

Community Culture Development Fund – Culture Development Category

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1. What is the Community Culture Development Fund (CCDF) program?

This grant program, formerly known as the Culture Fee for Service program, was initiated in 2000 to provide financial support to not-for-profit organizations delivering arts, culture and heritage initiatives within Red Deer. The intent of the program is to help organizations build their capacity to provide a service, manage an arts facility, act as the umbrella organization for other cultural organizations, develop new programs and services for arts and heritage, or to produce a community based special event or festival.

2. Are there different funding categories?

Yes, there are two categories, Culture Development and Culture Opportunities.

- The Culture Development category supports longer term projects, including operational funding; Multi-year funding for up to three years may be applied for within this category; intake for applications runs May 15 to June 30, annually.
- There is no deadline for the Culture Opportunities category; for more information about this category, please visit <http://www.reddeer.ca/recreation-and-culture/arts-and-culture/culture-in-the-community/community-culture-grants>.

Outcomes: Applicants are required to link their culture project to at least one of these seven outcomes:

- Community Cohesion and Engagement
- Educational Opportunity and Attainment
- Equitable Services and Access
- Health, Safety and Well-being
- Social and Cultural Diversity
- Heritage
- Economic Value

Administration: The following forms are available on The City's website:

- Application Guide
- Application and budget forms
- Appeal form
- Reporting forms

3. Who is eligible for the program?

Not-for-profit organizations operating within Red Deer that deliver arts, culture and/or heritage initiatives.

4. How can I apply?

Application forms are available on The City's website. Completed Culture Development applications must be submitted on or before the deadline of June 30, annually; Cultural Opportunities applications are accepted on an ongoing basis.

5. How much funding is available for the 2019 funding year?

A total of \$334,110 is available for the 2019 funding year.

6. How can I find more information on this program?

Visit www.reddeer.ca/recreation-and-culture/arts-and-culture/culture-in-the-community/community-culture-grants/ for more details and to access the application and reporting forms.

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