

Purpose & Objectives	Eligibility	Application Requirements & Evaluation
<p>The Operational Funding Grant assists with the general administrative expenses of an organization</p> <p>Supports the City of Saint John in its ongoing pursuit to be a community of choice and promote economic health to residents and visitors.</p> <p>Enhances the ability of organizations that deliver important social, wellness and quality of life support to the residents of the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Encourages innovation, sustainability and cooperation through the various organizations within the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Upholds and advances the terms of Council Priorities, Plan SJ and/or Play SJ.</p>	<p><i>Eligible funds: up to \$60,000*</i></p> <p>Eligible funding activities under Organizational Support includes: rent, utilities, human resources, office supplies, essential travel, fundraising activities and information technology upgrades.</p> <p>The following are ineligible for grant funds:</p> <p>Individuals or corporations seeking funding.</p> <p>Lobbying of federal, provincial and municipal governments.</p> <p>Activities or initiatives outside of the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Expenditures that occurred prior to the application.</p> <p>Funding of deficits or debts.</p> <p>Free or discounted tickets to an event.</p> <p>Fellowships, scholarships or bursaries.</p>	<p>Applications must include:</p> <p>detailed annual budget with line item expenditures and sources of revenue</p> <p>financial statement</p> <p>organization's strategic or business/development plan</p> <p>The Community Grants Evaluation Committee will assess applications according to a pre-established evaluation matrix, which will score the application on a variety of variables, including, but not limited to:</p> <p>Innovation.</p> <p>Likelihood of accomplishing stated outcomes.</p> <p>Link to Council Priorities.</p> <p>Long-term benefits/impacts.</p> <p>Level of community support.</p> <p>Ability to generate cooperation between citizens and other organizations.</p> <p>Ability to acquire other sources of funding/in-kind support.</p> <p>Sustainability of business plan or development plan.</p>

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<p>The Community Project Grant is designed to distribute seed funding for the start-up of projects, and/or funds for a short-term undertaking with a clear start and completion date.</p> <p>Support the City of Saint John in its ongoing pursuit to be a community of choice for residents and visitors.</p> <p>Enhance the ability of organizations that deliver important social, wellness and quality of life support to the residents of the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Encourage innovation, sustainability and cooperation in the delivery of Community Projects in the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Uphold and advance the terms of Council Priorities, Plan SJ and/or Play SJ.</p>	<p><i>Eligible funds: up to \$20,000*</i></p> <p>The following are ineligible for grant funds:</p> <p>Individuals or corporations seeking funding.</p> <p>Lobbying of federal, provincial and municipal governments.</p> <p>Activities or initiatives outside of the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Expenditures that occurred prior to the application.</p> <p>Funding of deficits or debts.</p> <p>Free or discounted tickets to an event.</p> <p>Fundraising events.</p> <p>Fellowships, scholarships or bursaries.</p> <p>Conferences or professional development.</p>	<p>Applications must demonstrate:</p> <p>Fundraising and community partnership.</p> <p>The number of residents/visitors impacted by the project.</p> <p>How the Community Project responds to interest from the broader community.</p> <p>Specific outcomes to be achieved.</p> <p>Projected budget including sources and use of funds/in-kind support.</p> <p>Timelines for implementation of the project.</p> <p>The Community Grants Evaluation Committee will assess applications according to a pre-established evaluation matrix, which will score the application on a variety of variables, including, but not limited to:</p>

Innovation.

Likelihood of accomplishing stated outcomes.

Link to Council Priorities.

Long-term benefits/impacts.

Level of community support.

Ability to generate cooperation between citizens and other organizations.

Ability to acquire other sources of funding/in-kind support.

Sustainability of business plan or development plan.

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<p>The Special Events Grant is designed to support events that are of cultural, sport, social or recreational significance to the Saint John community.</p> <p>Support the City of Saint John in its ongoing pursuit to be a community of choice for residents and visitors.</p> <p>To support events that result in important cultural, environmental, heritage, sport, recreational, educational and financial returns for the City of Saint John.</p> <p>To encourage innovation, sustainability and cooperation in the delivery of Special Events in the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Uphold and advance the terms of Council Priorities, Plan SJ and/or Play SJ.</p>	<p><i>Eligible funds: up to \$20,000*</i></p> <p>The following are ineligible for grant funds:</p> <p>Individuals or corporations seeking funding.</p> <p>Lobbying of federal, provincial and municipal governments.</p> <p>Activities or initiatives outside of the City of Saint John.</p> <p>Expenditures that occurred prior to the application.</p> <p>Funding of deficits or debts.</p> <p>Free or discounted tickets to an event.</p> <p>Fundraising events.</p> <p>Fellowships, scholarships or bursaries.</p> <p>Conferences or professional development.</p>	<p>Applications must demonstrate:</p> <p>Event identifies a community need or priority</p> <p>The number of residents/visitors impacted by the event.</p> <p>Event supported by community partners, sponsors and stakeholders.</p> <p>Specific outcomes to be achieved.</p> <p>Projected budget including sources and use of funds/in-kind support.</p> <p>The Community Grants Evaluation Committee will assess applications according to a pre-established evaluation matrix, which will score the application on a variety of variables, including, but not limited to:</p> <p>Innovation.</p> <p>Likelihood of accomplishing stated outcomes.</p> <p>Link to Council Priorities.</p> <p>Long-term benefits/impacts.</p> <p>Level of community support.</p> <p>Ability to generate cooperation between citizens and other organizations.</p> <p>Ability to acquire other sources of funding/in-kind support.</p> <p>Sustainability of business plan or development plan (for repeated/annual event)</p>