

Council Priority Funds – Application

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PRIORITY FUND INFORMATION – Completed by ApplicantOrganization Name Sherwood Park Music Festival AssociationAddress Box 3041
Street and number Subdivision if ruralCity or town Sherwood Park Province AB Postal code T8H-2T1Contact person Cheryl Pilipchuk - PresidentTelephone 780-977-0522Email address (optional) president@spmfa.orgProject Type ☐ Event ☒ Project ☐ ExpenseAmount Requested \$ 2,350.00

Brief description of request

* Please see letter attached. for full description.

Requesting funds to assist in the expenses of
 host a Provincial video recording day for
 nominees who have qualified to compete at
 the Alberta Music Festival.

Thank-you for your consideration.

Cheryl Pilipchuk
 Print name


 Signature

March 24, 2021
 Date

Please remember to attach a proposed budget and request letter to this request.

Number of attached pages 2**Collection and use of personal information**

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Sherwood Park Music Festival Association Provincial Celebration and Recording Day

To whom it may concern,

The 45th Annual Sherwood Park Music Festival is excited to be going ahead with a virtual festival for 2021. We are excited to provide the youth in the performing arts of Strathcona County the opportunity to participate and compete in front of professional Adjudicators. We are thrilled to have three hundred performances this year and are looking forward to celebrating with everyone.

This year the Alberta Music Festival has decided to go ahead with a Virtual Festival at the end of May. We are excited to have been invited to send TWO participants from each discipline, who will be representing Sherwood Park at Provincials this year. Normally, we are only able to send one from each due to space restrictions. Provincial participants must be nominated by the festival Adjudicators at their local music festivals in order to qualify at a Provincial and National level.

It is our goal to provide an opportunity for our nominees to prepare their video submissions to the Alberta Music Festival with high quality video uploads. In keeping up with other large, and some smaller, festivals, we would like to assist families by submitting a video that will be competitive with other participants. A local recording business, Soundlab, has volunteered to work together with us to provide a proper stage, instruments, and equipment for a much higher quality video recording that they will be required to submit, in order to participate.

We are requesting assistance in funds to help cover the cost of the venue and recording expense, as well as making it a special and unique day for this huge accomplishment. Our goal is to make a positive and celebratory experience for our participants, as they will not be able to attend a physical festival this year. Often Provincials is a huge goal for so many in the performing arts and we are looking forward to making it a fun and memorable experience as much as we can during these trying times.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cheryl Pilipchuk'.

Cheryl Pilipchuk
SPMFA President - 2021

Sherwood Park Music Festival Association
 Alberta Music Festival Celebration
 Provincials 2021 Budget

Expense	Description	Amount
Venue Rental	Rental of Soundlab to facilitate recording of each participant to be sent to Provincials	\$2,000.00
Celebration Bag	printing of a certificate and a keepsake to remember the day by	\$200.00
Snack Table	Water bottle, light snack	\$150.00
Total		\$2,350.00

** Estimated 36 participants