



Projects receiving funding from the Community Priorities Fund, Fall 2017

Allied Arts Council of Lethbridge, \$15,000:

Construction of permanent artist kiosks at Casa's east square as part of its 60th anniversary celebration plans.

Bellecrest Senior Citizens Club, Crowsnest Pass,

\$10,000: Building renovations to construct a full kitchen, available for use to any of the groups sharing the space.

Blood Tribe Social Development, Blood

Reserve, \$15,000: The Awanatsinatsi Beautification Project addresses the lack of community parks in Moses Lake on the Blood Reserve.

Carriage House Theatre Foundation, Cardston,

\$8,000 (\$1,500 from LADA): To enhance the quality of theatrical productions, the grant will facilitate the installation of energy-efficient LED stage lighting.

Catholic Central High School, Lethbridge,

\$10,000: To enhance the school's fine arts programs, the grant will facilitate the purchase and installation of a new lighting console for the Eggplant Theatre.

Claresholm Arts Society, \$5,800: Installation of permanent stage lighting within the Claresholm Community Centre.

Crossroads Counselling Centre Society, Lethbridge, \$5,000 (\$1,000 from LADA):

Renovations will focus on creating additional workspace and increasing the privacy of the client reception area.

Dr. Hamman School, Taber, \$10,000: Purchase of a new sound system, speakers, and projector system for their gymnasium, which is also used by many community groups.

Empress Theatre Society, Fort Macleod, \$7,500

(\$1,000 from LADA): Purchase of updated electronics, including new sound and lighting boards, for the Empress Theatre.

Granum Museum, \$4,000: Construction of washroom facilities for the museum.

Granum Public Library, \$5,000: Purchase of new computers and office software.

Great Canadian Plains Railway Society, \$4,000:

Installation of period-correct oak flooring in the Railway Park's interpretation of the Coutts-Sweetgrass International Train Station's American Customs Room.

L.T. Westlake Fine Arts Elementary School,

Taber, \$8,000: To expand the school's music program, the grant will be used to purchase a set of xylophones, metallophones, glockenspiels, and contrabass bars.

Lethbridge & District Horticultural Society,

\$12,000: Installation of a water feature as part of a planned ornamental garden within Legacy Park in North Lethbridge.

McMan Youth Family and Community Services

Association, Lethbridge, \$10,000 (\$2,000 from LADA): In order to provide reliable transportation for youth in transitional living situations, the grant will go toward the purchase of a vehicle for Parkside Group Home.

Milk River Historical Society, \$6,000:

Restoration, for historical preservation, of a North-West Mounted Police barracks.

Nanton Thelma Fanning Memorial Library,

\$3,500: As a component of a modernization project, the library will use the grant to purchase new computers.



Nord-Bridge Senior Citizens Association, Lethbridge, \$15,000 (\$1,500 from LADA): The Nord-Bridge Seniors Centre will undergo repair work to the concrete subfloor and replacement of the carpeting, which was installed when the facility opened in 2001.

Park Meadows School, Lethbridge, \$10,000: Construction of a new playground accessible to all students, including those with limited mobility and special needs.

Raymond High School Show Choir, \$2,500: Purchase of computer equipment, microphones, and related accessories for use in choir performances.

Raymond Playhouse Society, \$4,000: To enhance performances put on by the groups that use Raymond's Broadway Theatre, the grant will facilitate upgrades to the sound room and mixer system.

Royal Canadian Legion Pincher Creek Branch #43, \$5,000: Renovations to the Legion building in Pincher Creek will include installation of roof vents and re-insulation of the ceiling.

Safe Haven Women's Shelter Society, Taber, \$13,500 (\$1,500 from LADA): Construction of office space within the basement of the Community Outreach Building to enable the organization to accommodate a recent expansion of services and increase public outreach programs.

Stavelly Museum, \$3,000: Renovation of the museum building that houses an antique wooden threshing machine from 1904, improving the historical context of the exhibit.

Theodore Brandley Library, Stirling, \$5,000: To meet growing demand from the community, the library will undergo renovations to expand the area used for youth and other public programming.

Stavelly Municipal Library, \$2,500: Addressing accessibility concerns of library users with poor eyesight, the library will purchase a new laptop and large secondary monitor.

Troyanda Ukrainian Dance Club, Lethbridge, \$2,000: Assisting in dancers' skill development, the grant will go toward the purchase of portable glassless mirrors for use during rehearsal.

University of Lethbridge Conservatory of Music, \$6,500: This initiative will add several percussion instruments to the collection housed at Casa and used for music education and programming offered to the public.

Vauxhall High School, \$5,000: Construction and landscaping of a school-run greenhouse to introduce students to botany. Produce grown there will be incorporated into the school's meal programs.

Wrentham Fire & Rescue Foundation, \$15,000 (\$1,500 from LADA): A volunteer fire department in existence since 1965, Wrentham Fire & Rescue will purchase life-saving rescue tools and accessories for use in attending motor vehicle collisions.