



Community Watershed Restoration Grant

Application Package



2026

How to Submit Your Application

Email

Please submit your application by email to parksandarecreation@nanaimo.ca by 4:00p.m. on March 9, 2026.

In-Person

Please submit your application at the Bowen Complex Dropbox, by 4:00p.m. on March 9, 2026. The dropbox is accessible from outside and is located on the lower level of the building (Pine Street Entrance). Please make sure your package is clearly marked with the applicable grant name.

By Mail

c/o , City of Nanaimo 455 Wallace Street, Nanaimo BC V9R 5J6

A confirmation email will be sent to all applicants using the email address indicated in your application form to confirm that we have received your submission.

Important Notes

Late Applications

Please note that late applications will not be reviewed.

Information Session

Applicants should plan to attend an online information session on **February 10, 2026, at 5:00p.m.** Please contact sustainability@nanaimo.ca to RSVP.



The Millstone River flowing through Bowen Park.



Main trailhead at Diver Lake Park.

Grant Request Details

Project Name: _____

Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Grant Amount Requested: _____

Organization Details

Name of Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Phone Number: _____

Contact Person: _____

Position: _____

Email: _____

Project Focus

Please indicate which of the following City Plan Goals your project addresses.

Watershed Protection

Urban Tree Canopy, Natural Areas & Greenways

Climate Adaptation

Other (Please Specify) _____

Project Information

Please provide a brief summary of the proposed project. This information may be used in public communications and on the City's website (150 words maximum).

Does your proposed project take place within the City of Nanaimo? Yes No

Has this project received this grant funding in previous years? Yes No

In the following box, please describe in detail the project/program for which grant funding is being sought. Be sure to provide information on all aspects of its operation including timelines, location, zoning, staffing, target market, potential programming, relevance to City and Parks Recreation and Culture priorities, and community partnerships. Please provide information on the scalability of your project in case we are unable to grant you the full amount requested.

Project Budget

Does your organization already receive (or have you applied for) other sources of City of Nanaimo funding?

Yes No Pending Application

If yes (or pending application), please specify:

Funding Type: _____ Amount: _____

Please complete the attached Budget Form on page 6

Signature & Declarations

I hereby certify that the information included with this application is complete, and is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and that I have been authorized by the Board of Directors to make this declaration and to submit this application on behalf of the above named organization.

Signature

Position

Date

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Project Budget

Funding Sources <i>(please list all other grants or funding received or presently being pursued for this project)</i>	Amount (\$)	Confirmed (Yes/No)
Community Watershed Restoration Grant	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
Total Funding Amount	\$	
Project / Program Revenue		
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
Total Project / Program Revenue	\$	
Other Revenue Sources (e.g. donations, services in-kind)		
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
Total Other Revenue	\$	

Expense Item	Amount (\$)	City Funding To be Applied (Yes/No)
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
	\$	
Total All Expenses	\$	