

NSFM's Climate Change Leaders Award Program

Application Guidelines



INTRODUCTION

NSFM invites municipalities to apply for its 8th annual *Climate Change Leaders Award*. The award honours municipalities that have demonstrated exemplary leadership in climate change adaptation and/or mitigation through the implementation of initiatives and creation of awareness. The objectives of the award program are to celebrate successes, encourage continuous action towards climate change adaptation and mitigation, and support collaborative efforts and the sharing of information among municipalities.

1.0 Eligibility

- Any municipality in Nova Scotia working independently or regionally to lessen the impacts of climate change are eligible to apply.
- Only climate change initiatives started after March 31, 2019 are eligible for consideration, unless the project is ongoing.

2.0 Application

Please complete the attached application form and submit it to Debbie at dnielsen@nsfm.ca by September 10, 2021.

3.0 Application & Award Details

3.1 Application Information

Applicants must indicate:

- Direct deliverables from the implementation of the project
- Any economic, social and environmental benefits resulting from the project
- The project's timeframe, indicating how it was planned and implemented
- Subsequent climate change adaptation and/or mitigation actions that resulted from the project's implementation

3.2 Review Process

All applications will be reviewed by an awards committee.

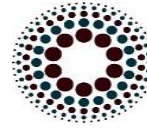
3.3 Announcement of Successful Applicant

The successful applicant will be announced at NSFM's virtual fall conference on November 3, 2021.

4.0 Questions

You can direct any questions about this awards program to Debbie Nielsen at 423-8312 or dnielsen@nsfm.ca.

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NOVA SCOTIA
FEDERATION OF
MUNICIPALITIES

Please complete this form and submit it to Debbie at dnielsen@nsfm.ca by September 10, 2021.

1. YOUR INFORMATION

Municipality			
Contact person & title			
Address		Phone	
		E-mail	

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Type of Project:

Sector	Indicate with an "X"
Buildings & Infrastructure	
Energy	
Water & Wastewater	
Transportation & Fleet Vehicles	
Community Engagement	

a) Project title	
b) Please provide a brief description of the project (250 word maximum).	

3. PROJECT DELIVERABLES & BENEFITS

a) Identify the project's outcomes and describe any social, economic and/or environmental benefits obtained from its implementation (250 word maximum).

b) Please describe what is innovative about the project (250 word maximum).

c) Please list any partners who were engaged in the project.

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d) Did your municipality lead the project?

Indicate with an "X"

Yes

No

e) Outline the timeframe for the project and include the start and end dates.

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f) Describe any next steps that have or will be initiated as a result of the project (150 word maximum).

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Thank you for your application to NSFM's *Climate Change Leaders Awards Program!*