

MUNICIPAL GRANTS TO ORGANIZATIONS 2023/2024



TOTAL AWARDED: \$ 728,611.39

Municipal Grants awarded to non-profit and community groups from April 2023 to March 2024

ANNUAL OPERATING GRANT (Policy 043)

To help organizations with annual operating costs.

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| Barss Corner Community Hall Association | \$ | 2,990.00 |
| Bridgewater Barracudas Swim Club | \$ | 2,800.00 |
| Bridgewater Curling Club | \$ | 1,750.00 |
| Canadian Dory Racing Association | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Coastal Action Foundation | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Flourish 55+ Healthy Activity Centre | \$ | 3,600.00 |
| Friends of DesBrisay | \$ | 2,200.00 |
| Hinchinbrook Farm Society | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Hope Blooms Youth Social Entrepreneurial Ventures | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| LaHave Islands Marine Museum Society | \$ | 750.00 |
| Lunenburg & District Swimming Pool | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Lunenburg Academy Foundation | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Lunenburg Art Gallery | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Lunenburg County Historical Society | \$ | 2,500.00 |
| Lunenburg Doc Fest | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Lunenburg Foundation of the Arts | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Mahone Bay Founders Society | \$ | 1,600.00 |
| Nova Scotia Sea School | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Parkdale Maplewood Community Centre Association | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Parkdale Maplewood Community Museum | \$ | 1,800.00 |
| Riverport Community Centre | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Rossini Opera Festival Nova Scotia / LAMP | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Seaside A Cappella Show Chorus Association | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Sierra Club Canada Foundation | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| South Shore Fieldhouse Society / HB Studios | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| South Shore ICE Storm | \$ | 2,120.00 |
| South Shore Lightning Basketball Association | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| South Shore Sexual Health | \$ | 2,340.00 |
| South Shore Theatrical Players | \$ | 1,300.00 |

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| Tancook Island Recreation Centre Association | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| The Society of St. Vincent De Paul | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| West Dublin Hall Company | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| West Northfield Community Centre | \$ | 2,900.00 |
| West Northfield Twirlettes Association | \$ | 2,100.00 |
| YMCA of Southwest Nova Scotia | \$ | 2,600.00 |
| Annual Operating Grant Awards Total | \$ | 77,350.00 |

BUDGETED AWARDS (through budget process)

Budgeted awards to organizations, that don't fit into a specific grant policy.

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| Health Services Foundation (Brighter Days) | \$ | 50,000.00 |
| Lunenburg County Ground Search & Rescue | \$ | 20,000.00 |
| Lunenburg County Wheels | \$ | 65,000.00 |
| Mahone Bay Centre | \$ | 10,000.00 |
| Town of Lunenburg | \$ | 40,000.00 |
| Budgeted Awards Total | \$ | 185,000.00 |

COMFORT CENTRE GENERATOR FUNDING (Policy MDL-53)

To help focal points of the community wishing to act as comfort centres during an emergency.

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| Michelin Social Club | \$ | 8,000.00 |
| Royal Canadian Legion Br. 102 New Germany | \$ | 6,000.00 |
| West Northfield Community Centre | \$ | 8,000.00 |
| Comfort Centre Generator Funding Awards Total | \$ | 22,000.00 |

COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANT (Policy 043)

To help organizations develop projects, or initiatives that promote the area, fostering economic growth.

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| Nova Scotia Works – Employment Solutions Society | \$ | 500.00 |
| Community Economic Development Grant Awards Total | \$ | 500.00 |

COMMUNITY EVENTS GRANT (Policy 043)

To help organizations host or deliver a public community event.

Note: From 2023/24 onwards, this grant now includes Canada Day and Remembrance Day events which previously had their own grant category.

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| Branch LaHave Community Hall | \$ | 500.00 |
| Bridgewater Baseball Association | \$ | 750.00 |
| Impact Church Bridgewater | \$ | 500.00 |
| LC Judo Club | \$ | 562.50 |

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| Lunenburg Folk Harbour Festival | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Lunenburg Foundation for the Arts | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Lunenburg Yacht Club | \$ | 200.00 |
| Mahone Bay Music Association | \$ | 1,500.00 |
| Mi'Kmaq Heritage & Sacred Sites Association | \$ | 500.00 |
| New Germany Area Promotion Society | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Petite Riviere Volunteer Fire Department | \$ | 900.00 |
| Pride Lunenburg Society | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Riverport & District Community Centre | \$ | 409.05 |
| Riverport & District Fire Department | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Royal Canadian Legion Br. 49 Mahone Bay | \$ | 400.00 |
| Royal Canadian Legion Br. 102 New Germany | \$ | 400.00 |
| South Shore Lightning Basketball Association | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| South Shore Multicultural Association | \$ | 500.00 |
| Tancook Island Recreation Centre Association | \$ | 800.00 |
| The Lunenburg Barnacle | \$ | 750.00 |
| Community Events Grant Awards Total | \$ | 17,671.55 |

COMMUNITY RECREATION CAPITAL GRANT (Policy 043)

To help organizations with smaller capital projects that will help improve or expand a facility or program.

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| Barss Corner & Area Recreation Society | \$ | 937.50 |
| Hillcrest Masonic Lodge | \$ | 500.00 |
| LaHave Islands Marine Museum Society | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Lapland & District Fire Department | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Lunenburg County Historic Society | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Lunenburg County Wheels | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| New Germany Canada Day Committee | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Pleasantville & District Fire Department | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Saint John's Anglican Church | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Sierra Club Canada Foundation | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Walden Volunteer Fire Department | \$ | 1,231.95 |
| Community Recreation Capital Grant Awards Total | \$ | 17,669.45 |

COMMUNITY RECREATION PROGRAM GRANT (Policy 043)

To help deliver or expand a recreation program.

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| Boxwood Festival Society | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Bull Run Trail Association | \$ | 347.01 |
| Coastal Action Foundation | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| Mahone Bay United Soccer Association | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| South Shore Fieldhouse Society / HB Studios | \$ | 1,000.00 |

Community Recreation Program Grant Awards Total \$ 4,347.01

DESIGNATED COMMUNITY PROJECT FUND (Policy 048)

To collect public donations for a specific organization's project, and release funds collected back to the group (with Council motion).

Friends of Cherry Hill Old Community Cemetery \$ 4,483.00
Designated Community Project Fund Awards Total \$ 4,483.00

DISCRETIONARY AWARDS (through motion of Council)

Unbudgeted awards to organizations, that don't fit into a specific grant policy, through Council motion.

Bridgewater Fire Department Band \$ 2,500.00
Bridgewater Interchurch Food Bank \$ 1,000.00
Hebb's Cross Fire Department \$ 6,000.00
Lunenburg Interchurch Food Bank \$ 1,000.00
Mahone Bay Area Food Bank Association \$ 1,000.00
New Elm Church* \$ 3,125.00
New Germany Area Food Bank \$ 1,000.00
Royal Canadian Legion Br. 102 New Germany \$ 10,650.00
Souls Harbour \$ 3,000.00
South Shore Open Doors Association \$ 3,000.00
Discretionary Awards Total \$ 32,275.00

**Funds were awarded as Major Recreation Capital budget was spent.*

ELITE ATHLETE TRAVEL GRANT (Policy 043)

To help Elite Athletes with travel costs to participate in national or international sporting events.

Awarded to 6 individuals & 1 team \$ 5,700.00
Elite Athlete Travel Grant Awards Total \$ 5,700.00

FIRE SERVICE ANNUAL RECOGNITION GRANT (Fire Services R&R Strategy)

To help Fire Departments host recognition events for members.

Blockhouse & District Fire Department \$ 925.00
Dayspring & District Fire Department \$ 1,000.00
Hebbville Fire Department \$ 1,250.00
Hemford & District Fire Department \$ 795.00
Lapland & District Fire Department \$ 431.00
New Germany Volunteer Fire Department \$ 1,200.00
Petite Riviere Fire Department \$ 1,200.00
Pleasantville & District Fire Department \$ 900.00

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| United Communities Fire Commission | \$ | 625.00 |
| Walden Fire Department | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Fire Service Annual Recognition Grant Awards Total | \$ | 10,326.00 |

FIRE SERVICE LEADERSHIP TRAINING GRANT (Fire Services R&R Strategy)

To help Fire Departments with leadership training for a group of members or an individual member.

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| Fire Service Leadership Training Grant Awards Total | \$ | - |
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MAJOR EVENTS GRANT (Policy 043)

To help encourage new or expanding large-scale events that will attract visitors to the area, creating a positive economic spin-off.

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| Lunenburg Doc Fest | \$ | 1,000.00 |
| New Germany Canada Day Committee | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| South Shore Exhibition | \$ | 5,000.00 |
| South Shore United Football Club | \$ | 2,000.00 |
| Town of Bridgewater | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Major Events Grants Awards Total | \$ | 14,000.00 |

MAJOR RECREATION CAPITAL GRANT (Policy 043)

To help organizations with larger capital projects that will help improve or expand a facility or program.

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| Bakers Settlement & District Community Hall Assoc. | \$ | 7,000.00 |
| Girl Guides of Canada Camp WoHeLo | \$ | 10,000.00 |
| New Elm Church | \$ | 875.00 |
| North River Recreational Community Society | \$ | 5,600.00 |
| Parkdale Maplewood Community Museum | \$ | 7,000.00 |
| Riverport Community Centre | \$ | 4,500.00 |
| Seaside A Cappella Show Chorus Association | \$ | 5,500.00 |
| Tancook Island Recreational Centre Association | \$ | 10,500.00 |
| Wesley United Church | \$ | 7,000.00 |
| West Dublin Hall Company | \$ | 6,800.00 |
| West Northfield Community Centre | \$ | 10,500.00 |
| Major Recreation Capital Grant Awards Total | \$ | 75,275.00 |

MANAGEMENT AGREEMENTS (through budget process)

To assist groups who have entered into a management agreement with the Municipality to look after specific public spaces.

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| Lunenburg County Mountain Bike Association | \$ | 16,100.00 |
| Lunenburg County Wildlife Association | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Petite Riviere Community Park Association | \$ | 3,200.00 |

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| United Communities Marine Park Society | \$ | 4,000.00 |
| Management Agreement Awards Total | \$ | 26,300.00 |

PRO Fund (Positive Recreation Opportunities for Adults (Policy 098))

To provide support for adults in financial need, to participate in recreation, sports or cultural activities. *New Grant for 2024/25

PRO Fund Awards Total \$ -

PRO Kids (Positive Recreation Opportunities (Policy 098))

To provide support for children & youth in financial need, to participate in recreation, sports or cultural activities.

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| <i>Awarded to 137 recipients to participate in 305 activities</i> | \$ | 80,067.63 |
| PRO Kids Awards Total | \$ | 80,067.63 |

SPONSORSHIP AD REQUESTS (Policy 043)

To help support projects, events or initiatives that benefit our residents.

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| 4H Nova Scotia | \$ | 500.00 |
| Autism Nova Scotia | \$ | 500.00 |
| Big Tancook Island Emergency Response Association | \$ | 250.00 |
| Bridgewater Curling Club | \$ | 143.75 |
| Bridgewater Farmers Market Association | \$ | 500.00 |
| Bridgewater Triathlon Club | \$ | 250.00 |
| First Responders' Wellness Symposium | \$ | 250.00 |
| Lumberjacks | \$ | 375.00 |
| Lunenburg County Sport Heritage Society | \$ | 300.00 |
| Lunenburg Curling Club | \$ | 230.00 |
| Mahone Bay Founders Society | \$ | 250.00 |
| Nova Scotia Crime Stoppers | \$ | 285.00 |
| Nova Scotia Ground Search & Rescue | \$ | 340.00 |
| NS/Nunavut Command of the Royal Canadian Legion | \$ | 315.00 |
| The Burg Classic | \$ | 500.00 |
| Sponsorship Ad Requests Awards Total | \$ | 4,988.75 |

TRAIL GROUP FUNDING (through budget process)

To help specific groups who maintain the various trail networks in the municipality.

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| Adventure Trail Association | \$ | 7,965.00 |
| Bay to Bay Trail Association | \$ | 5,841.00 |
| Brookfield Mines Trail Association | \$ | 531.00 |
| Bull Run Trail Association | \$ | 14,337.00 |

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| Central Nova ATV | \$ | 2,124.00 |
| Dynamite Trail Association | \$ | 70,310.00 |
| LaHave River Trail Association | \$ | 7,965.00 |
| South Shore Annapolis Valley Trail Association | \$ | 38,585.00 |
| Trail Group Awards Total | \$ | 147,658.00 |

YOUTH TRAVEL GRANT (Policy 043)

To help with travel costs to participate in provincial, national or international events.

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| <i>Awarded to 2 individuals and 2 teams</i> | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Youth Travel Grant Awards Total | \$ | 3,000.00 |

SUMMARY BY GRANT TYPE

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| Annual Operating Grant | \$ | 77,350.00 |
| Budgeted Awards | \$ | 185,000.00 |
| Comfort Centre Generator Funding | \$ | 22,000.00 |
| Community Economic Development Grant | \$ | 500.00 |
| Community Events Grant | \$ | 17,671.55 |
| Community Recreation Capital Grant | \$ | 17,669.45 |
| Community Recreation Program Grant | \$ | 4,347.01 |
| Designated Community Project Fund | \$ | 4,483.00 |
| Discretionary Awards | \$ | 32,275.00 |
| Elite Athlete Grant | \$ | 5,700.00 |
| Fire Service Annual Recognition Grant | \$ | 10,326.00 |
| Fire Service Leadership Training Grant | \$ | - |
| Major Events Grant | \$ | 14,000.00 |
| Major Recreation Capital Grant | \$ | 75,275.00 |
| Management Agreements | \$ | 26,300.00 |
| PRO Fund (from 2024/25) | \$ | - |
| PRO Kids | \$ | 80,067.63 |
| Sponsorship Ad Requests | \$ | 4,988.75 |
| Trail Group Funding | \$ | 147,658.00 |
| Youth Travel Grant | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| TOTAL | \$ | 728,611.39 |