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Home Program Information Session

February 12, 2025

10:00 – 11:00 am



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Land Acknowledgement



Home Program Overview



provide one-time funding to support *new + innovative* projects that **increase housing stability** and **successful tenancies** for affordable housing residents or *Calgarians in housing need*

- Community Grant up to \$25,000
- Partnership Grant up to \$200,000
- Sustainability Grant

- Affordable Housing Provider
- Non-Profit Organization
- Letter of Support
- Indigenous Organization



Home Program **Priority Areas**

Community Inclusion and Integration

Example: **SICSP** by The SHARP Foundation (2024)

Education and Skill Building

Example: **PATHWISE** by the Calgary John Howard Society (CJHS) (2024)

Financial Empowerment

Example: **Financial Empowerment at Home** by Momentum (2024)

Initiatives that address housing instability for Indigenous people.

Example: **Indigenous Housing Development Strategy** by Miskanawah Community Services Association (2024)

Initiatives that address housing instability for Black, racialized people and equity-deserving populations.

Example: **Practical Life Skills Support Program** by Highbanks Society (2024)

Home Program **Indigenous Oral Presentations**

NEW – Indigenous organizations and/or Indigenous-led projects applying for Home Program funding will have the opportunity to present their project through an in-person oral presentation.

Please email thehomeprogram@calgary.ca to express interest.

Applicants will still be required to submit an online submission through the portal before the application deadline.

Presentations must be scheduled before March 31st.

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Application Updates & Guidance



Single Application Portal
www.calgary.ca/homeprogram



Character Limits



Risks and Mitigation
 Section



The Home Program: 2025 Grant Guidelines

Community | Partnership | Sustainability

These guidelines provide information on the Home Program's 2025 grant application process. We encourage all applicants to contact TheHomeProgram@calgary.ca to have questions answered prior to applying.

- What is the Home Program? 2
- What are the Home Program Priority Areas? 2
- Who is eligible to apply for funding? 3
- What are the types of Home Program Grants? 3
- What are the requirements to apply to this grant? 4
- Why do you require a letter of support for applicants who are not an affordable housing provider? 4
- How does my organization apply for funding? 4
- What are examples of eligible expenses? 5
- What are examples of expenses that are **NOT** eligible? 5
- What should be included in the application budget? 5
- What are the assessment criteria for applications? 6
- What are examples of successful projects? 6
- What are the reporting and other grant administration requirements? 6
- What is the application deadline for the Call for Funding? 7
- Who reviews and approves funding applications? 7

Application Evaluation



Alignment with the **program priorities** and the City's **Housing Strategy**.



Responsiveness of project to current issues directly impacting the target population.



Demonstrated need for the project and level of **impact** on individuals.



Alignment between the project activities and the proposed budget.

Note: Please review our list of eligible and non-eligible expenses.



Soundness of the project plan, activities, and timeline.



Organization's **capacity** to complete the project (up to 2 years to complete and report).

Home Program Requirements



Alignment with Priority Areas

Note: Cannot be part of ongoing/core operations.



2-Year Project Period

Note: Limited flexibility on extensions.

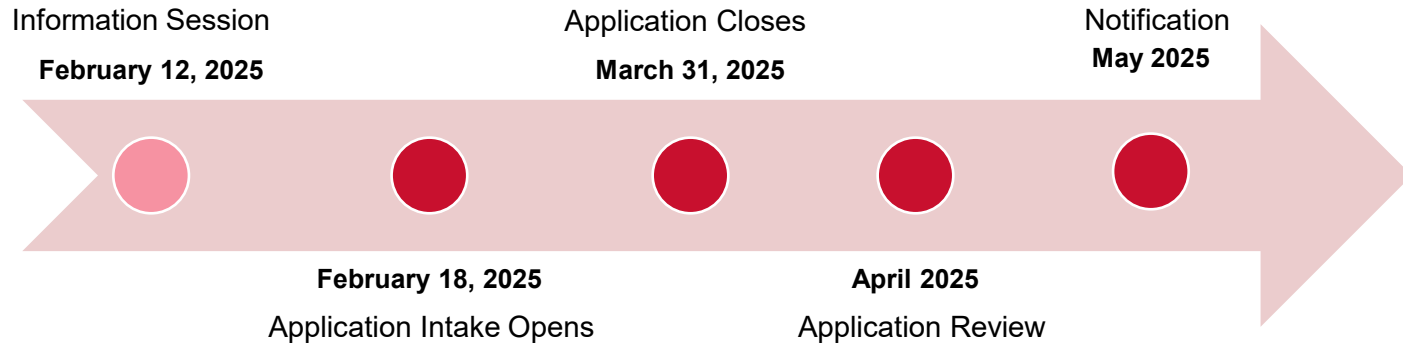


Final Report

Note: Template will be provided for submission.

All unspent funds at the completion of the project must be returned to The City.

Timeline





Thank You

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