Community Collaboration Grant Information 2025

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ATTENTION AGE FRIENDLY MUNICIPALITIES!

RE: Community Collaboration Grant Opportunity for Age Friendly Municipalities!

We are pleased to announce the opening of applications for the Community Collaboration Grant — an opportunity for municipalities to partner with at least three community organizations to create positive, lasting change within your community. This grant, with awards of up to \$10,000, is designed to support collaborative initiatives that enhance the lives of community members, in alignment with the Age Friendly Manitoba framework.

Through this funding, we aim to foster partnerships that will make a direct impact on two or more of the eight Age-Friendly domains (see application). By addressing these domains, your project will help improve the well-being, engagement, and quality of life for your residents.

Eligible projects must demonstrate clear collaboration between the municipality and at least three community organizations. Consider collaborating with Recreation Centres, Senior Resource Councils, Senior Centres, Chambers of Commerce, local service clubs, schools, etc.

Grants can support a range of project costs, including but not limited to, community engagement activities, training and capacity-building efforts, outreach and promotional materials, events, or physical improvements that promote accessibility - use your imagination!

Please note that successful grant recipients will be required to recognize Age Friendly Manitoba in any project-related communications or promotional materials. Additionally, all correspondence related to the grant, including updates and reports, should be shared with us to ensure alignment and ongoing support.

We look forward to seeing how your collaboration will positively impact lives and strengthen community connections. To support applicants, we will be hosting a Zoom session in early September to provide an overview of the grant application process.

Stay tuned for more details.

Sincerely,

The application deadline is Oct. 31st, 2025. Successful applicants will be notified by Dec. 15th, 2025. An interim/final grant report will be due by March 1st, 2026.

Connie Newman, Executive Director

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| Sponsoring Municipality* | | | | | |
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| Mailing Address | | City/Town | | | |
| Postal Code | Phone: | Email | | | |
| Municipal Contact: | | Position | | | |
| Has your Municipality acheive | ed milestone status? Yes | No | | | |
| *Grant funds will be made payable to the Municipality | | | | | |
| Title of Grant Project: | | | | | |
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| Please indicate municipal support in grant project (ie: resolution, in kind, monetary, service provision, etc): | | | | | |
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Indicate 2 or more domains to be impacted:

- Outdoor Spaces & Buildings
- Respect & Social Inclusion
- Transportation
- Housing
 - Social Participation
 - Communication & Information
 - Civic Participation/Employment Opportunity
 - Community Support/Health Services

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| Project Outline: | Project | Outline | : |
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| Proposed Detailed Budget - Income, Expenses, In Kind, and other Contributions | | | | | |
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| Application Amount. | | | | | |
| Date of Application: | dd/mm/yyyy | | | | |
| | | Position | | | |
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| | | Municipal Contact - The name typed below approves | | | |
| | | submission of this application. | | | |
| Submit Application to: | | | | | |
| Connie Newman, Exec | | Phone | | | |
| email: <u>ccnewman@shaw.ca</u> | | i none | | | |
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| | | Email | | | |
| Application Deadline is Oct. 31st, 2025 | | | | | |
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By checking this box, successful grant recipients agree to acknowledge Age Friendly Manitoba as the source of funding in all related materials, communications, and promotional content. Additionally, the recipient grants permission to use relevant information, including photographs and project details, for promotional and reporting purposes.

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Grant Submission Checklist

Letters of support:

| | Organization: | Name: | | | | |
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| Four page grant application (including this page) | | | | | | |
| f you are submitting other documentation in addition to the above, please indicate below | | | | | | |
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Please keep a copy of this application for your records.

Application must be submitted by October 31st, 2025 to ccnewman@shaw.ca.

All applications will be acknowledged with an email upon receipt. Please watch for the confirmation email. If you have not received a confirmation email within 3 working days, please follow up with <u>Connie Newman</u>.

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