- Micro-generators projects that generate more kW than used
- EQUS Members



Farm Credit Canada AgriSpirit Fund

BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

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fcc-fac.ca

Farm Credit Canada is a financially self-sustaining federal commercial Crown corporation reporting to Canadians and Parliament through the Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food. The purpose of the corporation is to enhance rural Canada by providing specialized and personalized business and financial services and products to farming operations, including family farms, and to those businesses in rural Canada, including small and medium-sized businesses that are related to farming. The Farm Credit Canada AgriSpirit Fund may provide between \$5,000 to \$25,000. Organizations must not have received AgriSpirit funding in the past four years. Capital and sustainability projects are eligible.

Grant

The FCC AgriSpirit Fund may provide between \$5,000 to \$25,000 to projects that qualify in a city, town or Indigenous community with fewer than 150,000 people.

Funding for:

- Capital projects: construction or upgrades to a hospital, medical centre, childcare facility, rink, sports complex or the purchase of fire and rescue equipment.
- Sustainability projects: upgrades to heating and cooling systems in a community building, installing new windows in a recreation centre or purchasing capital items for a recycling facility.

How to Apply

Applications open to rolling intake March 2021, if you meet the requirements:

- Charities registered with the Canada Revenue Agency.
- Non-profit organizations that partner with a municipal body, territorial or provincial government. The municipal body must agree to receive contributed money and issue a receipt.
- Town or city under 150,000 people, rural municipality or First Nations band.



Federal Gas Tax Fund

ALL CATEGORIES

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alberta.ca/federal-gas-tax-fund

The Federal Gas Tax Fund helps communities to build and revitalize public infrastructure that supports national objectives of productivity and economic growth, a clean environment, and strong communities. Local governments determine which projects to fund. Municipalities (with the exception of summer villages) will receive a minimum allocation of \$50,000 per year and summer villages will receive a base allocation of \$5,000 per year, in addition to the per capita amount.

Loan or Tax Break

Each municipality receives an annual allocation; funding varies per municipality.

Funding for:

- Local roads and bridges, highways, public transit.
- Regional and local airports.
- Drinking water, waste water, storm water, solid waste, brownfield redevelopment.
- Sport infrastructure and recreational infrastructure.
- Community energy systems, Cultural infrastructure and tourism infrastructure.
- Disaster mitigation.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- All municipalities in Alberta
- Métis Settlements
- The Town site of Redwood Meadows Administration Society



Federation of Canadian Municipalities

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ALL CATEGORIES

The Federation of Canadian Municipalities offers grants for municipal environmental projects. Loans are also available to municipalities at competitive rates, and most recipients receive an additional grant of up to 15 percent of their loan amount. Municipal partners may apply for competitive, long-term financing. Funding amount varies by program.

Grant & Loans or Tax Break

Funding for:

- Plans, studies, pilot projects, capital projects.
- Asset Management Grants and Partner Grants.

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- All municipal governments and partners are eligible to apply.



FortisAlberta Community Grants

310.9473 (toll free)

fortisalberta.com

BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

FortisAlberta offers community grants that help to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Funding is provided to enhance or create a green initiative in your community, some examples of past projects include planting trees and shrubs in park areas, community gardens, install recycle bins, and downtown beautification projects.

Grants

Grants range in value from \$1,000 to \$5,000.

Funding for:

- Community naturalization
- Tree planting
- Energy efficiency projects
- Environmental education program

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, if you meet the requirements:

- Municipalities and non-profit organizations in FortisAlberta service areas.
- Elementary and junior high schools Fortis Alberta service areas.



Green and Inclusive Community Buildings

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RENEWABLE ENERGY & BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

The Green and Inclusive Community Buildings (GICB) program supports retrofits, repairs or upgrades of existing publicly-accessible community buildings and the construction of new publicly-accessible community buildings that serve underserved and high-needs communities across Canada. Community buildings are non-commercial community-oriented structures and spaces that provide open, available, and accessible community services to the public. GICB program will fund two types of projects: Retrofits, repairs and upgrades to existing community buildings, and construction of new community buildings.

Grant

Up to \$860 million is available for retrofit projects across Canada. More than \$430 million is available for the construction of new buildings across Canada:

- Small retrofit projects are those that range in size from \$100,000 to \$249,999 in total eligible costs.
- Medium retrofit projects are those that range in size from \$250,000 to \$2,999,999 in total eligible costs.
- Large retrofit projects are those that range in size from \$3,000,000 to \$25,000,000* in total eligible costs.
- New build projects are those that range in size from \$3,000,000 to \$25,000,000 in total eligible costs.

How to Apply

Application intake in early 2021, if you meet the requirements:

- All provincial, territorial and municipal governments
- Public sector body
- Federally or provincially incorporated not-for-profit organizations and registered charities
- Indigenous governing bodies
- Indigenous not-for-profit organizations

Applications are accepted on a rolling intake basis. Visit the website to read more details.



GMF – Community Buildings Retrofit Initiative

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RENEWABLE ENERGY & BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

The Green Municipal Fund's (GMF) Community Buildings Retrofit (CBR) initiative supports local governments and not-for-profit organizations in retrofitting public buildings to improve energy performance, lower operating and maintenance costs, and transition to cleaner energy solutions over time. The CBR funding offers support at all stages of project development, helping communities of all sizes to significantly reduce GHG emissions while extending assets' life. GMF-supported initiatives aim to improve air, water, and soil, and reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Funding is available to all Canadian municipal governments and their partners for eligible projects.

Grant

Funding for:

- Community Building Monitoring and Analysis grant.
- Community Building Recommissioning grant.
- GHG Reduction Pathway Feasibility Study grant.
- Capital funding for:
 - GHG impact retrofit capital project: Retrofit a building to achieve a minimum 30% reduction in GHG emissions; ideal for shovel-ready projects.
 - GHG reduction pathway retrofit capital project: Retrofit a building using an outcomes-oriented approach to achieving (near) net zero carbon buildings over time.

How to Apply

Application intake in early 2021, if you meet the requirements:

- All municipal governments, private-sector entities, Indigenous communities, NGOs, non-profits, and research institutes.

Projects are eligible for funding in the following focus areas:

- Capital Projects: Up to 80% of eligible project costs to a maximum of \$5 million per project.
- Study for one building: \$65,000 to cover up to 80% costs.
- Study for multiple buildings: \$200,000 to cover up to 80% costs (cost per building cannot exceed \$65,000).



GMF – Community Efficiency Financing

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RENEWABLE ENERGY & BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

The Community Efficiency Financing is part of the Green Municipal Fund operated by the Federation of Municipalities and delivers energy efficient financing programs for low-rise residential properties. Property Assessed Clean Energy, Local Improvement Charge financing and utility on-bill financing are just some examples of financing models used by municipalities delivering residential energy programming. GMF-supported initiatives aim to improve air, water, and soil, and reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Funding is available to all Canadian municipal governments and their partners for eligible projects.

Grant

Funding for:

- Feasibility Studies: Grants of up to 50% of eligible costs to a maximum of \$175,000.
- Pilot Projects: Up to 50% of eligible costs to a maximum of \$350,000.
- Capital Projects: Up to 80% of eligible project costs (loan max is \$5 million; grant amount is 15% of loan).
- Applicants with high-ranking projects may be eligible for a loan of up to \$10 million, combined with a grant for 15% of loan amount, to a max of \$1.5 million.
- \$550 million to establish the Green Municipal Fund with \$125 million top-up in 2017-18.

How to Apply

Application intake in early 2021, if you meet the requirements:

- All municipal governments and partners are eligible to apply.

Projects are eligible for funding in the following focus areas:

- Sustainable neighbourhood and brownfields action plans
- Energy efficiency and recovery
- Transportation and fuel efficiency
- Water quality and conservation
- Waste management and diversion
- Brownfields



GMF – Sustainable Affordable Housing

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BUILDINGS

The Green Municipal Fund's Sustainable Affordable Housing fund supports municipal, non-profit, and cooperative housing providers in measurably improving the energy efficiency and affordability of existing and new affordable housing units. The initiative's mission is to achieve environmental, economic, and social benefits through the retrofitting and building of sustainable affordable housing. Sustainable Affordable Housing funding is offered to support projects at various stages.

Grant

Funding for:

- Planning: Up to 80% of costs to a max of \$25,000.
- Study: Up to 50% of costs to a max of \$175,000.
- Pilot Project: Up to 80% of costs to a max of \$500,000.
- Retrofit: Financing up to 80% of costs up to a max of \$10 million; grant amount is 25-50% of loan.
- New Build: Financing up to 20% of costs up to a max of \$10 million; 50% grant and 50% loan with \$125 million top-up in 2017-18.

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- Canadian municipal governments (e.g., towns, cities, regions, districts, and local boards thereof).
- Municipally owned corporations, such as municipal housing service providers.
- Non-profit, mission-driven affordable housing providers, including co-operatives.



Green Infrastructure Commercial Building Retrofits Initiative

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BUILDINGS

The Canada Infrastructure Bank (CIB) Commercial Building Retrofits Initiative provides financing for decarbonization retrofits in privately-owned commercial, industrial and multi-unit residential buildings in Canada. The Initiative is part of the CIB \$10 billion Growth Plan that aims to stimulate jobs for Canadians and strengthen Canada's economy through new infrastructure investments. Building owners can apply for financing to retrofit one or more of their buildings, provided that the total investment required by the CIB exceeds \$25M.

Financing

Financing for:

- Financing for commercial, industrial, and multi-unit residential buildings.
- Minimum application of \$25 million for eligible commercial retrofit projects.

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- Building owners may apply for financing to retrofit one or more of their buildings.
- Third-party retrofit aggregators, including:
 - Existing Energy Service Companies (ESCO) that form a dedicated Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) to originate and develop retrofit projects, or super ESCO models that are SPVs functioning as an intermediary between building owners and multiple ESCO providers, or new entrants to the energy services market that have capabilities and capacity to either work on buildings or invest in retrofit projects, or C-PACE program administrators.



Green Infrastructure Public Retrofits Initiative

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BUILDINGS

The CIB Public Retrofits Initiative (PRI) provides financing for energy retrofits projects on infrastructure portfolios owned and/or managed by the public sector. The CIB will work with the public sector to review their asset portfolios from a holistic perspective and develop bundles of energy retrofit projects to support the achievement of ambitious portfolio-scale GHG reduction goals without using public funds for upfront investment or ongoing subsidies, where possible.

Grant

Funding for:

- Retrofit-Ready Operational Upgrades: renewal of upgraded systems while it awaits appropriate phase of service life to be further upgraded.
- Minimum Retrofit: this type of retrofit includes all facility changes to achieve a minimum threshold of energy or GHG-reduction performance.
- Enhanced Retrofit: prepares the facility to fully decarbonize heating in the short/medium term.
- Zero Carbon Retrofit: full fuel switching to low-or zero-carbon sources of energy.

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- All levels of government, Indigenous communities, schools, hospitals, and universities.

Apply for:

- Large Bundled Projects (>\$40 Million): CIB's financing is between 40 – 60%; Financing may increase (up to 70%) to enable deeper retrofit and fuel switching projects.
- Smaller or One-off Projects (\$25 Million to \$40 Million): CIB will provide standardized term sheets (debt/equity, low cost, flexible terms), low-cost participation will reduce the project cost of capital, participation provides a buffer to senior debt and likely removes the need for guarantees.



Incentives for Zero Emission Vehicles Program

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INFRASTRUCTURE & TRANSPORTATION

The higher cost of zero-emission vehicles can make it more difficult to adopt this clean technology. A zero-emission vehicle is a vehicle that has the potential to produce no tailpipe emissions. They can still have a conventional internal combustion engine, but must also be able to operate without using it. The Incetives for Zero-Emissions Vehicles Program offers funding and incentives, as well as testing and research, safety on automated and connected vehicles and zero-emission vehicles to help reduce the barriers of making the switch to help reduce the greenhouse gas emissions from gas cars and light trucks.

Grant

Incentives on a vehicle that has the potential to produce no tailpipe emissions, such as battery-electric, plug-in hybrid electric and hydrogen fuel cell

- Battery-electric, hydrogen fuel cell, and longer range plug-in hybrid vehicles are eligible for an incentive of \$5,000.
- Shorter range plug-in hybrid electric vehicles are eligible for an incentive of \$2,500.

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- Dealerships
- Individuals
- For-profit and non-profit business
- Municipalities



Municipal Energy Manager Program

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ALL CATEGORIES

Provides funding to offset the salary costs of an energy manager to develop energy management plans, lead energy and emissions reducing projects, find cost-saving opportunities, and more. Up to 80 per cent of the energy manager's salary to a maximum of \$80,000 and it may be renewable for a second year. This program is administered by the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre.

Grant

Funding is capped at \$160,000 per municipality. Energy managers are expected to complete the following as part of their contract:

- Build a customized energy management plan.
- Find energy-saving opportunities throughout the community.
- Lead energy and emissions reducing projects.
- Encourage regional municipal partnerships.
- Achieve 5% Greenhouse gas reduction per year.
- Conduct an energy audit on the highest energy-consuming municipal building.
- Assign Greenhouse gas reduction targets for the entire municipal building portfolio.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, and funding is first-come, first-served basis, if you meet these requirements:

- Municipalities within Alberta, with population sizes below 150,000 residents are eligible to participation.



Municipal Sustainability Initiative

ALL CATEGORIES

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The Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI) supports municipalities to manage growth pressures and become sustainable with public infrastructure and operating funding. Municipalities determine projects and activities to be funded by MSI based on local priorities within the general criteria set out in the program guidelines and are encouraged to take a long-term approach to planning for capital projects. Each municipality receives an annual capital and operating allocation.

Grant

Funding varies per municipality and it can be used for:

- Capital Projects - Roads, bridges, public transit, sport/recreation facilities, community centres, water and wastewater systems, solid waste management facilities and equipment, and emergency services.
- Operating Expenses - General administration, governance, planning and development, municipal facility operations, environmental sustainability, public security, maintenance of core infrastructure, and capacity building.

How to Apply

Rolling intake, if you meet the requirements:

- Municipalities in Alberta
- Métis settlements
- The Townsite of Redwood Meadows Administration Society



Municipalities for Climate Innovation Program

RENEWABLE ENERGY & BUILDINGS & INFRASTRUCTURE

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The Federation of Canadian Municipalities' (FCM) funding, resources and training can help you develop a response to climate change that protects your residents, environment and economy. You'll be able to take concrete actions such as assessing flood risks, reducing greenhouse gas emissions from waste collection trucks, encouraging residents to use less polluting forms of transportation and creating environmentally sound policies (e.g., no idling).

Loan or Tax Break

Funding varies per municipality. The Municipalities for Climate Innovation Program's work is centered around the following key themes:

- Climate change adaptation
- Greenhouse gas reductions
- Climate and asset management

How to Apply

Next round of funding to be announced. Eligible to apply if you meet the requirements:

- Municipal governments
- Tools are available on the website to the public



Recreation Energy Conservation Program

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BUILDINGS

The Recreation Energy Conservation (REC) program helps municipally-owned recreation facilities reduce energy use and Greenhouse gas emissions by providing financial rebates to help identify energy-saving opportunities and implement energy-saving projects. Get funding for up to 100% of costs for scoping audits and engineering studies that inform investment decisions. Then access more funding, up to 75% of costs, for implementing energy efficient retrofits. Simplified Measures can be implemented without an audit or study because of their predictable energy savings. Municipalities and community-related organizations are able to access up to \$750,000 for all projects. This program is administered by the Municipal Climate Change Action Centre.

Grant

Funding for:

- Scoping Audits: cover up to 100% of pre-GST costs to a maximum of \$12,000 (depending on the facility).
- Engineering Study: covers up to 100% of pre-GST Engineering Study to a maximum of \$20,000.
- Implementation Project: the lesser of 75% of energy conservation measures costs, or the amount required to reach 1-year simple payback.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, and funding is first-come-first-serve, if you meet these requirements:

- All designated municipalities within the Province of Alberta or community-related organizations (CROs) are eligible to participate in the REC program if the Project is within a municipally-owned facility. While CROs are eligible to participate, the municipality must submit the REC Application and be the signatory to the Offer Letter.
- Municipally-owned recreation facilities.



Smart Renewables and Electrification Pathways Program

nrcan.ca/smart-renewables-pathways

BUILDINGS, INFRASTRUCTURE, RENEWABLES

The Smart Renewables and Electrification Pathways Program (SREPs) provides up to \$964 million over four years for smart renewable energy and grid modernization projects. This program will significantly reduce greenhouse gas emissions by encouraging the replacement of fossil-fuel generated electricity with renewables that can provide essential grid services while supporting Canada's equitable transition to an electrified economy. SREPs will provide direct financial support to eligible renewable energy and grid modernization projects during the construction phase. Projects must use market ready technologies and apply workplace equity, diversity, and inclusion components.

Grant

Funding for:

SREPs can support projects under the following streams:

- Established Renewables (examples: solar photovoltaic, onshore wind, small hydro).
- Emerging Technologies (examples: geothermal, energy storage).
- Grid Modernization (examples: micro-grids, virtual power plants, and hardware/software to enable grid services).
- A portion of SREPs funding will be reserved for Indigenous-led projects, which may qualify for higher levels of project support.

How to Apply

Rolling intake of applications, and funding is first-come-first-serve, until March 31, 2025.

Eligible recipients are owners of Eligible Projects include:

- Legal entities validly incorporated or registered in Canada;
- Provincial, territorial, regional and municipal governments and their departments and agencies;
- 3) Indigenous communities and governments, Tribal Councils, National and regional Indigenous councils or organizations, and Indigenous for-profit and not-for-profit organizations.



TD Friends of the Environment Foundation Grant

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INFRASTRUCTURE

The TD Friends of the Environment Foundation Grant supports the protection of the environment and green communities. The Foundation supports a wide range of environmental initiatives, with a primary focus on environmental education and green space programs. The focus of the grants vary slightly each year. Funding is allocated to projects involving the revitalization and stewardship of public green spaces. When planning a project, please keep in mind that grant has set deadlines and response times throughout the year.

Grant

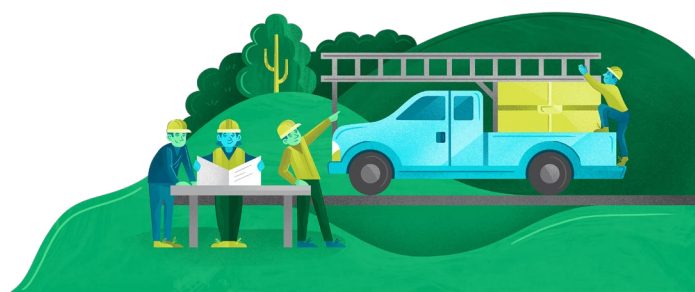
Eligible projects include schoolyard greening, park revitalization, community gardens, park programming and citizen science initiatives.

- Funding requests are needs based, and there is no set minimum or maximum amount for which you can apply.
- The majority of grants are between \$2,000 and \$8,000.

How to Apply

Applications due by January 15 or July 15, if you meet the following requirements:

- Municipalities
- Aboriginal groups
- Registered charities with a Charitable Registration Number
- Educational institutions



TIER Economic Recovery Program

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INFRASTRUCTURE

Alberta Innovates' TIER Economic Recovery Program funds a set of "shovel-ready" projects in cohorts that accelerate innovation in support of greenhouse gas emissions reduction, increase long-term economic competitiveness and stimulate growth in critically important sectors of Alberta's economy. Successful projects must align with TIER objectives, the Government of Alberta's and Alberta Innovates' strategic priorities, demonstrate contributions towards the Alberta Research and Innovation Framework 2030 Innovation Targets. Program investments will range from \$200,000 to \$5 million per project. Applicants will be required to provide some matching funds.

Grant

Funding for projects that:

- Demonstrate greenhouse gas emissions reductions or enable future reductions and increase Alberta industry competitiveness.
- Creation or maintenance of skilled jobs within Alberta and enabling future economic growth.
- Technology Readiness Level must be 4 to 7 at project commencement.
- Maximized industry contribution where possible (min. 25% of project costs), and
- Projects can start immediately = "shovel ready".

How to Apply

Call for applications announcement in January 2021. Apply if you meet the requirements:

- Program applicants may be technology developers, industry, industrial associations, small and medium-sized enterprises, research and development organizations, post-secondary institutions, municipalities, not-for-profit organizations, government research labs, and individuals.
- Collaboration between multiple organizations is encouraged to add value through technology validation, commercialization, and sharing of results.



Water for Life Program

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alberta.ca/water-life-program

INFRASTRUCTURE

The Water for Life Program, administered by the Government of Alberta, which launched in 2006, provides cost-shared funding to regional commissions or groups of two or more municipalities. Water for Life funding is only available for new regional water or wastewater systems or extensions to existing regional water or wastewater systems. Regional systems are more cost effective and environmentally sustainable than independent systems. Program funding is determined each budget cycle.

Grant

The minimum project funding request is \$100,000 and the maximum is \$6 million.

- Municipalities with less than 1,000 people – up to 75% of project costs.
- Municipalities with 1,000 – 45,000 people – grant percentage is based on a formula. The percentage ratio decreases as the population rises.
- For regional water systems where upgrades are made to existing facilities, a weighted average is used to determine each municipality's share of the allocated funds.
- New regional systems are funded at 90% with future extensions at 100%.

How to Apply

Application deadline is November 30 each year for consideration in following fiscal year budget, if you meet the requirements:

- Regional Commissions.
- Public-private ventures.
- Municipalities with contracted services to privately owned utilities.
- Groups of two or more eligible municipalities, which include: cities (less than 45,000 people), towns, villages, hamlets within rural municipalities, Métis settlements.
- Municipal Partnerships.



Zero-Emission Vehicle Awareness Initiative

nrcan.gc.ca/zevai

TRANSPORTATION

Through Natural Resources Canada's Zero Emission Vehicle Awareness Initiative (ZEVAI), NRCan will provide funding for new and innovative ZEV awareness and education activities that are to take place in Canada. Under this Call for Proposals, ZEVAI will not fund repeat or extended projects (same deliverables, audience, location) that were previously undertaken by an applicant organization.

Grant

- For-Profit Organizations: Projects can receive a minimum of \$50,000 to a maximum of \$100,000.
- For-Profit Organizations: Projects can receive a minimum of \$100,000 to a maximum of \$200,000.
- Not-for-profit organizations, government, or Indigenous applicants: Projects can receive a minimum of \$50,000 to a maximum of \$150,000.
- Not-for-profit organizations, government, or Indigenous applicants: Projects can receive a minimum of \$100,000 to a maximum of \$300,000.

How to Apply

Application deadline is August 16, 2021, if you are:

- Electricity or gas utilities
- Private sector companies
- Industry associations and research associations
- Standards development organization
- Indigenous and community groups
- Canadian academic institutions
- Provincial, territorial, regional or municipal governments
- International companies, industry associations, research associations, standards organizations, academic institutions.



Zero-Emission Vehicles Infrastructure Program

INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORTATION

The Government of Canada announced a \$130 million over five year (2019 - 2024) plan to deploy a network of zero-emissions vehicle charging and refuelling stations in more localized areas where Canadians work and play. Support is also available for strategic projects for electric vehicle and/or hydrogen infrastructure for corporate fleets, last-mile delivery fleets, and mass transit. This funding will be delivered through cost-sharing contribution agreements for eligible projects that will help meet the growing charging and refuelling demand.

Grant

Funding available includes:

Level 2 Connectors (3.3kW to 19.2kW): Up to 50% of total project costs, to a maximum of \$5,000 per connector.

Fast Chargers

- 20kW to 49kW: Up to 50% of total project costs, to a maximum of \$15,000 per charger.
- 50kW to 99kW: Up to 50% of total project costs, to a maximum of \$50,000 per charger.
- 100kW and above: Up to 50% of total project costs, to a maximum of \$75,000 per charger.

How to Apply

Application deadline is September 8, 2021, and you must be:

Delivery Organizations:

- Provincial, territorial, regional or municipal governments, institutions, agencies or Crown corporations (including utilities).
- Not-for-profit organizations validly incorporated or registered in Canada).

Ultimate Recipients:

- Research and Industry Associations
- Organizations
- Indigenous and community groups
- Academic institutions
- Provincial, territorial, regional or municipal governments.

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