

POLICY PD 021 – COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT FUNDING POLICY

List of Changes

Previous Version of Policy	Suggested Changes			Discussion
1. Addition of Campgrounds to Facility Funding				
Under Table 1.0 campgrounds are not funded.	Campground	Operated By	# of Sites	Only campgrounds that are a Non-profit organization would be eligible for funding. This would eliminate Rolling Greens Fairways, Camp N RV Campground, Vermilion Provincial Park, Johnston Campground, and Hidden Lake Campground.
	Village of Kitscoty	Village of Kitscoty	19 Sites	
	Village of Paradise Valley	Agriculture Society	6 sites	
	Village of Marwayne	Marwayne Legion	16 serviced sites	
	Jubilee Regional Campground	Marwayne Legion	120 sites	
	Dewberry Campground	Dewberry Hall	29 sites	
	Clandonald Campground	Clandonald & District Recreation Association	6 sites	

<p>Table 1.0</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="632 423 982 496">Campground</th> <th data-bbox="982 423 1100 496"></th> <th data-bbox="1100 423 1335 496"># of Campgrounds</th> <th data-bbox="1335 423 1451 496">Cost</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="632 496 982 570">Category 1 (51 or more sites)</td> <td data-bbox="982 496 1100 570">\$3,000</td> <td data-bbox="1100 496 1335 570">1</td> <td data-bbox="1335 496 1451 570">\$3,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="632 570 982 607">Category 2 (5-50 sites)</td> <td data-bbox="982 570 1100 607">\$1,000</td> <td data-bbox="1100 570 1335 607">5</td> <td data-bbox="1335 570 1451 607">\$5,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Campground		# of Campgrounds	Cost	Category 1 (51 or more sites)	\$3,000	1	\$3,000	Category 2 (5-50 sites)	\$1,000	5	\$5,000	<p>Campgrounds would be divided into two categories. Category 1 and Category 2. Category 1 would be for community organizations that operate campgrounds with 51 or more sites. Category 2 would be for community organizations with 50 sites or less). Funds would be distributed per organization, not per campground. This would be an additional \$8,000 to the recreation budget.</p>
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<p>2.Community Funding – Events</p>														
<p>5. Community Funding – Events</p>	<p>Name Change – Community Sponsorship</p>													
<p>No Definition</p>	<p>Community Sponsorship means a mutually beneficial agreement between the CVR and a community-based organization.</p>	<p>Add to definitions.</p>												
<p>5.a New addition</p>	<p>The CVR provides financial support, in-kind resources, or other assistance to help these organizations carry out projects that directly benefit the well-being of CVR residents.</p>													
<p>5.f. Maximum funding per Event is \$2,000.00</p>	<p>The maximum funding per request is \$2,000.00. Funding distribution will continue to be evaluated against criteria included on the application and distributed proportionally as follows: 100-75 points – 100% funding requested 75-50 points – 75 % funding requested</p>													

	50-25 points – 50% funding requested 25- 0 points – funding ineligible	
4.c.i.1.d County of Vermilion River Council will have final approval on all funding allocations.	4.c.i.1.d County of Vermilion River Council will have final approval on all funding allocations, with the exception of Sponsorship Funding, which can be approved by the Director of Planning and Community Services.	
5.g Applications will be accepted by the County annually in April and October. Applications will be directed to Council for review.	Applications will be accepted throughout the year. The County's Director of Planning and Community Services reviews all completed applications to ensure they meet the necessary criteria as well as approves or disapproves applications based on evaluation criteria.	Sponsorship budget will be set annually and can be approved throughout the year by the Director of Planning & Community Services. Council will receive a quarterly briefing note to be informed on the applicants who receives community sponsorship funding and how the County was recognized as set out in section 4.c.i.viii Recognition
3.Other Revisions and Changes		
4.c.i.1.a Council shall establish a maximum of up to 5% of net tax revenue as a budget amount to be distributed through funding categories each fiscal year.	4.c.i.i.a Council shall establish a budget amount to be distributed through funding categories each fiscal year.	
Table 1.0	Ski Hill - \$15,000	Ski Hills are currently labelled as Winter Recreation and receive \$6,600. At the February 28, 2023 Regular Meeting of Council,

		<p>the following motion was passed:</p> <p>Motion Number: 2023-02-55</p> <p><i>THAT the County of Vermillion River direct Administration to provide up to \$15,000.00 to Mount Joy for 2023 funding, to be drawn from the Recreation Budget.</i></p>
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