

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT GRANT PROGRAM

The Regional Communities Engagement Grant program is designed to encourage and support one time or short-term programs and activities offered by individuals or organizations in smaller communities of British Columbia which are not served by a community connector.

Typically, these grants are used to foster stronger Jewish community engagement and connection among youth and young families. Grants will range from \$1,000 - \$5,000 per year. Examples of activities funded with community engagement grants include: shabbat and holiday programs, challah bakes, commemoration events and subsidies for special events.

Program Criteria:

- The program must focus on Jewish/Israel engagement and connection and include Jewish content.
- The program must be accessible, open, and welcoming to all. If fees are charged, a process must be in place to ensure that everyone who is interested is able to participate.
- The grant must be used for program costs such as educators/speakers fees, program materials, marketing and promotional costs and refreshments. Administrative costs including salaries and benefits will not be covered.
- Programs/Activities that duplicate or compete with existing programs and services will not be funded. Collaborations are highly encouraged.
- The program or activities must be in alignment with the Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver's mandate.
- Applicants may not profit financially from the project.
- Evidence of community support must be provided. Applications should include two letters from community members in support of the project.

Approval process: All Regional Communities engagement grants will be reviewed and approved either by the chair of the Regional Communities Committee along with the Manager of Regional Communities or by the Manager and other committee members.

Deadline to Apply: There is no deadline date for applications to be submitted. Applications will be reviewed on a first come, first-serve basis.

November 5, 2024



REGIONAL COMMUNITIES ENGAGEMENT GRANT APPLICATION FORM Community Engagement Grant 2025

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

1. Individual or Organization (legal) name:
 1. Organization operating name (if different than above):
 2. Mailing Address:
 3. Phone: Fax: Email:
 4. Registered Charitable No: (if applicable) *

2. Primary contact for this application):
 1. Phone: Fax: Email:

 2. Board President/ Chair: Phone/Email:

PROJECT INFORMATION

3. Title of project:

4. Description of the project (maximum five paragraphs). Please include the purpose, how the need was identified, the target population(s) what you plan to do and what to achieve:

5. Amount requested:

6. Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver grant will be used for:

7. Budget: Include projected revenue and expenditures on a separate page

8. Start up and completion dates of project:

9. Please provide two letters of evidence of community support from program participants or individuals outside your organization

For groups that do not have a charitable number, Federation will make an arrangement to pay the invoices for the approved activities.



FUNDING AGREEMENT

- We agree to include Jewish Federation of British Columbia's logo on all of our communication and marketing materials for this event/program.
- We agree to post all activities funded through the community engagement grants on the community calendar.
- We agree that all activities funded through this grant are open to all members of the Jewish community.
- We agree to use the funds for programs and activities that are consistent with Jewish Federation's mission and purpose.
- We agree to notify Jewish Federation if the purpose for the funds changes.
- We agree to abide by Council of Presidents' fundraising guidelines and respect the primacy of the Federation campaign, running annually from mid-September to the end of November.
- We agree to provide a final report describing the activities and the impact of the program on participants.

Signature, Contact Person

Signature, Board Chair

