



## Community Benefit Fund Application Paintearth Wind Project

In 2024, the Paintearth Wind Project entered into an agreement with the County of Paintearth to establish a Community Benefit fund that would allocate a maximum of \$15,000 annually to be distributed through an application process for educational programs and STEM based scholarships.

#### Educational Allocation (maximum of \$15,000 annually):

Program Funding through the Community Benefit fund is available to County of Paintearth based educational projects or programs that enhance and enrich our community in one of more of the following categories:

Environmental Education – projects or programs that focus on the environment, reduce environmental degradation, or increase community awareness of environment issues.

Scholarship Funding through the Community Benefit fund is available to County of Paintearth high school graduates who are enrolled in and attending qualified post secondary colleges or universities ideally in the field of:

STEM – Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics

Community Fee Assistance Program Funding are available to Organizations that provide assistance to eligible individuals to access community recreation, arts and leisure programs. In the Paintearth region these funds will be administered through organizations such as KidSport or FCSS.

### **Eligibility**

- Local schools, and other individuals and groups as deemed appropriate.
- Graduating High School students from schools within the County of Paintearth

### Approval Criteria

- All applicants are required to submit an application letter with details of the program see attached.
- Scholarship students are required to submit an application outlining why they chose their program

For additional information on the programs, criteria and distribution please review the Paintearth Wind Project Community Benefit Fund or contact County of Paintearth's Director of Community Services (403)-882-3211 or tpawsey@countypaintearth.ca

Deadline for applications is April 1<sup>st</sup>, with allocation decisions to be published by May 15<sup>th</sup>.





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## **Applicant Information**

Contact Name		
Mailing Address		
Phone		
Email		
Type of Application	(Please choose from options below)	
	School	
	Individual - Scholarship	Attach letter of Enrollment

Program/Event/Activity Information			
Name of Program			
Duration of Program			
Description			
Amount of Funds Requested			
(Scholarships Max \$2000)			
Effective Use of Funds Requested			
Anticipated Impacts			
Any Additional			

Information





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Have you attached additional information to support this application:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, as representative for the \_\_\_\_\_

(organization) acknowledge that the information provided is accurate to the best of my knowledge. It is understood that any funds allocated and not exclusively utilized for the program identified will need to be returned to the County of Paintearth. It is understood that any funds received over the amount of \$1,000 will require a report on how funds were expended and the benefits to the community and participants.

Signature

Date

Under the Freedom of information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIP) s.33(c) personal information is

collected for the purpose of applying for the Community Grant pursuant to provisions of the Municipal Government Act. Question regarding the collection of personal information can be directed to the FOIP Coordinator at the County of Paintearth administration office.