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MANITOBA FUNDING PROGRAMS - PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT					
MANITOBA AGRICULTURE, FOOD and RURAL INITIATIVES					
Community Choices Program	Supports the formation of community roundtables to facilitate the development of social, environmental, & economic game plans.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural & northern villages & towns • Municipalities 	\$2,000 Must be matched by municipality. Multi-community or regional roundtables eligible for a non-matching grant of \$500.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	Robert Campbell, Community Round Table Coordinator Community Choices Program Manitoba Agriculture, Food and Rural Initiatives 604-800 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3G 0N4 See website for office nearest you. Tel: (204) 945-2157 Toll-free: 1-800-567-7334 Fax: (204) 945-5059 E-mail: rocampbell@gov.mb.ca www.gov.mb.ca/ia/programs/community_choices.html
Hometown Meeting Places	Community projects that enhance community “main street” areas & public places by developing, upgrading and/or greening outdoor spaces & outdoor facilities that are accessible to the general community.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit community orgs • Municipalities • Northern Community Councils • Cooperatives 	\$5,000 Covers 50% of total eligible costs. Gov. must contribute a min. of 1/3 of total eligible costs, with balance provided by project proponent.	2 application deadlines: Feb 15 April 15	Bob Newell, Rural Economic Development Initiative Manitoba Agriculture, Food and Rural Initiatives 604-800 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3G 0N4 See website for office nearest you. Tel: (204) 945-3574 Toll-free: 1-800-567-7334 Fax: (204) 948-2362 E-mail: mgi@gov.mb.ca www.gov.mb.ca/agriculture/news/hometown_mb_broch.pdf

MANITOBA CONSERVATION					
Environmental Youth Corps (EYC)	<p>The EYC program allows Manitoba youth the opportunity to become involved in a variety of environmental activities. Funding available to Project Sponsors for carrying out activities relating to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental protection, enhancement, rehabilitation or conservation. • Resource management. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charitable and voluntary organization (org) • Environmental orgs • Service clubs & local government orgs (inclu. municipalities, band councils & aboriginal orgs) • Educational institutions & student groups 	\$5,000	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Pollution Prevention Branch Manitoba Conservation 123 Main St, Suite 160 Winnipeg, MB R3C 1A5 See website for office nearest you. Tel: (204) 945-8443 Toll-free: 1-800-282-8069 (ext. 8443) Fax: (204) 945-1211 E-mail: sdif@gov.mb.ca</p> <p>www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/pollutionprevention/eyc/index.html</p>
Sustainable Development Innovations Fund (SDIF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional waste management • Environmental technology & demonstration • Northern community development & environmental issues • Sustainable community development • Sustainable agricultural practices • Ecosystem conservation • Understanding our environment • Eco-tourism • Water 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipal corporations • Local governments • Private & non-profit orgs • Businesses • Educational institutions • Youth groups • Community associations 	\$50,000	5 application deadlines: May 15 July 15 Sept 15 Nov 15 Jan 15	<p>Wendy Dunlop or Karen Warren Sustainable Development Innovations Fund Manitoba Conservation Pollution Prevention Branch 123 Main St, Suite 160 Winnipeg, MB R3C 1A5 Tel: (204) 945-0146 or (204) 945-8443 Toll-free: 1-800-282-8069, ext. 0146 Fax: (204) 945-1211 E-mail: sdif@gov.mb.ca</p> <p>www.susdev.gov.mb.ca</p>

Waste Reduction & Pollution Prevention (WRAPP) Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organic waste management & composting • Construction & demolition • Waste management • Pollution prevention • Model integrated waste management system • Development & planning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipalities • Local & provincial government departments • Private & non-profit orgs • Community groups • Educational institutions • Industrial or commercial orgs 	\$50,000 Requires a 50% matching of funds from non-provincial gov. sources (in-kind allowable).	2 application periods: Spring Fall	Jim Ferguson, Manager WRAPP Fund c/o Manitoba Conservation Pollution Prevention Branch 123 Main St, Suite 160 Winnipeg MB R3C 1A5 Tel: (204) 945-7042 Toll-free: 1-800-282-8069 ext. 7042 Fax: (204) 945-1211 E-mail: jferguson@gov.mb.ca www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/pollutionprevention/wrapp/
MANITOBA EDUCATION, CITIZENSHIP AND YOUTH					
Hometown Green Team Program (HGT)	HGT program is designed to create summer employment opportunities for rural youth by encouraging sponsors to initiate a variety of community development projects that will improve rural neighborhoods & help build young leaders. Eligible project areas include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community building. • Community renewal. • River bank clean-up/stream maintenance. • Recycling/waste management. • Environmental conservation. • Public education. 	Rural Manitoba-based orgs that are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipal/Civic governments. • Northern Affairs community councils. • Conservations districts. • Non-profit orgs. 	Sponsors reimbursed with incentive equal to 50% of the hourly wage given to each approved employee + a 50/50 matching grant to cover capital & support costs (up to \$500.00 per position).	Spring of every year.	Denise Gerrard, Program Administrator Hometown Green Team Program Community Learning and Youth Programs 310-800 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3G 0N4 Tel: (204) 945-0901 Fax: (204) 945-5726 E-mail: degerrard@gov.mb.ca www.edu.gov.mb.ca/youth/Employers/Hometown.html

Urban Green Team Program	<p>UGT program is designed to create summer employment opportunities for Winnipeg youth by encouraging sponsors to initiate a variety of community development projects that will improve Winnipeg neighborhoods & help build young leaders. Eligible project areas include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community building. • Community renewal. • River bank clean-up/stream maintenance. • Recycling/waste management. • Environmental conservation. • Public education. 	<p>Winnipeg-based orgs that are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit orgs. • Hospitals. • Universities & colleges. • School divisions & schools. 	<p>Sponsors reimbursed up to \$9.00 for every hour of each approved employee.</p>	<p>Spring of every year.</p>	<p>Denise Gerrard, Program Administrator Urban Green Team Program Community Learning and Youth Programs 310-800 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3G 0N4 Tel: (204) 945-0901 Fax: (204) 945-5726 E-mail: degerrard@gov.mb.ca</p> <p>www.edu.gov.mb.ca/youth/Employers/UrbanGreenTeam.html</p>
MANITOBA WATER STEWARDSHIP					
Manitoba Water Services Board	<p>The Board provides technical and financial assistance in the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtaining, development, transmission, distribution and control of water supplies. • Collection, treatment and disposal of municipal sewage in a manner consistent with environmental sustainability. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipalities • Water cooperatives 	<p>Varies.</p>	<p>Contact for details.</p>	<p>Dick Menon, General Manager Manitoba Water Services Board Manitoba Water Stewardship 2022 Currie Blvd Brandon, MB R7A 6Y9 Tel: (204) 726-6073 Fax: (204) 726-6290 E-mail: mwsb@gov.mb.ca</p> <p>www.gov.mb.ca/waterstewardship/mwsb/index.html</p>

MANITOBA FUNDING PROGRAMS - CORPORATE					
MANITOBA HYDRO					
Forest Enhancement Fund (FEF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree planting • Forest education • Innovative research, demonstration & development projects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit, non-government orgs 	\$25,000	Contact for details.	Brendan Carruthers , Environmental Education Coordinator Manitoba Hydro PO Box 815 Winnipeg, MB, R3C 2P4 Tel: (204) 474-4934 E-mail: bcarruthers@hydro.mb.ca www.hydro.mb.ca
Power Smart for Business	Projects that reduce energy consumption in the areas of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lighting. • Commercial construction. • Performance optimization. • Heat pads. • Internal retrofits. • Chillers. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Businesses 	\$80,000	Contact for details.	Cheryl Pilek, Marketing Programs Manitoba Hydro PO Box 815 Winnipeg, MB, R3C 2P4 Tel: (204) 474-3615 E-mail: cpilek@ydro.mb.ca www.hydro.mb.ca/saving_with_ps/psmart_business.shtml

MANITOBA FUNDING PROGRAMS - NON-GOVERNMENT SOURCES					
MANITOBA LIVESTOCK MANURE MANAGEMENT INITIATIVE INCORPORATED					
Manitoba Livestock Manure Management Initiative	Funding support for ideas, concepts, products, technologies & processes which promise to reduce odor & other undesirable emissions, such as greenhouse gases from hog production operations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals • Orgs 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	Randy Ozunko, Manitoba Livestock Manure Management Initiative Inc. 812-401 York Ave Winnipeg, MB R3C 0P8 Tel: (204) 945-0225 Fax: (204) 948-2844 E-mail: rozunko@gov.mb.ca www.manure.mb.ca/applican.htm

MANTIOBA PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP CORPORATION					
Student Action for Recycling Program (STAR)	<p>Projects for schools that have, or are planning to start, in-school recycling programs. After program is implemented, schools may spend remaining funds on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Composting projects. • Naturalization/beautification. • Environmental speakers, books, videos or software. • Environmental field trips. • Community/school clean-up. • Rewards & incentives for school environmental clubs. • Donations to worthy environmental causes. • Any environmental project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-S4 schools 	\$500 & support materials.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Lynne Bereza, Promotion & Education Coordinator Manitoba Product Stewardship Corporation 280-530 Kenaston Blvd Winnipeg, MB R3N 1Z4 Tel: (204) 989-6222 E-mail: lbereza@mpsc.mb.ca</p> <p>www.mpsc.com</p>
MANITOBA RURAL ADAPTATION COUNCIL INCORPORATED					
Manitoba Rural Adaptation Council (MRAC)	<p>Innovative agricultural projects that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure environmental sustainability. • Promote & employ innovative products & processes. • Explore new market opportunities for produce & value-added products. • Catalyze rural economic development. 	<p>All sectors of the agricultural industry including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit orgs. • Commercial orgs. • Corporations. • Cooperatives. • Marketing boards • Institutions. • Associations. • Commodity groups. • Private individuals. 	<p>\$100,000</p> <p>Applicants must contribute 1/3 of total grant in cash.</p>	<p>5 application deadlines:</p> <p>Feb 15 April 15 June 30 Sept 30 Nov 30</p>	<p>Manitoba Rural Adaptation Council 802-294 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3C 0B9 Tel: (204) 982-4790 Fax: (204) 982-4794 Toll-free: 1-800-216-9767 E-mail: mracinfo@mrac.ca</p> <p>www.mrca.ca</p>

THOMAS SILL FOUNDATION INCORPORATED					
Thomas Sill Foundation	Environmental projects that benefit Manitobans.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered charitable orgs only 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an on-going basis.	Thomas Sill Foundation 600-175 Hargrave St Winnipeg, MB R3C 3R8 Tel: (204) 947-3782 Fax: (204) 956-4702 www.thomassillfoundation.com
THE WINNIPEG FOUNDATION					
The Winnipeg Foundation	Environmental projects that benefit Winnipeggers, and some regional initiatives permitted.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered charitable orgs 	Varies.	3 application deadlines: Dec 31 April 30 Sept 30	The Winnipeg Foundation 1350 One Lombard Pl Winnipeg, MB R3B 0X3 Tel: (204) 944-9474 Fax: (204) 942-2987 E-mail: info@wpgfdn.org www.wpgfdn.org/

FEDERAL FUNDING PROGRAMS - GOVERNMENT					
AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD CANADA					
Canada-Manitoba Water Supply Expansion Program (CMSWEP)	<p>Projects must address all criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce the risk of future water shortages. • Target priorities identified through the National Scoping Study (which identified areas experiencing or anticipating water shortages). • Be scientifically, technically and financially feasible. • Be environmentally acceptable. • Enhance the potential for rural economic growth. • Result in a long-term water-supply solution. 	<p>Eligible applicants for assistance in Manitoba:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals and/or incorporated groups of farmers/ranchers. • Agricultural & conservation groups. • Rural communities & municipalities. • Agri-businesses & rural enterprises. • Educational institutions. • Provincial government departments, agencies, & Crown corporations 	<p>Tier Two - <i>Multi-user infrastructure</i>, Canada contributes up to 1/3rd of eligible costs, max. \$5,000.</p> <p>Tier Three - <i>Strategic work</i>, cost-sharing varies, determined & approved on a project-by-project basis.</p>	<p>The CMWSEP is a four-year (2002/03 to 2005/06) program which ends on March 31, 2006. There is no application deadline.</p>	<p>Alain Vermette Head, Manitoba Water Programs Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada 200 - 303 Main St Winnipeg, MB R3C 3G7 Tel: (204) 984-3694 E-mail: nwsep@agr.gc.ca</p> <p>www.agr.gc.ca/env/index_e.php?section=h2o&page=mb</p>
Shelterbelt Enhancement Program (SEP)	<p>Projects designed to reduce greenhouse gases through increased shelterbelt plantings on agricultural lands.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bona fide farmers & producers • Federal, provincial & municipal governments • Charitable orgs • Band Councils or individuals planting trees on Indian Reserves 	<p>Applicants will be supplied with trees, weed-controlling materials & specialized mulch application equipment.</p>	<p>Sept 30</p>	<p>Shelterbelt Enhancement Program, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration Shelterbelt Center PO Box 940 Indian Head, SK S0G 2K0 See website for office nearest you. Tel: (306) 695-2284 Fax: (306) 695-2568 E-mail: pfratree@agr.gc.ca</p> <p>www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/shelterbelt.htm</p>

Shelterbelt Tree Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree Shelterbelts • Conservation & land reclamation projects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bona fide farmers & producers • Federal, provincial & municipal governments • Charitable orgs • Band Councils or individuals planting trees on Indian Reserves 	Trees & shrubs are provided. Applicants responsible for transportation costs & planting & maintaining shelterbelts.	Sept 30	<p>Shelterbelt Enhancement Program, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration Shelterbelt Center PO Box 940 Indian Head, SK S0G 2K0 See website for office nearest you. Tel: (306) 695-2284 Fax: (306) 695-2568 E-mail: pfratree@agr.gc.ca www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/shelterbelt.htm</p>
ENVIRONMENT CANADA					
EcoACTION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promotion of sustainable transportation • Promotion of energy efficient consumer choices • Anti-idling initiatives • Waste reduction/divergence projects • Capacity building projects linked to climate change 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community groups • Environment groups • Aboriginal groups • First Nations councils • Service clubs & associations • Youth & senior's orgs 	<p>\$100,000</p> <p>Requires matching funds or in-kind support from other sponsors.</p>	2 application deadlines: Feb 1 Oct 1	<p>Gord Yelland, Project Services Officer EcoACTION, Environment Canada 150-123 Main St Winnipeg, MB R3C 4W2 Tel: (204) 983-8597 Toll-free: 1-800-567-1570 Fax: (204) 983-0964 E-mail: gord.yelland@ec.gc.ca www.pnr-rpn.ec.gc.ca/index.en.html</p>
ENVIRONMENT CANADA AND HEALTH CANADA					
Community Animation Project (CAP)	Projects that contribute to the health & sustainability of Canadian communities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Citizens 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an on-going basis.	<p>Rick Slasor, Project Specialist Community Programs Environment Canada 150-123 Main St Winnipeg, MB R3C 4W2 Tel: (204) 983-7048 Toll-free: 1-800-567-1570 Fax: (204) 984-5951 E-mail: rick.slasor@ec.gc.ca http://www.pnr-rpn.ec.gc.ca/community/ecoaction/cap/ba02s00.en.html</p>

FISHERIES AND OCEANS CANADA					
Stewardship in Action	Projects that encourage community directed fish habitat advocacy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Government orgs • Non-government orgs • Citizens 	\$7,500 Requires a 50% matching of funds from other sources.	May 14, 2004	Allison McPhee, Fish Habitat Biologist Department of Fisheries & Oceans Central and Arctic Region 101-1st Ave NW Dauphin, MB R7N 1G8 Tel: (204) 622-4064 Fax: (204) 622-4066 E-mail: mcpheea@dfo-mpo.gc.ca http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/index.htm Submit completed proposals to: Stewardship-in-Action Program 7646-8th Street NE Calgary, AB T2E 8X4 Fax: (403) 292-5173 E-mail: XCA-Prairies-Stewardship@dfo-mpo.gc.ca
INFRASTRUCTURE CANADA					
Canada-Manitoba Infrastructure Program	In Manitoba, 20% of the total project value must be invested in green infrastructure. Secondary priorities include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local transportation. • Infrastructure supporting tourism. • Rural and remote telecommunications. • High-speed Internet access for local public institutions. • Cultural and recreational facilities. • Affordable housing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipal governments, who can also sponsor projects proposed by public corporations, private corporations, or non-profit organizations. 	Varies. The federal and provincial governments will typically each fund one-third of eligible costs; applicants will typically pay the remaining one-third of eligible costs.	March 2005, or until all available funds are committed. Projects with a completion date beyond March 31, 2006 will not be considered for funding.	Information Officer Canada-Manitoba Information Secretariat 1140 - 363 Broadway Winnipeg, MB R3C 3N9 Tel: 945-1906 Fax: 948-2035 Toll-free: 1-800-268-4883 E-mail: info@infra.gov.mb.ca www.infrastructure.mb.ca

Municipal Rural Infrastructure Fund (MRIF)	<p>MRIF supports objectives on the environment, sustainable development, climate change, water quality, urban life and innovation. MRIF funding will target green infrastructure including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water and wastewater • Solid waste. • Municipal energy improvements. • Public transit. <p>As well as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural, tourism and recreational infrastructure. • Local roads. • Broadband connectivity. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Nations • Provincial, municipal and civic governments <p>80% of total approved projects must be submitted by communities with a population of less than 250,000.</p>	Cost-shared, with MRIF contributing on average one-third of total eligible project costs. Provinces and municipalities will contribute the remainder.	Contact for details.	<p>Barb Harrison, Canada-Manitoba Infrastructure Secretariat Infrastructure Canada 1140-363 Broadway St Winnipeg, MB R3C 3N9 Tel: (204) 945-1906 E-mail: baharrison@gov.mb.ca</p> <p>www.infrastructure.gc.ca</p>
NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL CANADA					
Industrial Research Assistance Program (IRAP)	<p>Projects that help overcome technological challenges in delivering new products, processes or services. Eligible project areas include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R&D activities. • Technology Partnerships Canada (TPC). • Youth employment strategy programs. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small & medium sized enterprises with no more than 500 employees • Industrial associations 	\$1,500,000	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Industrial Research Assistance Prgm National Research Council Canada 435 Ellice Ave Winnipeg, MB R3B 1Y6 Tel: (204) 983-0092 Toll-free: 1-877-994-4727 Fax: (204) 983-8835 E-mail: publicinquiries.irap-pari@nrc-cnrc.gc.ca</p> <p>http://irap-pari.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/english/aboutirap_e.html</p>

NATURAL RESOURCES CANADA					
Climate Change Impacts & Adaptation Program	Research projects that will contribute to a better understanding of Canada's vulnerabilities to climate change & provide information necessary for the development of adaptation strategies.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Researchers 	Varies.	Submission dates are not yet open. Consult website for upcoming dates.	Pamela Kertland, Climate Change Impacts & Adaptation Directorate Earth Sciences Sector Natural Resources Canada 601 Booth St Ottawa, ON K1A 0E8 Tel: (613) 943-0650 Fax: (613) 992-0190 E-mail: adaptation@NRCan.gc.ca http://adaptation.nrcan.gc.ca/proposal_e.asp
Commercial Building Incentive Program (CBIP)	Projects that encourage energy-efficient design practices & bring about lasting changes in the Canadian building design & construction industry.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individuals • Profit & non-profit orgs • Institutions • Governments • Federal crown corporations 	\$60,000	March 31, 2007	Commercial Building Incentive Program Office of Energy Efficiency Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 18th Floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 Toll-free: 1 877 360-5500 Fax: (613) 947-0373 E-mail: cbip.pebc@nrcan.gc.ca http://oee.nrcan.gc.ca/newbuildings/cbip.cfm
Industrial Building Incentive Program (IBIP)	Projects that improve energy efficiency in new industrial building construction projects.	Industrial companies registered as Industrial Energy Innovators. Eligible industrial building types include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offices with factories attached. • Warehouses with factories attached. • Garages. • Laboratories. • General manufacturing buildings. 	\$80,000	March 31, 2006	Jim Clark, Program Dev. Manager Industrial Building Incentive Program Office of Energy Efficiency Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 18th floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 Toll-free 1-877-360-5500 Fax: (819) 779-2833 E-mail: jclark@nrcan.gc.ca http://oee.nrcan.gc.ca/newbuildings To register as an Energy Innovator, contact Stephan LeBlanc, Prgm Officer Tel: (613) 996-5286 Fax: (610) 947-4121 E-mail: steban@nrcan.gc.ca http://oee.nrcan.gc.ca/eii

Industrial Energy Audit Incentive Program	Incentive available to help defray the cost of hiring an energy auditor to conduct an on-site audit at an industrial facility.	Industrial companies registered as Industrial Energy Innovators. Eligible industries include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manufacturing. • Mining. • Upstream oil & gas activities. 	\$ 5,000 Covers 50% of the cost of an energy audit.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Industrial Audit Officer Office of Energy Efficiency Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 18th floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 E-mail: info.industry@nrcan.gc.ca http://www.oeenrcan.gc.ca/cipec/ieep/ei/products/AuditGuideE.cfm?PrintView=N&Text=N</p> <p>To register as an Energy Innovator, contact Stephan LeBlanc, Prgm Officer Tel: (613) 996-5286 Fax: (610) 947-4121 E-mail: steblan@nrcan.gc.ca http://oeenrcan.gc.ca/eii</p>
Renewable Energy Development Initiative (REDI)	Projects that stimulate market demand for commercially reliable, cost-effective renewable energy systems for space & water heating & cooling. Three types of systems are eligible: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active solar air heating system. • Ground-source heat pumps. • High efficiency/low emissions biomass combustion systems. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Businesses • Industrial corporations operating in the oil, gas, mining, or manufacturing sectors • Federal orgs • Public institutions such as schools, hospitals, municipalities, & non-profit orgs • Energy service companies 	\$80,000 Refund of 25%-40% of the purchase & installation costs of a qualifying system.	March 31, 2007	<p>Renewable Energy Deployment Initiative Office of Energy Efficiency Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 18th Floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 Toll-free: 1-877-722-6600 (toll-free) Fax: (613) 943-1590 E-mail: redi.penser@nrcan.gc.ca www.nrcan.gc.ca/redi</p>

Wind Power Production Incentive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wind power projects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electric utility companies • Independent power producers 	Amount of incentive is about half of the current estimated cost premium for wind energy in Canada for facilities with good wind sources.	March 31, 2007.	<p>Wind Power Production Incentive Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 20th Floor Ottawa ON K1A 0E4 Toll-free: 1 877 722-6600 Fax: (613) 947-0373 E-mail: wppi@nrcan.gc.ca</p> <p>www.canren.gc.ca/programs/index.asp?Cald=107&PgId=622</p>
NATURAL RESOURCES CANADA AND CAMNET ENERGY TECHNOLOGY CENTER					
C-2000 Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy performance improvements • Water conservation • Maintenance of site ecology & improved levels of indoor environmental quality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commercial building owners • Institutional building owners 	\$300,000 per fiscal year.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Stephan Pope, The Buildings Group- CAMNET Energy Technology Center Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 13th Floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 Tel: (613) 947-0064 Fax: (613) 996-9909 E-mail: spope@nrcan.gc.ca www.buildingsgroup.nrcan.gc.ca/projects/c2000_e.html</p>
Emerging Technologies Program (ETP)	<p>Projects that develop & implement technological solutions that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contribute to a cleaner environment. • Improve energy efficiency, productivity, & product quality. • Reduce waste. • Create a stronger market position for Canadian companies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All industrial sectors 	Covers 50% of eligible costs, which is repayable from revenue or cost savings resulting from project.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Roy Prokopuk, Senior Business Development, Marketing, & Communications Officer Emerging Technologies Program CANMET Energy Technology Centre Natural Resources Canada 1 Haanel Dr Ottawa, ON K1A 1M1 Tel: (613) 996-8693 Fax: (613) 995-9584 E-mail: prokopuk@nrcan.gc.ca www.nrcan.gc.ca/es/etb/cetc/cetc01/htmldocs/funding_programs_etp_e.html</p>

Industry Energy Research & Development (IERD) Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development & use of new energy-efficient processes, products, systems & equipment proposed by industry • Contributes to a cleaner environment • Helps Canadian companies increase their market competitiveness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Companies • Formal or informal groupings of companies or individuals • Trade & research orgs • Consulting firms 	Covers 50% of total project costs, which is repayable.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Industry Energy Research & Development Secretariat CANMET Energy Technology Centre Natural Resources Canada 1 Haanel Dr Nepean, ON K1A 1M1 Tel: (613) 995-2698 Fax: (613) 995-7868 E-mail: Linda.Collette@nrcan.gc.ca</p> <p>www.nrcan.gc.ca/es/etb/cetc/cetc01/htmldocs/factsheet_industry_energy_research_and_development_program_e.html</p>
Renewable Energy Technologies Program	<p>Projects that develop & commercialize advanced renewable energy technologies with industry that can serve as cost-effective & environmentally responsible alternatives to conventional energy generation. Eligible technologies include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solar. • Wind power. • Bio-energy. • Small hydro. 	<p>Stakeholders in the energy industry, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manufacturers. • Developers. • Consultants. • Utilities. • Provincial governments. • Federal departments. 	Varies. Funding is repayable.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Renewable Energy Technologies CANMET Energy Technology Centre Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 13th Floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 Tel: (613) 996-6087 Fax: (613) 996-9416</p> <p>www.nrcan.gc.ca/es/etb/cetc/cetc01/htmldocs/funding_programs_retp_e.html</p> <p>www.canren.gc.ca</p>

Transportation Energy Technologies Program	<p>Projects that develop & commercialize technologies & fuels that permit a cleaner, more sustainable energy mix for our roadways. Eligible transportation fuels include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural gas. • Propane. • New liquid fuels. • Advanced transportation systems, including electric vehicles, fuel cells, hydrogen & hybrids. 	<p>Players involved in transportation, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Original equipment manufacturers. • Industry associations. • Fleet managers. • Transit authorities. • Utilities. • Universities. • All levels of government. 	Covers a portion of costs, which is repayable.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Transportation Energy Technologies Program (TETP) CANMET Energy Technology Centre Natural Resources Canada 580 Booth St, 13th Floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0E4 Tel: (613) 996-6220 Fax: (613) 996-9416 E-mail: transportation@nrcan.gc.ca</p> <p>www.nrcan.gc.ca/es/etb/cetec/cetec01/htmldocs/funding_programs_tetp_e.html</p>
TRANSPORT CANADA					
Moving On Sustainable Transportation (MOST)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Studies or analyses that contribute to a greater understanding of sustainable transportation issues • Development of innovative sustainable transportation tools or practices • Demonstration pilot projects that test new sustainable transportation approaches or alternatives • Workshops, strategy sessions or seminars that bring people together in support of new sustainable transportation ideas or approaches • Education & outreach programs that inform the Canadian public about a sustainable transportation activity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit, non-governmental orgs • Community orgs • Orgs & associations for First Nations & Aboriginal Peoples • Educational & academic institutions • Labour orgs • Businesses & industries & their professional associations 	<p>\$100,000 Provides a maximum of 50% of eligible project costs, with the balance to be raised by sources other than the Government of Canada.</p>	2 application deadlines: June 1 Dec 1	<p>Moving On Sustainable Transportation Program Office of Environmental Affairs Sustainable Development Division Transport Canada 330 Sparks St, Place de Ville, Tower C, 18th Floor Ottawa, ON K1A 0N5 Tel: (613) 998-6607 Fax: (613) 993-8674 E-mail: MOST@tc.gc.ca</p> <p>www.tc.gc.ca/programs/environment/most/</p>

NATIONAL FUNDING PROGRAMS - NON-GOVERNMENT SOURCES					
CANADIAN FOUNDATION FOR CLIMATE AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCES (CFCAS)					
Canadian Foundation for Climate & Atmospheric Sciences	<p>Scientific studies which address:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate system processes. • Meteorological, atmospheric & oceanic processes. • Predictions of extreme weather events. • Canadian climate system models. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual researchers & collaborative networks of researchers affiliated with universities & other degree granting institutions • Non-profit orgs that are federated or associated with universities 	Varies.	Consult website for dates.	<p>CFCAS Secretariat 350 Sparks St, Suite 901 Ottawa, ON K1R 7S8</p> <p>www.cfcas.org/applications_e.html</p>
EJLB FOUNDATION					
Environmental Grant Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acquisition & preservation of natural areas of ecological significance or of importance to the urban landscape • Environmental scientific research • Other environmental endeavors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered charitable orgs 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Mr. Robert Alain, Executive Director EJLB Foundation 1350 Sherbrooke St W, Suite 1050 Montreal, QC H3G 1J1 Fax: (514) 843-4080</p> <p>www.ejlb.qc.ca</p>
FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUNICIPALITIES					
Green Municipal Enabling Fund (GMEF)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy & energy services • Water conservation • Solid waste management • Sustainable transportation services & technologies • Sustainable community planning including brown-field redevelopment plans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipalities • Public or private sectors that are partners with the municipality 	<p>\$350,000 Covers up to 50% of eligible costs.</p>	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Green Municipal Funds Federation of Canadian Municipalities 24 Clarence St Ottawa, ON K1N 5P3 Tel: (613) 241-5221, ext. 357 Fax: (613) 244-1515 E-mail: greenfunds@fcm.ca</p> <p>www.fcm.ca</p>

Green Municipal Investment Fund (GMIF)	Projects that support the implementation of innovative environmental infrastructure.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipalities & their public or private sector partners. 	Allows municipal govts. to borrow at preferred interest rate of 1.5% below Bank of Canada bond rate. GMIF finances up to 15% of total costs or 50% of pilot project.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Green Municipal Funds Federation of Canadian Municipalities 24 Clarence St Ottawa, ON K1N 5P3 Tel: (613) 241-5221, ext. 357 Fax: (613) 244-1515 E-mail: greenfunds@fcm.ca</p> <p>www.fcm.ca</p>
SAMUEL AND SAIDYE BRONFMAN FAMILY FOUNDATION					
Urban Issues Program	Projects that unite urban conservation with community development.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community groups 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Gisèle Rucker, Executive Director Samuel & Saidye Bronfman Family Foundation 1170 Peel St, Suite 800 Montreal, QC H3B 4P2 Tel: (514) 878-5270 Fax: (514) 878-5293 E-mail: info@bronfmanfoundation.org</p> <p>www.bronfmanfoundation.org</p>
TREE FOUNDATION CANADA					
Greening Canada's School Grounds	Projects that transform school grounds into environmentally enriched learning environments.	<p>Catchment area of schools including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local businesses. • Neighbours. • School boards. • Students. • Teachers. • School employees. • Parents. 	\$5,000 Educational information, & technical advice.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Tree Canada Foundation 220 Laurier Ave W, Suite 750 Ottawa, ON K1P 5Z9 Tel: (613) 567-5545 Fax: (613) 567-5270 E-mail: tcf@treecanada.ca</p> <p>www.treecanada.ca/programs/school/index.htm</p>

Green Streets Canada	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree planting • Tree maintenance • Provision of environmental education opportunities for citizens. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Municipalities 	\$20, 000 Requires 50-50 cost sharing between Foundation & municipality.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	Tree Canada Foundation 220 Laurier Ave W, Suite 750 Ottawa, ON K1P 5Z9 Tel: (613) 567-5545 Fax: (613) 567-5270 E-mail: tcf@treecanada.ca www.treecanada.ca/programs/greenstreets/index.htm
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NATIONAL FUNDING PROGRAMS - CORPORATE

CANADA TRUST					
TD Friends of the Environment Community Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protect & preserve the environment • Assist young Canadians in understanding & participating in environmental activities • Enhance cooperation among environmental orgs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community groups in the geographic community fund chapter area. 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an on-going basis.	Amanda Perry, Regional Manager of MB TD Friends of the Environment Community Fund 700 West Georgia St TD Tower - 3rd Floor Vancouver, BC V7Y 1A2 Tel: (604) 654-8832 Fax: (604) 654-5531 E-mail: amanda.perry@td.com www.td.com/fef/overview.jsp
DUPONT CANADA					
Community Investment Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental protection • Environmental sustainability • Science & technology education & innovation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National orgs 	Varies.	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	Dale Chipman, Secretary Community Investing DuPont Canada Inc. Box 2200, Streetsville Mississauga, ON L5M 2H3 Tel: (905) 821-5679 Fax: (905) 821-5653 E-mail: Bette.E.Bodanis@CAN.dupont.com www.dupont.ca/english/values/valu_com_investing.html

HOME DEPOT					
Home Depot Environment Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conserve forestlands &/or promote responsible forestry management • Encourage green building & sustainable design in affordable housing • Promote community recycling & clean-up 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charitable orgs in Canada 	\$25,000	Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.	<p>Home Depot Foundation 2455 Paces Ferry Rd Atlanta, GA, USA 30339 Tel: (770) 384-3889 Toll-free: 1-866-593-7019 Fax: 770-384-3908 Toll-Free Fax: 1-866-593-7027 E-mail: hd_foundation@homedepot.com</p> <p>www.homedepotfoundation.org/hfus/enus/initiatives.html</p>
MOUNTAIN EQUIPMENT CO-OP (MEC)					
National Environment Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Land acquisitions for conservation • Advocacy & Education • Backcountry Access • Environmental Research • Studentships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit orgs 	\$100,000	3 application deadlines: Jan 31 May 31 Sept 30	<p>Mountain Equipment Co-op 303 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3B 2B4 Tel: (204) 943-4202</p> <p>www.mec.ca/Main/content_text.jsp?CONTENT%3C%3Ecnt_id=9255&FOLDER%3C%3Efolder_id=619065&bmUID=1082408071615</p>
Store Environment Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help preserve the quality of the natural environment • Educate people about environmentally responsible outdoor adventure 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local orgs 	<p>\$2,000</p> <p>Applicants may also be considered for in-store display space, staff volunteer time & member presentation.</p>	Applications accepted on an on-going basis.	<p>Mountain Equipment Co-op 303 Portage Ave Winnipeg, MB R3B 2B4 Tel: (204) 943-4202</p> <p>http://www.mec.ca/Main/content_text.jsp?FOLDER%3C%3Efolder_id=619063&bmUID=1082408058277 - store</p>

SHELL CANADA					
Shell Environment Fund (SEF)	<p>Projects that propose innovative, action-oriented ways of improving & protecting the Canadian environment. Examples include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cleaning up a local stream, beach or park. • Naturalizing a site to enhance wildlife habitat. • Setting up a community recycling project. • Implementing an innovative environmental educational program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Citizens • Service club • Charitable or volunteer organization • Environment group • Youth group 	\$5,000	<p>Applications for \$500 or less are not subject to deadlines. Applications for more than \$500 must be submitted by Feb 28 or Sept 15.</p>	<p>Shell Environmental Fund 400, 4th Ave SW PO Box 100, Station M Calgary, AB T2P 2H5 Tel: (403) 691-2071 Fax: (403) 269-8031 E-mail: admin.SEF@shell.ca</p> <p>http://www.shell.ca/code/values/environment/sef/html</p>

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Altona Community Foundation Inc.	The Glenboro Area Foundation	Selkirk & District Community Foundation
Beautiful Plains Community Foundations	Interlake Community Foundation	Souris Glenwood Foundation
The Boissevain and Morton Foundation	The Killarney Foundation	The Southwest Manitoba Regional Foundation
Brandon Area Community Foundation	Minnedosa Foundation	Steinbach Community Foundation Inc.
Brokenhead River Community Foundation	Morden Area Foundation	Thompson Community Foundation
Carberry and Area Community Foundation	North Norfolk - MacGregor Foundation	Tiger Hills Community Foundation
Carman Area Foundation	Northern Neighbours Foundation	Virden Area Foundation
The Cartwright and Area Foundation	Oak Lake & Area Foundation	Westshore Community Foundation
Dauphin & District Community Foundation	Pembina Manitou Area Foundation	Winkler Community Foundation
Elkhorn Area Foundation	Community Foundation of Portage and District	

For their contact information visit: www.wpgfdn.org/about_mbcflist.php.

(2) Consult the funding guide provided by Environment Canada's EcoACTION program through their online search engine: www.ec.gc.ca/ecoaction/grnsrc/index_e.cfm.

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