

Environmental Initiatives Grant Program - 2019 Applications

Applicant (alphabetical)	Project Description	\$\$ Requested	Application History
Bertha Kennedy Elementary School	Bertha Kennedy's Learning Garden project will provide an outdoor learning space that includes bee houses, hummingbird feeder, birdhouses, feeders and baths. As well as an orchard of native berry trees and an outdoor garden of pollinator plants.	\$4,061.85	New applicant (new teachers to the school)
Joe Demko School	Funding would be used to build an urban farm inside and outside the school. Seeds will be started indoors and then planted in garden boxes in the spring.	\$5,000.00	New applicant
Lacombe Park Garden and Connection Place	Funding would be used to design and create (phase 1) a garden that includes educational and gathering spaces through a multi-year, phased design plan on the property of the Grace Family Church.	\$5,950.00	New applicant
Nature In Mind	The funding would be used to launch a pilot program for Nature In Mind, a nature focused education program for preschool aged kids with various community partnership opportunities (i.e. local horticulturist, forester, New Comers Society).	\$10,000.00	New applicant

Sister Alphonse Academy	The funding would be used to develop an edible learning garden on school property including garden boxes and fruit bearing trees.	\$5,585.93	New applicant
St. Albert Tool Library Society	Funding would be used to assist with the purchase of tools that the society could not purchase second hand or get donated. In addition, assist with one more year of getting the tool library running sufficiently.	\$3,850.00	SATL received funding in 2017 to initiate a tool sharing library (\$5,000) and 2018 (\$5000) for phase 2 of the project which focused on marketing and improving the inventory and services (Fix It Café).
CAVCOE	Funds would be used for a study to determine the environmental benefits of E-bikes if City of St. Albert were to encourage use by seniors in our community.	\$8,700.00	New applicant
CAVCOE	Funds will be used to research e-bike use in St. Albert including benefits and recommendations on e-bike infrastructure, policies and strategies for the City.	\$8,700.00	New applicant
Big Lake Environment Support Society	Funds will be used to develop and publish pocket sized book on the mammals, reptiles, and amphibians of Lois Hole Centennial Provincial Park.	\$1,700.00	BLESS received \$4000 to print and market the bird and plant guides to Lois Hole Centennial Provincial Park and \$1280 to fund activities for the 3rd annual Migratory Bird Day.
Empower Me	Funding will be used to implement education programming on energy and utilities conservation (including waste and transit use) to the under-served and under-represented residents in St. Albert.	\$5,000.00	New applicant

Keenoshayo Elementary School	Funding will be used to create a Green Team environment club and persue projects like regular schoolyard clean ups, plastic bag recycling collection, school PSAs and classroom energy checks.	\$865.00	New applicant
Outreach High School	Funds will be used to revitalize outdoor space of the school with garden boxes and native species in addition utilizing an existing greenhouse.	\$1,650.00	Outreach High School received \$500 in 2008 to plant native trees around the school.
Paul Kane High School Environmental Leadership	Environmental Leadership club will use the funds for various projects including living wall in the foyer of the school, compostable liners for the curbside compost bins, school gardens and greenhouse, elementary presentations, and tree planting.	\$12,870.13	New applicant
Ronald Harvey Elementary School	Transform outdoor space into an outdoor classroom by adding outdoor planters, seating, and trees and shrubs.	\$4,900.00	New applicant
St. Albert Catholic High School (SACHS)	Funding will partially fund assessment and installation of a solar panel system on the roof of the school.	\$5,000.00	SACHS received multi year funding starting in 2007 for naturalization events along the Sturgeon River (this was before the City had a naturalization program and budget).
St. Albert Nature Preschool	Expand preschool and parented programs and help develop nature programming in partnership with the province at Lois Hole Centennial Provincial Park.	\$5,000.00	SANS received funding in 2017 (\$3612) to help kick start the enviornmental education program for preshool aged kids and 2018 (\$8500) to expand their program by purchasing classroom supplies, develop and market field trip programs and develop nature based education materials

WILDNorth	Funds will be used to continue the wildlife rehabilitation and rescue care programs in St. Albert.	\$5,000.00	WILDNorth received \$5000 in funding in 2018 to expand the wildllife rehabilitation programs in St. Albert.
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