

Neighbourhood events are eligible. This grant is specifically to address the additional resources required to operate a winter event. (e.g. heaters, hot pockets, etc). Any logistical items that are specific to winter events.

Please make sure the events are eligible before you suggest groups to apply. The webpage has a lot of information on it that breaks down the grant.

To highlight a few of the criteria:

- Take place between January 1 and March 30, 2023 and/or November 15 and December 31, 2023
- Be an outdoor event primarily located in the public realm
- Held in-person with an attendance of 100 people or more
- The WinterCity Festivals & Events Grant allocations will vary based on the size, scope and scale of each event and will range from \$500 for smaller community events to up to \$60,000 for larger festivals and events. Grant funding may not exceed 25% of the total cost to produce the event.



Connecting Community

Abundant Community Edmonton - "Creating a Neighbourly Vibe" Workshop

Interested in getting more connected on your block, building floor or cul-de-sac? Join Neighbourhood Services / Abundant Community for a workshop on creating a neighbourly vibe! The "Creating a Neighbourly Vibe" workshop is held twice per month. See all upcoming event dates [here](#) and register today!

Upcoming Workshops:

Thursday, November 3rd. 1:00 - 3:00 pm, Wednesday, November 16th. 6:30 - 8:00 pm and Thursday, December 8th. 1:00 - 3:00 pm



Parkland Matters

Planning an Outdoor Event on City Land this Winter?

Licensing for events on open space parkland and/or Licensed Land: As we transition to Fall, there are a lot of cozy ways to celebrate the change in seasons! As part of your event planning, please remember to submit your [license application 4 weeks ahead](#). This will ensure enough time to obtain activity-specific permissions such as fireworks, vending, alcohol or noise. We look forward to supporting you to host a successful event!

Single Use Plastic Bylaw

The Bylaw 20117 has been approved by City Council and will go into effect on July 1, 2023. **Edmonton's Single-use Item Reduction Bylaw** will help reduce waste by targeting items that can easily be replaced with reusable options or avoided altogether. Reducing

single-use items means less litter and less waste in the landfill. It also means fewer emissions required to produce, ship and dispose of these items. For more information visit: [Edmonton's Plan to Reduce Single-use Items](#)



Funding and other Supports to Creating Access

External Message

NEW LOOK FOR 2023! [Neighbourhood Funding Applications are now open](#)

We are excited to announce that our 2023 Neighbourhood Funding opportunities are now accepting applications. The purpose of this funding is to empower and engage Edmontonians to create a connected, inclusive and livable city. The Funding Program invests in projects, initiatives and events that encourage diverse and inclusive neighbourly connections, collaborations and partnerships.

Our funding pages have received a significant makeover! A few of our updates include:

- Tips for a successful application
- More detailed eligibility requirements for each grant stream
 - [Neighbourhood\(s\) Micro-Grant](#) (up to \$500)
 - [Neighbourhood Connections Grant](#) (\$501-\$2,500)

Available in Revitalization Neighbourhoods Only:

- [Revitalization Micro-Grant](#) (up to \$500)
 - [Revitalization Project Macro-Grant](#) (\$501-\$20,000)
 - [Revitalization Extensive Project Funding](#) (REPF) (\$20,001-\$250,000)
- Steps for submitting an application
 - Assessment criteria
 - Funding conditions & reporting requirements

IMPORTANT: Groups are encouraged to apply 8 weeks in advance of their planned project, initiative or event. Please reach out to your NRC or Revite Coordinator with any questions.

Alternative funding opportunities can be explored on the [City of Edmonton Grant Webpage](#) and our [Grant Opportunities for External Groups](#) spreadsheet.

[Upcoming Grant Application Deadlines:](#)

[Canada Summer Jobs](#) - January 12

[Community Better Challenge](#) - February 1

[Community Facility Enhancement Grant \(small funding stream\)](#) - January 15

[Community Initiatives Program Project Based Grant](#) - January 15

[Community Services Recovery Fund](#) - February 21

[Co-op Community Spaces Program](#) - February 1 to March 1

[Jumpstart Community Development Grants](#) - February 13 to March 10

[TD Bank - Park People Grant](#) - February 20

[Green and Inclusive Community Buildings \(GICB\) Program](#) - February 28

*To proceed with GICB, projects are required to follow the City of Edmonton's Community Led Construction process

Afterschool Youth Pass. Get access to all City of Edmonton fitness centres, pools, gyms and more! Valid for youth ages 8-17 on weekdays only. Must scan in or drop in between 1-5:30pm. Monthly memberships for the after-school youth pass are just \$15/month or drop-in for \$2/day. For more information, visit edmonton.ca/AfterschoolYouthPass

Other Resources

- [Updated Webpages for the Problem Properties Initiative](#)
- [Safe Streets Map](#)
- [Take the Gender-based Analysis Plus Course](#)

Ongoing Reference Information

- See [Upcoming Events](#) with EFCL.
- [Parkland Event Application](#) - COE
- [Approved Vendors](#) - COE
- EPS [Community Safety Data Portal](#)