

## **Summary of Grant Requests – 2026**

### **Community Heritage:**

**Spencerville Mill Foundation - \$1,864.50 + in-kind \$6,721.00**

Cash Request:

- Purchase of a kayak launcher that will be installed for the season allowing community enjoyment and use
- The launch will also be used during the annual canoe poker run that brings 200 paddlers into the community

In-kind Request:

- Lawn maintenance on mill property
- Photocopying and printing as needed
- Storage and workspace room above council chambers
- Use of Council chambers for meetings

**Royal Canadian Legion Spencerville, Branch 604 - \$3,000.00**

Cash Request:

- Upgrade washrooms, more specifically the men's washrooms

### **Economic and Tourism Development/Community Special Events:**

**South Grenville Bluegrass Festival – \$6,000.00 + in-kind \$6,500.00**

Cash Request:

- To pay for major entertainers only

In-kind Request:

- Garbage and recycling collection twice during the event – specifically requesting Thursday and Saturday
- Grass cutting of the Spencerville Fair Grounds including the adjacent field to the west of the main property – preferably on the Monday
- Use of the Spencerville Arena showers for festival attendees from Wednesday to Sunday morning – same hours as previous years
- Availability of the rink area for a possible craft fair – Wednesday to Saturday
- Use of the Port of Johnstown passenger wagon – Wednesday to Sunday

**BaitFuel Fishing Tour - \$2,500.00 + in-kind \$3,250.00**

Cash Request:

- Assist with production cost of the TV show (crew and airing of the show)

In-kind Request:

- Parking staff (3) and shuttle from 5:30am to 7:00am and from 3:30pm to 5:00pm

**Spencerville Business Community Connections - \$3,000.00 + in-kind \$1,500.00**

Cash Request:

- April 4<sup>th</sup> – Hoppin Spencerville – Easter egg hunt and breakfast with the Easter Bunny
- May 3<sup>rd</sup> – Spring Market
- July 26<sup>th</sup> – Summerfest – Summer Market and children’s activities at the Mill, BBQ Battle and Celebrity Pie in the Face
- October 31<sup>st</sup> – Spencer St. Trick or Treat – Hand out treat bags at town square
- November 28<sup>th</sup> – SpencerWhoVille – Night Market, Tree Lighting, SpencerWhoVille Dancers, Choir, Petting Zoo, Horse and Wagon Rides

In-kind Request:

- Assistance with road closures and providing barriers for events; Spring Market on May 3<sup>rd</sup>, Summer Market on July 26<sup>th</sup>, Spencer St. Trick or Treat on October 31<sup>st</sup> and SpencerWhoVille on November 28<sup>th</sup>
- Use of facilities (Spencerville Arena) between 8am and 5pm on May 3<sup>rd</sup> and July 25<sup>th</sup> for seasonal markets

**Cardinal Festival Committee - \$2,000.00 + in-kind \$2,275.00**

Cash Request:

- To contribute to Canada Day and Labour Day operating costs (insurance, bouncy castles and fireworks)

In-kind Request:

- Cardinal Legion Grounds, Pavillion and facilities
- July 1<sup>st</sup> – Canada Celebrations
- August 29<sup>th</sup> to September 1<sup>st</sup> – LabourFest
- Bleachers provided during Labour Day weekend (K9 Water Sports event)
- Ability to request support in writing to Council and/or staff should additional events arise

- Request for Township participation in the parade (vehicle and/or representatives)
- Ball Diamond area for summer movie events, with lighting and garbage collection

**South Grenville Chamber of Commerce - \$7,000.00**

Cash Request:

- Maintain an active presence supporting local, member businesses and organizations
- Organize business networking events and professional development opportunities
- Collaborate with the municipalities on tourism, investment, and business retention initiatives
- Promote South Grenville as a unified, thriving region for business and community growth

**St. Lawrence Shakespeare Festival - \$2,000.00**

Cash Request:

- Expansion into Edwardsburgh Cardinal, with a focus on marketing (radio, print and social media)

**SERA – South Edwardsburgh Recreation Association - \$1,000.00 + in-kind \$0.00**

Cash Request:

- Will be used to purchase wind screens to complete the surrounding of the multi-purpose court

In-kind Request:

- Material and township labour to assist in the maintaining of the millennial park located at the corner of Hwy 2 and Hwy 16
- The colour printing of up to four (4) newsletter type publications to a maximum of 300 copies/printing
- Free use of the South Edwardsburgh Community Centre and associated fields for SEAR sponsored activities
- Picking up of dog refuge within the park
- Readjustment of the gate posts leading into the dog park
- Free use of the South Edwardsburgh Community Centre for monthly meetings and for events sponsored by SERA

**Supporting Youth/Seniors:**

**Spencerville and District Optimist Club - \$5000.00 + in-kind \$875.00**

Cash Request:

- Line painting on the pad for various sports
- Second hockey net and sporting other equipment
- If possible, to retroactively pay for costs incurred for the building and plumbing

In-kind Request:

- Spencerville Arena/Town Hall from August 11<sup>th</sup> to August 15<sup>th</sup> for Summer Camp
- Opportunity for other in-kind space for other programs that may be planned over the coming year
- Grass cutting around the park area
- Other sports equipment that may no longer be needed by the Township

**Seaway Surge 13U AA - \$1,000.00 + in-kind \$720.00**

Cash Request:

- Help offset tournament costs, registration fees and field rentals

In-kind Request:

- Cardinal Baseball Diamond for practice once a week for 2-hour practices

**Prescott Figure Skating Club Inc - \$2,000.00**

Cash Request:

- Cover the cost of the ice to enable the club to keep registration fees low
- 46% of membership reside in the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal

**South Grenville Minor Hockey Association - \$10,000.00**

Cash Request:

- Funds will be used to offset the expenses for ice rental and referees

**The Seaway Optimist Club - \$2,000 + in-kind \$1,500.00**

Cash Request:

- Funds will be used to operate monthly events, where they supply food and all required materials for youth and family members to participate free of charge

In-kind Request:

- Use of facilities; Johnstown Community Centre and pool, Cardinal Community Centre and pool, lifeguards, Legion Way facilities with lifeguard (June 6<sup>th</sup> – Kid’s craft & bake sale – Johnstown Community Centre
- July 1<sup>st</sup> – Canada Day kids activity zone in conjunction with the Cardinal Festival Committee
- August 29<sup>th</sup> – Kid’s fishing derby in conjunction with BaitFuel Fishing at the Cardinal Waterfront & Pavillion
- September 7<sup>th</sup> – Kid’s soap box derby during Labour Day Festival
- May seek a pool event based on scheduling and funding

**Girls Inc. of Upper Canada - \$2,000 + in-kind \$875.00**

Cash Request:

- Week-long summer camps in Prescott and North Grenville, serving 25-30 girls per week, including many from Edwardsburgh Cardinal
- These funds will be used as general support to the year-round programming that is available to schools and families within the municipality

In-kind Request:

- May 29<sup>th</sup> booking has been confirmed through the Recreation Department (Johnstown Community Centre for PA Day Camp)
- Use of township facilities as opportunities arise

**Relief of Poverty/Health Advancement:**

**Food For All Food Bank Serving South Grenville Area Inc - \$2,000.00 + in-kind \$6,000.00**

Cash Request:

- To purchase food, when possible, food will be purchased from local businesses

In-kind Request:

- Use of the basement of the Cardinal Library for all of 2026

**Brockville Palliative Care - \$1,000.00** – Already provided in February

Cash Request:

- Help to fund the continuous essential, compassionate services to patients and their families across Leeds and Grenville

**Prescott Family Health Team - \$1000.00**

Cash Request:

- To assist with annual employee health and wellness event

**Kings Kitchen - \$1,500.00 + in-kind volunteers**

Cash Request:

- Purchasing food for weekly meals, provided to community out of the cafeteria of the South Grenville District High School

**Requests Not Falling Within Prescribed Categories:**

**Spencerville United Church - \$1,807.77**

Cash Request:

- To purchase 20 new 6-foot plastic folding tables to be utilized at community dinners and events

**St. John's United Church Choir - \$750.00 + in-kind \$197.75**

Cash Request:

- Cover expenses of the Norwood Brass Fireman Ban for an old-fashioned band concert on Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026

In-kind Request:

- Use of Ingredion Centre and Fire Station #2 for the event