

Community Grants to Non-Profit Organizations Application Form POLICY #15-3

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Date: June 16, 2025

Organization Legal Name:

Knechill Area Recreational Hockey Association

ORGANIZATION DESCRIPTION

Please provide a brief explanation of your organization, it could include your mission statement, activities you preform, or any relevant information.

We run the rec hockey league for kneehill county and Area and play out of the Torvington Arena.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Please provide a brief (one sentence) description of the project for which grant funding is requested on the line below. (i.e. upgrade furnace in hall)

installing cell phone signal booster inside Torvington Avena

Please attach a detailed description of the project for which Community Grant funding is requested and include:

- An indication of how this project will benefit our community.
- If you are including volunteer labour or any other donation "in-kind", please include detailed information about this in your description. (i.e. how many volunteers and expected volunteer hours etc.)
- location of the project

If this project involves land and/or facilities, a Certificate of Title must be included with application.

Yes 🗆 No Will this project be completed within the current year? Xes ONO Would you like to present to Council? (This is not mandatory) freeded If you do not receive this grant, will the project take place? if the board Yes No approves additional funding, then yes.

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PROJECT FUNDING			
Project Funding Details Please identify all sources of funding for this project			
Kneehill County Contribution- Please fill in the funding request for this application (Minimum \$250) Additional revenues to complete the project: Confirmed Pending Organizations must contribute an amount equal to or exceeding Confirmed Pending Kneehill County's Contribution. Amount Amount Organization's cash contribution to the project Image: Confirmed of the project Image: Confirmed of the project Other grants applied for Confirmed of the project Image: Confirmed of the project Image: Confirmed of the project	Total Amount \$ 8000 \$ 9000 \$		
Volunteer Labour* We have an electrician willing to install it Donated In-Kind (including equipment and material)*	\$ 60 \$		
Other Funding Sources Total Project Funding (This amount must equal the Total Project Cost)	\$ 1,660		

* Rates are: \$20/hr for unskilled labour, \$35/hr for skilled labour and \$70/hr for equipment including operator Proof for budgeted in-kind contributions and volunteer labour will be requested on the Accountability form.

APPLICANT AGREEMENT

I DECLARE THAT: (application must be must be signed by two members of the Society's Executive Committee.)

- . I am a duly authorized representative having legal and/or financial signing authority for the above organization.
- The information contained in this application and supporting documents is true and accurate . and endorsed by the above organization.
- An accounting of spending, showing compliance with conditions of the grant shall be provided . at completion of the project, no later than one year from the date the grant was approved.
- Any grant awarded shall be used solely for the purposes stated within Community Grants to . Non-Profit Organizations Policy #15-3.

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Dear Kneehill County Council:

My name is Martina Kranjcevic and I am the Treasurer for the Kneehill and Area Recreational Hockey Association (KARHA), operating out of Ron Gore Memorial Arena in Torrington.

We are entering our third year of operation as KARHA -prior to this we were running under the Alberta Fun Team Program, but have moved to fill in more of a gap in our community for families who choose not to play Minor Hockey.

Our league continues to expand. Last season we had 5 teams, and this year we are expecting 6. We host families from all over the county, including Trochu, Three Hills, Linden, Sunnyslope, and Wimborne.

As we continue to expand and spend more time at the arena, we have come to realize that there is a fairly urgent need for a cell phone signal booster within the hockey side of the arena. At present, there is no cell reception in the area of the bleachers or the lobby area. In the last year, this has become a safety issue for us twice. On one occasion, one of the arena staff fell and broke her knee cap, and did not have service on the ice to call for help. We also had a player be injured and her parent was forced to go outside into the parking lot to call for help.

We have done some fundraising within our league and now have \$800 to put towards this project, however it is not quite enough to cover the costs of the boosters.

We are writing to ask Kneehill County to match our fundraised amount. We are planning to buy the equipment from Vincovi in Three Hills to keep our spending local, and we have a volunteer parent who is an electrician who is willing to donate his time to install the boosters.

Please note this is not an attempt to provide free WiFi to players and parents. This will only provide cell signal for calls/texts as a safety measure for our players and their families.

Thank you for your consideration of our project.

Kind Regards,

Martina Kranjcevic, Treasurer On behalf of the Kneehlll and Area Recreational Hockey Association