

Schedule H

COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

The Municipality of the District of Lunenburg offers a Community Economic Development Grant to assist communities and not-for-profit groups with the development of projects, events or initiatives that help to promote the area and foster community economic growth, and support and strengthen the local tourism industry.

Funding Use

- A project, event; or Initiative that will promote the area and foster community economic growth

Eligibility

- Only not-for-profit community organizations located within the Municipality of the District of Lunenburg are eligible.
- Applicants must demonstrate that the project, event or initiative will improve upon or grow the economy or community in the Municipality of the District of Lunenburg.
- Applicants must demonstrate that the project, event or initiative contributes to the community and fits within the mission of the Municipality of the District of Lunenburg.
- Must be for a public event, project or initiative where the need for financial assistance is demonstrated and for which Council deems is within its mandate to support.
- The project, event or initiative must meet the objective of promoting community economic growth within the Municipality of the District of Lunenburg.
- Projects, events or initiatives commenced prior to application will not be considered

Procedures

- A completed, signed application form is required.
- Applications will be received throughout the year, allow 1 to 2 months from anticipated start date for processing. Exceptions may be made for emergency situations.
- Applicants must submit a proposed budget.
- Applicants must include a profile of the organization, including the people/community served by the project, event or initiative and the benefits to the community by demonstrating significant community availability.
- Applications will be reviewed by the Economic Development Focus Group or Tourism Focus Group
- Applications require final approval from the Municipal Council

Funding

- Applicants are eligible for up to 50% of the total cost of the project to a maximum of \$1,000.00

Upon approval of a grant, the recipient can request 75% of the grant upon project start. The final 25% is available upon proof that the project is complete.



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APPLICATION FORM

Please complete and return to

Name of Organization applying

Contact Person

Position

Mailing Address

Business telephone

Home telephone

Email

Geographic location of event or initiative. Please list or attached civic addresses.

Expected number of participants/spectators _____

Describe the project, event or initiative

Describe any partnership with local organizations

Municipal funding requested
Requested

Total Amount

The undersigned agree and understand that the project, event or initiative contained herein must promote the area and foster community economic growth.

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this grant application is accurate and complete and that the project, event or initiative is endorsed by the organization which I represent.

Name (Print)

Signed

Position

Date

(Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary or Treasurer)

Mailing Address

Telephone

E-mail Address (if applicable)

**** Attach any additional supportive information****

Return to: Community Economic Development Officer
210 Aberdeen Rd.
Bridgewater, NS B4V 4G8
Fax: (902)527-1135

For information: (902) 541-1353 or email dwaters@modl.ca