Environmental Initiatives Grants Recommended by the Environmental Advisory Committee (EAC)

Applicant (alphabetical)	Project Description	Recommended Grant Allocation
Big Lake Environment Support Society (BLESS)	To fund activities, supplies, and promotions for 3 rd annual International Migratory Bird Day at Lois Hole Centennial Provincial Park spring 2019.	\$1,280.00
Big Lake Environment Support Society (BLESS)	To update, print, and market the bird and plant guides to Lois Hole Centennial Provincial Park.	\$4,000.00
St. Albert Botanic Park	To construct three raised garden beds including a drip irrigation system as a teaching station for the Park's raised garden bed classes.	\$2,515.96
St. Albert Nature School	To expand the school's program by purchasing classroom supplies, develop and market field trip programs to St. Albert schools, and develop and promote nature- based education materials.	\$8,500.00*
St. Albert Tool Library Society	To complete phase 2 of the tool library project which will focus on marketing and improving the inventory and services (Fix It Café) of the Tool Library.	\$5,000.00
WILDNorth	Funds will be used to expand the wildlife rehabilitation and rescue care programs to St. Albert.	\$5,000.00
TOTAL		\$26,295.96

*The Environmental Initiatives Grant Procedure indicates that "funding for each project shall not exceed \$5,000, unless Council, by resolution, approves funding in excess of \$5,000". Although this project exceeds this amount, the EAC is recommending that Council fund them in excess of \$5,000.