

December 12, 2023

Community Enhancement Funding 2023 Year in Review

County of Vermilion River, Kitscoty, AB

The County of Vermilion River is pleased to be able to support local organizations and facilities that provide recreation, arts and culture opportunities, enhance community spirit, encourage active participation along with community enhancement projects.

The County's Community Enhancement Funding enables recreation and ongoing partnerships throughout the region, supporting access for residents to recreational facility services and programs. This funding is awarded through community grants and operational and capital assistance within the 2023 budget.

The funding approvals were as follows:

Operational Funding:

- Alcurve Community Recreation Centre: \$7,000
- Blackfoot Community Hall: \$7,000
- Blackfoot Lions Club: \$4,000
- Blackfoot & District Golden Slippers Association: \$2,600
- Bowtell Community Association: \$2,500
- Clandonald & District Agricultural Society: \$7,000
- Clandonald & District Recreation Association: \$7,000
- Clandonald Friendship Club: \$2,600
- Dewberry Hall Society: \$7,000
- Dewberry Chuckwagon Racing Heritage Society: \$8,000
- Dewberry & District Agricultural Society: \$40,000
- Dewberry & District Senior Citizens Society: \$2,600
- Dewberry Valley Museum Society: \$3,400
- Golden Valley Community Association: \$2,500
- Islay Community Association: \$7,000
- Islay Curling Club: \$9,000
- Jubilee Park Reunion Hall: \$2,500
- Kitscoty & District Agricultural Society – Arena Board: \$40,000
- Kitscoty & District Agricultural Society – Community Hall: \$10,000
- Kitscoty & District Community & Seniors Association: \$2,600
- Kitscoty Golf Club: \$6,500
- Kitscoty Recreation Society: \$3,000
- Kitscoty Community Curling Association: \$13,500
- Kitscoty Minor Ball Association: \$2,800
- Landonville Community Association: \$2,500
- Lea Park Rodeo Association: \$8,000

- Lea Park Golf Club: \$6,500
- Marwayne Arena Board: \$40,000
- Marwayne Minor Ball Association: \$2,800
- Marwayne Community Hall: \$10,000
- Marwayne Curling Club: \$13,500
- Marwayne Senior Centre: \$2,600
- Mount Joy Snow Resort: \$15,000
- McLaughlin Improvement Association: \$2,500
- Paradise Valley & District Agricultural Society: \$51,100
- Paradise Valley & District Museum Society: \$3,400
- Paradise Valley & District Senior Citizens Centre: \$2,600
- Paradise Valley Memorial Hall: \$7,000
- Rivercourse Recreation Society: \$4,200
- Riverton Community Association: \$700
- Streamstown Community Club: \$2,500
- Tolland Community Centre Association: \$700
- Tulliby Lake & District Agricultural Society: \$7,000

Capital Funding:

- Marwayne Splash Park: \$25,000
- Blackfoot Lions Club: \$50,000
- Kitscoty & District Agricultural Society: \$75,000

Community Grants:

- Bowtell Community Association: \$875
- Clandonald Agricultural Society: \$2,000
- Clandonald & District Recreation Association: \$3,000
- Paradise Valley & District Museum Society: \$600
- Kitscoty & District Agricultural Society: \$2,000
- Kitscoty Golf Club: \$2,000
- Kitscoty Legion #158: \$2,000
- Paradise Valley Memorial Hall: \$2,000
- Alcurve Community Recreational Centre: \$1,000
- Islay Curling Club: \$1,525
- Kids in Dewberry Society: \$1,000

Details regarding the approved requests is available within the Council agendas and minutes on the County website. More information on the County's funding programs can be found on the County website under Planning & Community Services.



Division 2 Councillor, Dale Swyripa presents Tyson Mitchell and Brant Paul of the Kitscoty & District Agricultural Society – Arena board with their Special Capital Funding.



Deputy Reeve, Leslie Cusack presents Randy Prost of the Blackfoot Community Hall Association with their 2023 Community Enhancement Funding.



Division 2 Councillor, Dale Swyripa presents Landon Becotte of the Kitscoty Community Curling Association with their 2023 Community Enhancement Funding



Reeve, Marty Baker presents Carolyne Clayton of the Marwayne Arena Board with their 2023 Community Enhancement Funding



Deputy Reeve, Leslie Cusack presents Ron Harasiuk of the Clandonald & District Agricultural Society with their 2023 Community Enhancement Funding.



Reeve, Marty Baker presents Chris Bogue of the Mount Joy Snow Resort with their 2023 Community Enhancement Funding.



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Carolyn Clayton of the Alcurve
Community Recreational Centre
with their 2023 Community
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