

GRANTS—Community: Strategic Development Initiative

Grant Name	Purpose	Eligibility	How to Apply	Important Dates	Documentation Required	Award	Additional Info	Contact Info
Strategic Development Initiative	The initiative encourages "partners-in-heritage" to develop projects that build on a community's assets and strengths. Partners could include archives, community organizations, museums, heritage associations, municipal governments, regional development authorities and not-for-profit groups that are exploring	Archives, community organizations, heritage associations, municipal governments, and other heritage-related bodies working for the benefit of Nova Scotian heritage are eligible.	An organization applying should speak with representatives from Communities, Culture and Heritage to discuss proposed plans and the requirements for application. Please contact Kevin Barrett, Coordinator, Strategic Development Initiative, directly at 902-424-6396. An organization applying must provide a non-profit registration number and be a	Application Deadline: May 15, 2016. Projects can start no earlier than the deadline date and should end by March 17, 2017.	http://cch.novascotia.ca/investing-in-our-future/strategic-development-initiative see website to download guidelines and application.	Initiative funding will not exceed 75% of project costs and not exceed a maximum of \$10,000. The applicant is responsible to cover the remaining project costs. Applicants MUST contribute a minimum cash contribution of 10% of the project cost. Revenues towards the proposed project may also include in-kind	Proposals should emphasize how the project will contribute towards greater sustainability in the future. Funding must: a) support projects not operating costs; b) not duplicate other existing, reduced or eliminated programs; and c) not be used for	Kevin Barrett kevin.barrett@novascotia.ca (902) 424-6396 t (902) 424-0560 f 1741 Brunswick St., 3rd Floor P. O. Box 456, STN Central Halifax, Nova Scotia Canada B3J 2R5 http://cch.novascotia.ca/investing-in-our-future/strategic-development-initiative

	<p>common heritage objectives. Priority is given to projects that focus on increased self-sufficiency in the province's growing heritage sector and those involving multiple partners working for the benefit of Nova Scotian heritage.</p>		<p>registered not-for-profit society or not-for-profit cooperative in good standing with the Provincial Registrar of Joint Stock Companies or federally registered under the Corporations Act as a not-for-profit society or cooperative based and operating in Nova Scotia. Applications that include multiple partners are given preference.</p>			<p>contributions. The value of in-kind contributions of goods and materials can be included in the revenues and expenses, provided they are essential to the project and that they are clearly articulated as to the value and how it is calculated. While funding is based on proposed project costs, should the actual costs of the budget change, the department will only provide 75% of the actual</p>	<p>purposes other than those outlined in the project.</p>	
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