

Council Priority Funds – Application

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PRIORITY FUND INFORMATION – Completed by ApplicantOrganization name Lakeland Ridge SchoolAddress _____
Street and number Subdivision if ruralCity or town Sherwood Park Province AB Postal code _____

Contact person _____

Telephone _____

Email address (optional) _____

Project type ☐ Event ☒ Project ☐ ExpenseAmount requested \$ 10,000.00**Brief description of request**

We would like to add an outdoor classroom space to our school. This outdoor classroom will help staff and students envision how Indigenous histories, perspectives, world views, and approaches to learning can be made part of the work we do by experiencing land based learning.

One Picnic Table Installed is \$1706.44, any additional picnic tables are \$1508.34 each
One Bench installed is \$1237.60, any additional benches are \$1039.30 each
Total = 9 Benches and 1 Picnic Table \$11,258.44

The community will be able to utilize the space during the evenings and weekends.

Print name

Signature

Date _____

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Please remember to attach a proposed budget and request letter to this request.Number of attached pages 4



May 4th, 2018

Dear Councilor Anderson,

Lakeland Ridge School has been working on increasing student, staff and parent awareness about reconciliation and First Nations, Metis and Inuit traditions.

We would like to add an outdoor classroom space to our school. This outdoor classroom will help staff, students, parents and community members envision how Indigenous histories, perspectives, world views, and approaches to learning can be made part of the work we do by experiencing land based learning.

Increasing knowledge about First Nations, Metis and Inuit traditions would benefit the community by continuing the important work of reconciliation. The Outdoor Classroom would be used by our staff and students at Lakeland Ridge. Community members would also be welcome to use the outdoor classroom.

We have been working with Strathcona County for the past few months and have put together a project plan that includes nine benches and a picnic table to be installed at the East end of our building. Strathcona County will purchase and install the classroom; however, we are hoping for some support for funding this project.

This outdoor classroom would help promote land based learning and support the upcoming First Nations, Metis and Inuit learning Outcomes within the program of studies and teacher quality standards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Jennifer Rice'.

Jennifer Rice

Teacher

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Ryan Marshall'.

Ryan Marshall

Principal



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Planning and Development Services, 2001 Sherwood Drive, Sherwood Park, AB, T8A 3W7

Phone 780-464-8080 Fax 780-449-8145

Proposed project name Lakeland Ridge Outdoor Classroom Date January 27, 2018
 Community group name Lakeland Ridge School (Elk Island Public Schools)
 Contact name Jennifer Rice email jennifer.rice@eips.ca
 Contact phone 780-416-9018 Alternate 780-974-9053
 Neighbourhood and address for proposed project 101 Crimson Drive Sherwood Park, AB T8H 1P2

Feel free to use additional paper if more space is required to answer the following questions.

1. Brief description of the project that includes the location and amenities added. Please include a rough site plan that shows all materials being proposed.

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2. How many people would benefit from this project once it is completed?
 residents 800 non-residents 100+

3. Who would benefit from the proposed community partnership project? Would there be any restrictions? If so, describe any possible restrictions.

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4. Identify any other organizations that would be involved in this project and describe what their involvement would include. (expertise, construction, maintenance, operations, security, financial support, etc)

We are hoping to involve a local greenhouse (Salisbury or Greenland) or hardware store (Lowes, Home Depot) to provide financial support for this endeavor. We would also like to involve Strathcona County to construct and place the benches.

5. How would this project improve the County's current service levels? What need would this project meet in the community?

This project would help promote land based learning and support the upcoming First Nations, Metis and Inuit learning Outcomes.

6. What impacts (positive and negative) could this project have within the community?

Having an Outdoor Classroom would continue the important work of reconciliation as well as promote improved educational outcomes for Indigenous learners. Educators must support all learners to develop their knowledge and understanding of Indigenous people's world views and cultures and use inclusive learning spaces.

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7. Describe how any of the potential negative impacts would be managed in the short and long term and by whom.

We don't anticipate any negative impacts.

8. Describe any potential safety risks to users if this project was completed. Describe a potential plan for managing these risks.

We don't anticipate any safety risks.

9. Identify all potential capital costs required to **complete** this project; include labor and materials. Include who would be responsible for each cost: community group, Strathcona County, another organization, etc., and the level of funding currently in place to implement.

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10. Identify all potential operating costs required to **maintain** this project once it is operating; include labour and material. Include who would be responsible for each cost: community group, Strathcona County, another organization, etc., and the level of funding currently in place for operations.

Minimal costs would be required to maintain this project once it is operating. The same maintenance would be required the benches that are already in the school field.

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