



STREETSCAPE BEAUTIFICATION GRANT POLICY

REFERENCE: COMMUNITY SERVICES APPROVED: TOWN COUNCIL JAN 17, 2017

SUPERSEDES: NEW

PURPOSE:

To establish a consistent and uniform process to evaluate applications for the Town of Edson Streetscape Beautification Grant. The Grant has been instituted by Edson Town Council as an incentive to work together with business and property owners, encouraging a positive, memorable image to attract visitors, business and residents alike. In an effort to reinforce this image, Town Council has set aside funds to assist successful applicants along 2nd and 4th Avenues, along Main (50th) Street between 1st and 7th Avenues and along 3rd Avenue between 48th Street and 52nd Street to beautify their property by providing 50% of the cost of their beautification project to a maximum grant amount of \$5,000.00.

The Streetscape Beautification Grant applications will be evaluated and awarded at the discretion of an evaluation committee comprised of three members of Administration. Of the three Administration members, at least one must be a representative of the Community Services Department, and at least one must be a representative of the Planning Department.

The Streetscape Beautification Grant applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- 1. The subject property is located within the area of Edson that is eligible for the grant.
- 2. The applicant has completed the Streetscape Beautification Grant Funding Application Form (Attached Schedule "A") and submitted it to the Town.
- 3. The applicant has submitted complete concept drawings of the proposed project.
- 4. The proposed project has been reviewed by the Town Planning Department to ensure complaince with municipal bylaws.
- 5. The project is deemed by the evaluation committee to be aesthetically pleasing, and in keeping with and complimentary to the surounding area.

If approved for funding, the applicant shall enter into the Edson Streetscape Beautification Grant Agreement with the Town of Edson (Attached Schedule "B").



EDSON STREETSCAPE BEAUTIFICATION GRANT

FUNDING APPLICATION FORM

DATE:			
BUSINESS NAME:			
BUSINESS TELEPHONE:		BUSINESS FAX NUM	BER:
BUSINESS MAILING ADDI	RESS:		
BUSINESS STREET ADDRE			
DETAILS OF CONTACT PE (Name, cell phone number,			
ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	OF PROJECT: \$		
ESTIMATED DATE PROJE	CT TO COMMENCE:		
ESTIMATED DATE PROJE	CT TO BE COMPLETED:		
Does your business face Avenue between 48th S		ain (50th) Street betw	reen 1_{st} and 7_{th} Avenues, or 3_{rd}
Have you enclosed con-	cept drawings of your beaut	ification plan?	YES NO
Are you the property ov	wner? YES N	O (if no, owner must	endorse below)
I have read and agree to	o the terms & conditions of	the attached agreem	ent.
Signature of Property O	wner (if applicable)		Signature of Applicant
			Applicants Clearly Printed Name
			DATE:



PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY PERSONAL INFORMATION THAT YOU PROVIDE TO OUR OFFICE IS BEING COLLECTED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF SECTION 32 (C) OF THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PROTECTION OF PRIVACY ACT AND WILL BE USED ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THAT ACT.

OFFICE USE ONLY				
SIGNATURES REQUIRED				
General Manager, Infrastructure and Planning	General Manager, Community Services			
Date:	Date:			
Development Officer				
Date:				





MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

Made this	day of		A.D.,	between:
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(hereinafter referred to AND	as the "Applicant")			
		Town o	f Edson	

WHEREAS the Town of Edson is prepared to contribute funds for the beautification of public and private lands along 2_{nd} and 4_{th} Avenues, Main (50_{th}) Street between 1_{st} and 7_{th} Avenues and 3_{rd} Avenue between 48_{th} Street and 52_{nd} Street, up to 50% of capital construction costs to a maximum of \$5,000.00 for property beautification;

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AND WHEREAS the above mentioned party was approved by the Town of Edson to qualify for such funding;

NOW THEREFORE the above parties agree to the following:

- 1. All work being claimed for funding has been completed with proof of invoice that itemizes the beautification costs;
- 2. The Applicant shall assume all maintenance costs for the improvements.
- 3. Parties may qualify for Grant Funding up to a maximum of \$5,000.00.
- 4. The subject beautification project shall be completed within one year of the date of this agreement.



IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have a day of AD.	ffixed their signatures below on this
	APPLICANT
Witness (Print Name)	Applicant (Print Name)
Witness Signature	Applicant Signature
Witness (Print Name)	Applicant (Print Name)
Witness Signature	Applicant Signature
	TOWN OF EDSON
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