

Backgrounder

Improving energy conservation across Saskatchewan
Federal Gas Tax Fund allocated to 42 projects in 35 communities

The federal Gas Tax Fund (GTF) provides Canadian municipalities with a permanent, predictable and indexed source of long-term funding. The Government of Canada is providing Saskatchewan with more than \$59.1 million for community infrastructure through the federal GTF in 2017-18.

Based on project planning for 2017, federal GTF funding will support the following community energy systems projects in Saskatchewan communities:

Municipality	Project Name	Estimated Total Cost	Federal GTF Allocated
Rural Municipality of Arborfield No. 456	Municipal Office Lights Retrofit	\$7,000	\$7,000
Rural Municipality of Auvergne No. 76	RM Office Lighting Energy Efficiency Upgrade	\$6,700	\$6,700
Village of Beechy	Municipal Lighting/Door Project	\$1,691	\$1,691
Resort Village of Big Shell	Community Hall Energy Retrofit	\$6,000	\$6,000
Village of Bladworth	Community Hall Retrofit	\$32,724	\$17,724
Village of Buchanan	Upgrade Lighting at Buchanan Skating Rink	\$17,500	\$14,500
Northern Village of Buffalo Narrows	Upgrade Municipal Building Heating and Lighting	\$166,000	\$166,000
Village of Ceylon	Ceylon Water Pumphouse Retrofit	\$14,000	\$8,824
Town of Cupar	Replace Cupar Memorial Rink Heating	\$70,000	\$70,000
Rural Municipality of Douglas No. 436	Retrofit Speers Recreation Centre	\$28,500	\$28,500
Rural Municipality of Douglas No. 436	Retrofit Richard Curling Rink	\$23,500	\$23,500
Rural Municipality of Douglas No. 436	Retrofit Hafford & District Communiplex	\$40,000	\$40,000
Village of Dubuc	Old Office Energy Retrofit	\$4,250	\$4,250
Rural Municipality of Eagle Creek No. 376	Retrofit Municipal Shop	\$12,000	\$12,000
Village of Eyebrow	Village Office Energy Retrofit	\$10,000	\$7,500
Village of Eyebrow	Village Shop Energy Upgrades	\$7,000	\$7,000
Village of Frontier	Upgrade Shop for Energy Efficiency	\$9,154	\$9,154
Village of Glenavon	Village Shop Energy Efficiency Upgrades	\$25,000	\$11,466
Village of Kendal	Upgrade Village Office Energy Efficiency	\$15,000	\$7,746
Village of Kincaid	Office Energy Efficiency Upgrade	\$25,750	\$25,750
Village of Krydor	Rec Centre Retrofit	\$3,500	\$3,500

Rural Municipality of Lacadena No. 228	Municipal Office Energy Efficiency Upgrade	\$17,000	\$17,000
Northern Saskatchewan Administration District	Uranium City Public Works Building Furnace	\$33,000	\$33,000
Village of Maymont	Install New Furnace at Library	\$4,000	\$4,000
Rural Municipality of Paddockwood No. 520	Replace Metal Halide Lights with LED Lights at RM Complex	\$4,732	\$3,747
Rural Municipality of Paddockwood No. 520	Replace Boiler and Heaters at RM Complex	\$53,454	\$53,454
Northern Village of Pinehouse	Construct Seniors Complex	\$2,450,000	\$100,000
Village of Plunkett	Office Furnace Project	\$3,800	\$3,800
Village of Plunkett	Community Hall Furnace Project	\$10,925	\$10,790
Town of Ponteix	Installation of Rink Solar Panel	\$70,000	\$70,000
Town of Rosthern	Build Energy Efficient Town Shop	\$1,700,000	\$295,886
Rural Municipality of Saskatchewan Landing No. 167	Upgrade RM House Energy Efficiency	\$11,070	\$11,070
Town of Scott	Town Hall Energy Efficiency Upgrade	\$30,000	\$12,000
Village of Shamrock	Shamrock Community Hall Energy Efficiency	\$22,000	\$2,000
Rural Municipality of South Qu'Appelle No. 157	Community Center Furnace Replacement	\$1,000	\$1,000
Rural Municipality of South Qu'Appelle No. 157	Edgeley Pump Station Heating Conversion	\$1,000	\$1,000
City of Swift Current	Upgrade Electrical System – 5 kv to 25 kv Conversion	\$2,527,386	\$1,130,313
Town of Turtleford	Town Office Energy Efficiency Upgrade	\$30,000	\$25,425
Town of Turtleford	Shop Lighting Upgrade	\$3,216	\$3,216
Town of Unity	Install Low Emissivity Ceiling in Hockey Rink	\$60,000	\$60,000
Rural Municipality of Victory No. 226	Construct Municipal Shop	\$250,000	\$50,000
Rural Municipality of Willowdale No. 153	Municipal Building Energy Retrofit	\$20,000	\$15,000

For more information on the federal Gas Tax Fund, please visit: <http://www.infrastructure.gc.ca/plan/gtf-fte-eng.html>