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Local Leadership for Climate Adaptation

Leadership Local pour l'Adaptation Climatique

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A program of

FCM

Local Leadership for Climate Adaptation (LLCA) \$530M by 2031

Leadership local pour l'adaptation climatique (LLAC) 530 M\$, d'ici 2031



Invest in Climate Resilience

LLCA provides tailored funding to help municipalities plan, test and implement local climate adaptation solutions.

<https://greenmunicipalfund.ca/local-leadership-climate-adaptation>

Investir dans la résilience climatique

L'initiative LLAC offre un financement adapté pour aider les municipalités à planifier, à mettre à l'essai et à mettre en œuvre des solutions locales d'adaptation climatique.

<https://fondsmunicipalvert.ca/leadership-local-pour-ladaptation-climatique>



Cross-cutting themes / **Thèmes transversaux**

Equity

Reconciliation

Collaboration

Nature-Positive

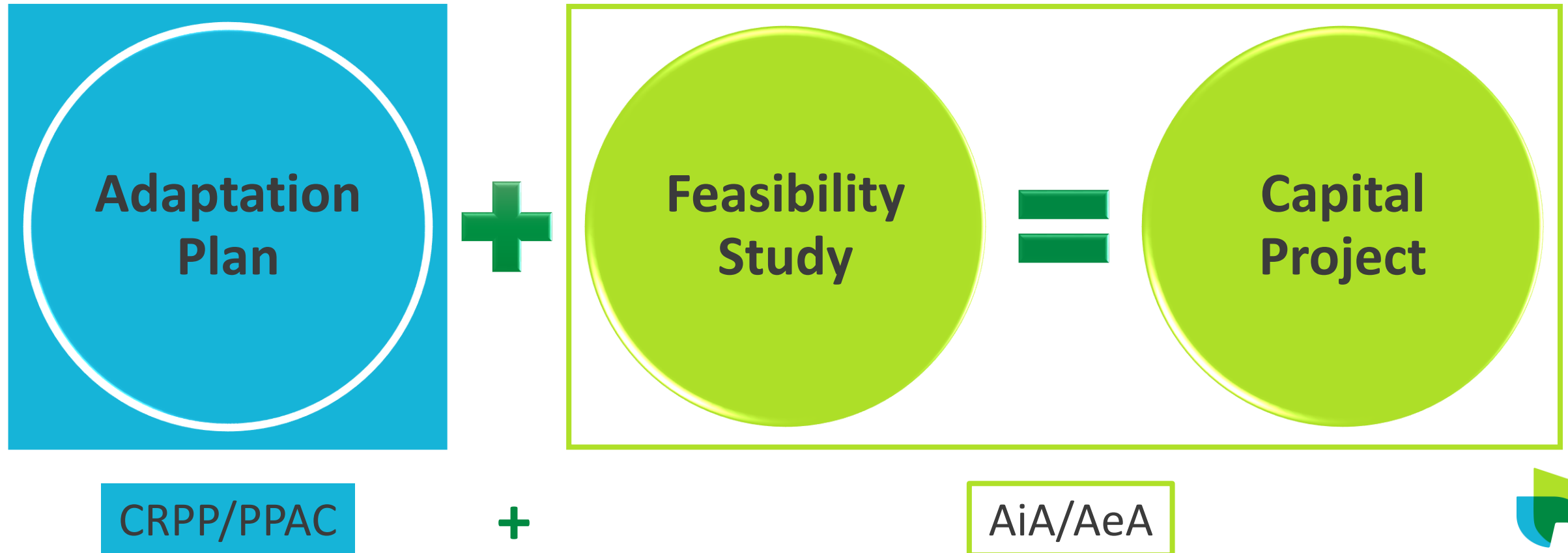
Low-Carbon Resilience



LLCA / LLAC

To support equity-informed climate adaptation planning and action

Pour soutenir la planification et la mise en oeuvre d'actions d'adaptation climatiques fondées sur l'équité



Climate Ready Plans and Processes (CRPP) Plans et Processus Adaptés au Climat (PPAC)

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|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| • Risk assessments / | Évaluation des risques |
| • Adaptation planning / | Planification de l'adaptation |
| • Systems integration / | Intégration des systèmes |
| • Risk registers / | Registre des risques |
| • Vulnerability assessments / | Évaluation de la vulnérabilité |



Climate Ready Plans and Processes

Plans et Processus Adaptés au Climat

Population size Taille de la population	Max grant amount Montant maximal
<50,000	\$70,000
50,000 – 500,000	\$105,000
> 500,000	\$140,000



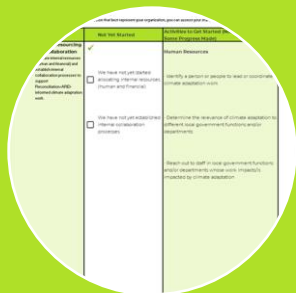
INCENTIVES / INCITATIFS

Climate-Ready
Plans and
Processes

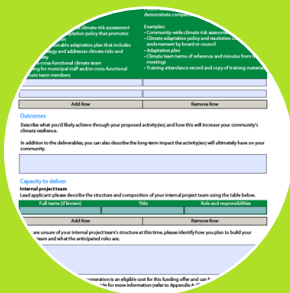
Adaptation in
Action

BASELINE	60%	CRPP
POPULATION	+5% to / à +20%	Depending on size of community Selon la taille de la population de la communauté
EQUITY / ÉQUITÉ	+15%	Meaningfully address Reconciliation and/or anti-racism, equity and inclusion Abordé de manière significative la Réconciliation, la lutte contre le racisme, l'équité et l'inclusion
COLLABORATION	+5%	Involve two or more municipal governments; Local governments applying in partnership with an Indigenous community Une collaboration entre deux ou plusieurs gouvernements municipaux, les gouvernements locaux qui présentent une demande en partenariat avec une collectivité autochtone.

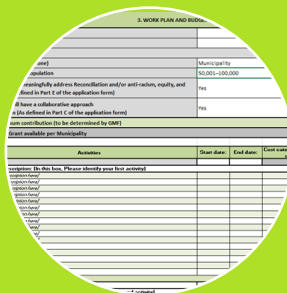
CRPP Application Process



CRC
Assessment
Tool



Application
Form



Workbook /
Budget



Supporting
Documents



Examples provided are meant to reflect a variety of municipal sizes, capacities and regions.

Les exemples fournis visent à refléter une variété de tailles, de capacités et de régions municipales.

Climate Adaptation Plans:

[District of Ucluelet, BC Climate Change Adaptation Plan](#)

[City of Selkirk, MB Climate Change Adaptation Strategy](#)

[City of Windsor, ON Climate Change Adaptation Plan](#)

[Town of Devon, AB Climate Risk Assessment and Adaptation Plan](#)

[City of Vancouver Climate Change Adaptation Strategy -](#)

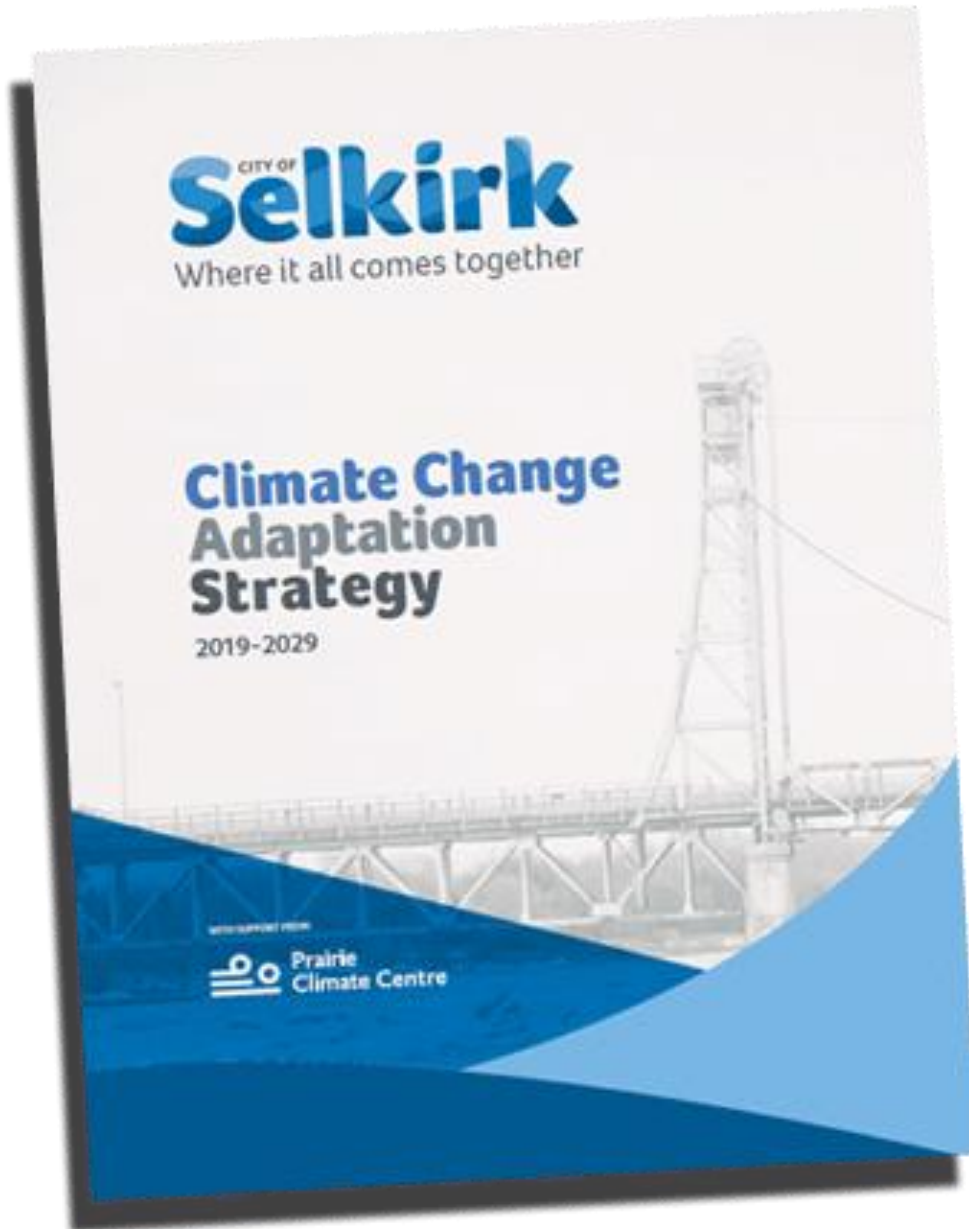
Climate Risk Assessments:

[City of Sault Ste. Marie, ON Climate Change Risk Assessment](#)

[Town of Hinton, AB Climate Risk Assessment](#)

Climate Action Plan example (combining both mitigation and adaptation):

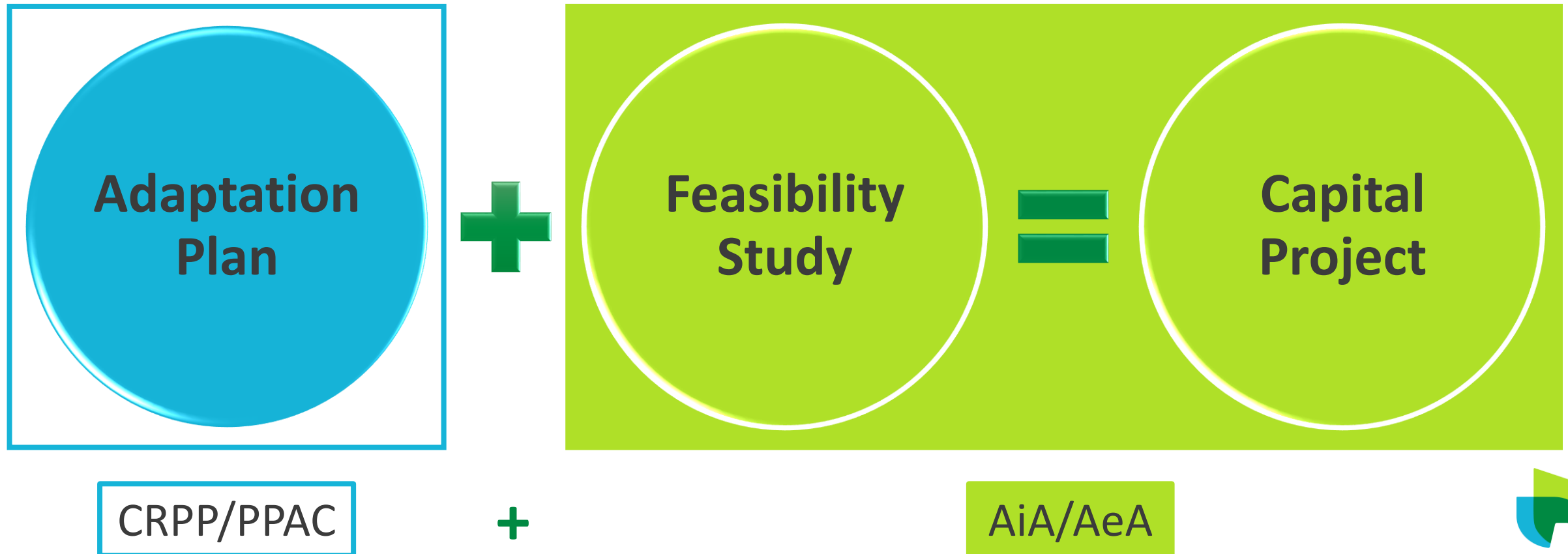
[City of Charlottetown Climate Action Strategy 2025-2030](#)



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Available funding

Climate-Ready
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Adaptation in
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Feasibility Studies

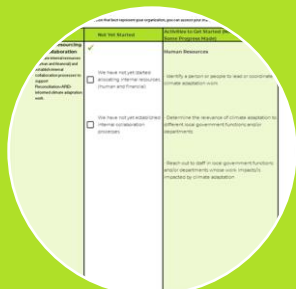
- 80%+ of eligible costs
- Up to a maximum of \$70,000
- 2-year projects
- **To support Implementation Project-sized initiatives**

Implementation Projects

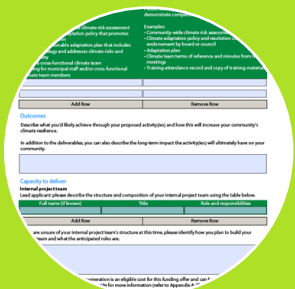
- 60% + of eligible costs
- Eligible costs of no more than \$1 M
- On-the-ground projects; think small capital, but other scopes of work are allowed
- 3-year projects
- **Must deliver immediate potential to reduce climate impacts**



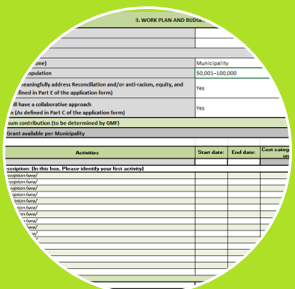
AiA Application Process



PRE-
Application
Form



Application
Form



Workbook /
Budget



Supporting
Documents



INCENTIVES / INCITATIFS

Climate-Ready
Plans and
Processes

Adaptation in
Action

BASELINE	80%	Feasibility Study
POPULATION	+10%	Small, Rural and Remote communities Collectivités petites, rurale et éloignées
COLLABORATION	+10%	Local governments applying in partnership with an Indigenous community, or project led by an Indigenous community Les gouvernements locaux qui présentent une demande en partenariat avec une collectivité autochtone, ou une collectivité autochtone qui entreprend le projet.



INCENTIVES / INCITATIFS

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BASELINE	60%	Implementation Projects
POPULATION	+10%	Depending on size of community <10,000 Selon la taille de la population de la communauté <10,000
EQUITY / ÉQUITÉ	+10%	Meaningfully address Reconciliation and/or anti-racism, equity and inclusion Abordé de manière significative la Réconciliation, la lutte contre le racisme, l'équité et l'inclusion
COLLABORATION	+10%	Involve two or more municipal governments; Local governments applying in partnership with an Indigenous community Une collaboration entre deux ou plusieurs gouvernements municipaux, les gouvernements locaux qui présentent une demande en partenariat avec une collectivité autochtone.
NATURE	+10%	Nature-based solutions Mesures inspirées et soutenues par la nature

Adaptation in Action (AiA)

L'adaptation en action (AeA)

Feasibility Studies

- Up to a maximum of \$70,000
- **To support implementation sized projects**

Save Our Seine River Environment Inc. studying options for green infrastructure in the Seine River Urban Watershed in Winnipeg, MB



Adaptation in Action (AiA)

L'adaptation en action (AeA)

Implementation Projects

- Eligible costs of no more than \$1 M
- **Must deliver immediate potential to reduce climate impacts**



Fort Qu'Appelle (\$999,600):
Replace aging storm sewer infrastructure along Company Avenue to better manage increased rainfall and reduce flooding. The project will improve drainage resilience and help protect water quality at the Qu'Appelle River outfall.

Adaptation in Action (AiA)

L'adaptation en action (AeA)

Implementation Projects

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Edmonton (\$684,920):

Good Fire pilot will use vegetation management and prescribed burns to reduce wildfire risk and restore natural ecosystems. It will build local capacity, strengthen regional collaboration, and support respectful dialogue with Indigenous Nations on land stewardship.

	Climate-Ready Plans and Processes	Feasibility Studies: Adaptation in Action	Implementation Projects: Adaptation in Action
Purpose	Helps communities prepare and plan for climate change.	Assesses the viability of projects to tackle climate risks.	Implements real-world projects that address local climate challenges.
Eligible Projects	Climate risk assessments, adaptation plans, resilience training.	Studies to determine viability and prepare for future projects.	Infrastructure improvements and services that address climate needs.
Funding Type	Grants of up to \$140K	Grants of up to \$70K	Grants of up to \$1M
Who Should Apply?	Communities at the start of their climate journey	Communities assessing project feasibility	Communities ready to execute resilience projects
Key Outcomes	Enhanced strategies and engagement	Feasibility and design clarity	Infrastructure improvements reducing climate risks
Learn More	<u>Climate-Ready Plans and Processes funding</u>	<u>Feasibility Studies: Adaptation in Action funding</u>	<u>Implementation Projects: Adaptation in Action funding</u>

NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE PROJECTS

NOMBRE DE PROJETS ÉLIGIBLES

Lead Municipality Population Size	Climate-Ready Plans and Processes	Implementation Project	Feasibility Study
<50,000	1 project	1 project	1 project
50,000 – 500,000	1 project	2 projects	2 projects
>500,000	1 project	3 projects	3 projects



Growing Canada's Community Canopies (GCCC)

Croissance de la canopée des collectivités canadiennes (CCCC)

	Planting	Plantation
Grants Subventions	• Up to 50% of eligible costs • Up to a maximum of \$10 million • Up to a maximum of \$1 million per municipality for infrastructure costs	• Jusqu'à 50 % des coûts admissibles • Jusqu'à un maximum de 10 M\$ • Jusqu'à un maximum de 1 M\$ par municipalité pour des coûts d'infrastructure



INTAKE PERIODS | APPEL À PROJETS

	CRPP	Feasibility Studies	Imp. Projects	Rapid Adaptation Projects
Fall 2026	October 6 – December 8	October 6 – December 15	October 6 – November 24	October 6 – November 24
Spring 2027	March 30 – June 15	March 30 – June 29 FINAL ROUND	March 30 – June 1	April 20 – May 18

FCM's FUNDING PORTAL: <https://portal.fcm.ca/en-CA/>
 Portail de la FCM: <https://portal.fcm.ca/fr-CA/>



Rapid Adaptation Projects

- Exclusively available for communities <50,000
- Up to \$75,000 at 70-100% cost share;
 - 100% for remote (Northern) communities
 - [Places located in Zone A – Prescribed Northern Zones](#) (CRA designation)
- Proven, high-impact activities
 - Choose the Project Focus Area
- Funding paired with capacity development
- One-time funding per community



**Resilient
Community
Facilities**



**Community
Flood Resilience**



**Community
Wildfire
Resilience**



**Community
Heat Resilience**



Projets d'adaptation rapide

- Exclusivement offert aux collectivités <50,000
- Up to \$75,000 at 70-100% cost share;
 - 100 % pour les collectivités éloignées (Nord)
 - [Collectivités situées dans la zone A – zones nordiques désignées](#) (selon l'ARC)
- Activités éprouvées à fort impact
- Financement accompagné de mesures de renforcement des capacités
- Financement offert une seule fois par collectivité



Installations
communautaires
résilientes



Résilience de la
collectivité aux
inondations



Résilience de la
collectivité aux feux
de forêt



Résilience de la
collectivité à la
chaleur



Consult our Adaptation Resource Library

Consultez notre bibliothèque de ressources sur l'adaptation climatique



Talking it through: Guide for local government staff on climate adaptation

Do you need help having clear conversations in your municipality? Our Talking it Through guide was created to help staff talk to decision-makers



Video series: Climate in focus

Watch our video series to develop a core understanding of climate action in municipalities. You'll also learn about climate approaches and resources to help your community reduce greenhouse gases and adapt to climate



Il faut s'en parler : Un guide de discussion pour les gouvernements locaux sur l'adaptation aux changements climatiques

Besoin d'aide pour lancer des conversations sur le climat? Consultez notre guide Il faut s'en parler qui aidera le personnel municipal à



Série de vidéos : Pleins feux sur le climat

En vidéo : action climatique et municipalités canadiennes. Approches et ressources : réduire ses émissions de GES et s'adapter au changement climatique.



<https://greenmunicipalfund.ca/resources>
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Adaptation Actions to Implement Climate Resilience

Discover projects to reduce your community's climate vulnerabilities and risks



CLIMATE ADAPTATION

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Resource Library

Consultez notre bibliothèque de
ressources sur l'adaptation
climatique

[Home](#) ▸ [Resources](#) ▸ [Factsheet: Applying an Indigenous inclusion lens to climate adaptation](#)

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How Indigenous perspectives strengthen municipal climate adaptation strategies

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Factsheet: Why equity matters in municipal climate adaptation

Explore the importance of taking on equity-centred climate adaptation work

[Backgrounder: Canada and FCM announce \\$34.2M investment in 141 local climate adaptation projects](#)



[Information - La FCM et le gouvernement du Canada annoncent un investissement de 34,2 M\\$ dans 141 projets locaux d'adaptation climatique](#)

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