



City of Toronto

Sustainable Transportation Directory

The 2000 Essential Directory of Groups, Projects, Initiatives and more!

Climate Change Action Fund (CCAF)

The CCAF was established by the Government of Canada to help Canada honour the promise it made in December 1997 in Kyoto, Japan, at the third Conference of the Parties (CoP3) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change.

The CCAF was announced in the 1998 federal budget, where \$150 million was allocated over three years to support the development of an implementation strategy to address climate change and to facilitate early action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Activities under the CCAF have been divided into four components:

- **Foundation Analysis** - The development of a national implementation strategy via a multi-stakeholder consultation process involving the work of 16 Issue Tables.
- **Science, Impacts and Adaptation (SI&A)** - Targeted research to better understanding climate processes and to assess the impact of climate change on the regions of Canada and the options for adaptation.
- **Technology Early Action Measures (TEAM)** - Cost-shared support for the development and deployment of emission-reducing technologies.
- **Public Education and Outreach (PEO)** - Public education and outreach activities directed at informing Canadians about climate change and encouraging them to take action.

Operation of the CCAF is based on a number of principles:

- Building where possible on existing initiatives and mechanisms;
- Early spending on immediate priorities while not prejudging the outcome of the national implementation process;
- Leveraging and cost-sharing with the provinces and the private sector;
- Concrete milestones and demonstrable results; and
- A transparent process that engages all relevant federal departments and agencies and external stakeholders.

Persons and organizations interested in submitting proposals for funding under the SI&A, TEAM and PEO components of the CCAF should first visit the Climate Change web site (at <http://www.climatechange.gc.ca>) to ascertain eligibility and information requirements and/or obtain an applicant's guide. Alternatively, you can contact us directly:

- For SI&A projects, contact: Pamela Kertland, Natural Resources Canada, Ottawa, Ontario. Phone: 613-943-0650; Fax: 613-992-0190; Email: pkertlan@nrcan.gc.ca
- For TEAM projects, contact: the TEAM Operations Office. Phone: 613-996-6220 or Email rlubin@nrcan.gc.ca
- For PEO projects, contact: the Public Education and Outreach Program, c/o Climate Change Bureau, Environment Canada. Phone: (819) 997-2609; Fax: (819) 953-3241; Email: ccbassistant@ec.gc.ca

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Sponsors/Partners

Provinces, municipalities and the private sector are also partners on specific CCAF projects. A full project/partner database is available at <http://www.climatechange.gc.ca>



Moving On Sustainable Transportation (MOST) Program

Transport Canada created the Moving On Sustainable Transportation (MOST) Program to promote awareness of sustainable transportation issues, develop new tools and approaches, and encourage concrete action by Canadians.

The primary objectives of the MOST Program are to:

- provide Canadians with practical information and tools for better applying sustainable transportation thinking to their daily lives;
- stimulate the development of innovative tools, approaches and practices for increasing the sustainability of Canada's transportation system; and
- realize quantifiable environmental and sustainable development results on Transport Canada's sustainable development priorities.

The MOST Program will allocate approximately one million dollars, over a three-year period (1999/00-2001/02) to promote these sustainable transportation objectives.

Who can Apply?

- not-for-profit, non-governmental organizations (NGOs);
- community organizations (voluntary groups, community associations, and institutions);
- organizations and associations for First Nations and Aboriginal Peoples;
- educational and academic institutions;
- labour organizations; and
- businesses and industries and their professional associations - for projects that are non-profit in nature and are not tied to a company's line of business.

What Projects can be Funded?

The following four criteria must be met for projects to be eligible for program funding:

1. Address at least one of the following MOST Program categories:
 - a) Conduct studies or analyses that contribute to a greater understanding of sustainable transportation issues;
 - b) Develop innovative sustainable transportation tools or practices;
 - c) Undertake demonstration pilot projects that test new sustainable transportation approaches or alternatives;

Contact

Moving on Sustainable Transportation (MOST) Program

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www.tc.gc.ca/envaffairs/most

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- a) Conduct workshops, strategy sessions or seminars that bring people together in support of new sustainable transportation ideas or approaches; or
- b) Deliver education and outreach programs that inform the Canadian public about a sustainable transportation activity.

2. Target the Canadian Public

Proposals must target the Canadian public including, but not limited to, the general public, the transportation sector, youth, municipalities, First Nations and Aboriginal Peoples, and educators.

3. Shared Funding through Partnerships

The proposal *must* obtain a minimum of 50 per cent of resources (cash or in-kind) from sources other than the federal government, so that the federal contribution does not exceed 50 per cent (cash and/or in-kind).

4. Demonstrate Quantifiable Results

Proposals must contain quantifiable sustainable transportation targets and indicators to measure and report on the environmental and sustainable development impacts expected as a result of the project. Sustainable transportation measures resulting from a project could include, but are not limited to, the following:

- reduction in Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) emissions;
- reduction in carbon dioxide (CO₂) emissions;
- Green House Gas (GHG) emission reduction credits any measurable and verifiable reductions in GHG;
- increase in the number of people taking the bus;
- increase in the number of car pools set up;
- increase in the number of vehicle-kilometres saved;
- increase in the number of participants attending a sustainable transportation course; or
- the degree of enhanced knowledge about sustainable transportation.

What is the Maximum Funding Available?

The *MOST* Program will fund projects:

- to a maximum of 50 per cent of eligible net costs (cash or in-kind). Funding from other Government of Canada sources must be identified, as the total federal contribution cannot exceed 50 per cent.
- to a maximum of \$100,000 over a two-year period, net of any GST input tax credits or rebates.

What are the Deadlines for Applying?

A proposal may be submitted any time during a submission period. To be considered, your proposal must be postmarked by the date of the application deadline. For more information please call 613-998-6607, fax 613-993-8674, email: MOST@tc.gc.ca, or visit www.tc.gc.ca/envaffairs/most



City of Toronto Grant Programs

City of Toronto grant programs for the year 2000 (for not-for-profit community agencies and business associations (including BIAs) are as follows:

- Access and Equity
- Community Services
- Breaking The Cycle Of Violence
- Drug Abuse Prevention
- AIDS Prevention
- Culture Office
- Commercial Research
- Economic Development Festivals
- Graffiti Transformation
- Homeless Initiatives
- Toronto Arts Council
- Recreation
- Economic Development Partnership
- Community Festivals

For more information visit www.city.toronto.on.ca or call ACCESS Toronto at 416-338-0338.



The Sustainability Network

The Sustainability Network operates a modest bursary program to help Ontario-based environmental leaders obtain non-profit management training. Up to half the cost to a maximum of \$500 can be provided to offset the costs of training workshops and courses given by United Ways, Volunteer Centres, other non-profit service providers, college and university extension courses or private sector opportunities. Most of the activity of the Sustainability Network involves the delivery of training workshops and networking breakfasts on a wide range of non-profit management topics including fundraising. As well, we are hosting on-line fundraising training courses with Ken Wyman by early 2000. For more information on the work of the Sustainability Network and the availability of bursaries, please call Paul Bubelis at 416-760-8602 or email: bubelis@switchtech.net.

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Other Possible Sources.

There are a number of millenium funding initiatives at the municipal, provincial and federal levels. For more information visit:

- http://www.millennium.gc.ca/menu_e.html (for Millenium Bureau of Canada and the Canada Millennium Partnership Program)
- <http://www.ec.gc.ca/ecoaction> (for information on Environment Canada's Eco-Action 2000 program and the "How-to guide for Millenium Eco-Communities From Needs Assessment to Evaluation")
- http://www.est.gov.on.ca:80/english/am/am_bdgt.html (for Provincial Government 1998 Budget Initiatives for Science &Technology)
- www.city.toronto.on.ca (for Municipal Government programs - also check its listing in this section of the directory)

For information on Foundations contact the **Canadian Centre for Philanthropy/Le Centre canadien de philanthropie** at 425 University Avenue, 7th Floor, Toronto, Ontario, M5G 1T6. Tel: 416-597-2293, Fax: 416-597-2294, Email: general@ccp.ca, Web Site: www.ccp.ca. The Centre produces the **Canadian Directory to Foundations & Grants** as a resource for charities and non-profits which are looking for financial support from foundations. The Centre also administers a very small bursary program called the Access Bursary (formerly known as the Trillium Bursary). To request more information about the Access Bursary, contact the Centre by e-mail, or regular mail.

If you are looking for a phone number or address visit <http://canada411.sympatico.ca> (the Sympatico web site). It is a directory with 10 million Canadian listings. You can enter the name of the organization, and if it is listed with Bell, you will get the phone number, full address, and postal code.