

## The Corporation of the District of Peachland

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## **CIVIC GRANTS APPLICATIONS**

Local non-profit organizations which contribute to the quality of life in Peachland are invited to apply for a Civic Grant.

The Civic Grants Policy outlines the following:

- The purpose of the civic grant program is to assist citizens in organizing themselves around community issues and projects.
- In the majority of cases, it is anticipated that financial assistance will only be granted for a limited time period, subject to annual review.
- Programs and services will be evaluated on the basis of need, appropriateness, and demonstrated effectiveness.
- All grants are for a period of one year and shall not exceed \$1,000.

An application for a civic grant may be submitted by any organization which:

- Has been in operation no less than 6 months in the District of Peachland
- Is based in Peachland
- Has membership from within the District of Peachland or surrounding areas
- Has the majority of its members as voting members
- Is in good standing with its licensing authority
- Has made, at a minimum, an application to the Central Okanagan Foundation, and has received a written response from the COF, or any other granting organization.

Grant applications are considered by Council during 2023 budget deliberations. Approved grants are distributed after July 15, 2023.

Application forms and civic grant criteria may be obtained by contacting the District of Peachland, Legislative Clerk at 250-767-3708 or the District's website www.peachland.ca. Completed applications must be submitted to the Director of Corporate Services by December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023.