



COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT PROGRAM GRANT APPLICATION FORM 2024

WHISTLER

APPLICATION PROCESS

Council may provide **Community Enrichment Program (CEP)** funding to any not-for-profit organization or society pursuant to Section 8 of the *Community Charter*. Grants are issued on an annual basis and are subject to the availability of funds in the Resort Municipality of Whistler's (RMOW) current year's budget. Approval of a funding application in any year does not imply or suggest that approval will be received in any subsequent year.

The applicants must operate in one of the following categories: Environment, Social Services, Community Services, Recreation and Sport, or Arts and Culture. Applicants who have received Fee For Service funding are not eligible to apply.

Funding will be evaluated in accordance with Council Policy A-7: *Community Enrichment Program* in order to contribute to the general interest and advantage of the Whistler community. One-time events are not eligible.

Please download and save a local version of this document before completing.

The Grant Application Form must be fully completed or it will not be forwarded to Council for consideration.

Please complete this application form and submit it with the requested supporting documentation to:

ATTN: Legislative Services Department (CEP)
Resort Municipality of Whistler

4325 Blackcomb Way
Whistler, BC, V8E 0X5
PHONE: 604-932-5535

EMAIL: corporate@whistler.ca

Applications are due by 4 p.m. February 15, 2024.

Late submissions will not be considered.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Organization Requesting Grant: <i>(Please list parent/sponsor organizations in parenthesis)</i>	
Name of the program (if applicable):	
Society Registration Number:	
Organization Mailing Address:	
Contact Name & Title:	
Organization Phone Number:	
Organization Email Address:	
Organization Purpose or Mandate: (Please provide this answer in one sentence.)	
Organization Category (choose between Environment, Social Service, Community Service, Recreation and Sports, Arts and Culture)	

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

How many years has the organization existed?	
How many active members/participants does the organization have in the current year? (e.g. how many athletes have signed up for this year)	
For sport organizations, how many youth (U18) participants are enrolled in your programs?	
How many Whistler residents members does the organization have in the current year?	
How many volunteers/executive/staff are required to administer the organization in the current year?	
Age range of participants in the organization:	

<p>Please list active website URLs and active social media accounts (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc.):</p>	
<p>What are the membership and participation requirements?</p>	
<p>Does the organization have any outstanding debts or other means of funding from the RMOW? If yes, please state the amount and reason.</p> <p><u>Note</u>: Please include any Value In Kind support that you receive from the RMOW (eg. reduced rent, utilities in RMOW buildings)</p>	

GRANT INFORMATION

<p>1. Purpose of Grant</p>	<p><i>Explain in detail how the funding will be spent. Please refer to Council Policy A-7 Community Enrichment Program, available at www.whistler.ca/cep for funding criteria and eligibility. Please be as concise as possible using the space below.</i></p>
This area is intentionally left blank for the applicant to provide details.	

2. Is This a New Program or Activity?	<i>If yes, what are your targets and goals for this program/activity?</i>

3. Current Year Highlights and Community Benefits:	<i>Detail the specifics of activities and community benefits your organization provides.</i>

4. Existing Funding and Grant Applications:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>1. List the specific grants, funding and fundraising planned, approved or pending for the existing year, and</i><i>2. Please also list rejected or non-approved funding (with reasons).</i>

GRANT INFORMATION (CONTINUED):

5. Grant Request Amounts and Financial Breakdown:			
<i>Please ensure numbers provided in this table coincide with the required financial documents you provide in your application</i>			
	Annual Operating Budget	Grant Requested	<i>Provide a brief description of the specific amount requested. (Ex: Products, services, staffing roles, advertising, etc.)</i>
Salaries/contracts:			
General operations:			
One-time project / program:			
Physical assets:			
Rent (RMOW facilities):		N/A	
Rent (other facilities):			
Other:			
Total	\$	\$	_____ % (Grant request ÷ Annual budget amount)
Reminder: The grant amount requested cannot be more than 50% of the annual operating budget of the organization.			

6. Additional Information:	<i>Please list any additional information, details or explanations regarding your grant request that you would like to be considered by Council.</i>

7. Attachments:	<i>Please indicate the attachments you are including with your Grant Application Form:</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Statement (audited preferred) or Organization Budget (Required) • Proof (copy) of registered not-for-profit society status or registered charity status (Required) • Other: 	

COMMUNITY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

<p>8. Please list how your organization may improve Community Performance Indicators:</p>	<p><i>Please visit https://www.whistler.ca/municipal-gov/strategies-and-plans/strategic-plan/ to learn about the four priority areas of RMOW 2023-2026 Strategic Plan:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Housing</i> 2. <i>Climate Action</i> 3. <i>Community Engagement</i> 4. <i>Smart Tourism</i> <p><i>Please determine how your grant (or organization) can contribute to fulfilling any priorities described in the four areas listed above. Each priority has numerous specifications to choose from while describing how your grant (or organization) may help to improve Strategic Plan.</i></p>
<p><i>Example: This grant addresses the priority of “Community Engagement” because it strives to connect locals to each other. Specifically, this is because...</i></p>	
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SUPPORT FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

The RMOW is committed to working with the Lílwat People, known in their language as L'il'wat7úl and the Squamish People, known in their language as the Skwxwú7mesh Úxwumixw to: create an enduring relationship; establish collaborative processes for Crown land planning; achieve mutual objectives; and enable participation in Whistler's resort economy.

9. How has your organization considered truth and reconciliation with the Indigenous Nations?

GRANT APPLICATION AUTHORIZATION:

Submitted by:	
Phone number:	
Email:	
Acknowledgement:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• I confirm that the information provided in this CEP Grant Application Form is true;• I confirm that a representative is required to present this grant request at a future Council Meeting;• I confirm that if any amount is granted that the Grant Reporting Form is due by December 1 of this year;• I confirm that if any amount is granted, it will be used only for its intended purpose unless otherwise approved by Council.
Signature:	

Funding decisions will be announced during a Regular Council Meeting in April 2024.

Please contact the Legislative Services Department at corporate@whistler.ca if you require any assistance.

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