Special Projects Report 2024

The Special Projects Committee is responsible for awarding funding for community projects that have a positive environmental and/or social impact in the Host Community. Applications are evaluated based on their positive impact, viability, and degree of impact. The amount allocated to the Special Projects fund is based on approximately \$1.00 per ton of waste collected during the year at the Crane Mountain Landfill.

In 2023, \$96,211 in funds were paid in full to successful fund applicants as follows:

2023 Awards			
Organization	Project Description	Amount Used	
RIVER VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL	Projector and Screen	\$8,399.00	
RCL Branch 22 HONOUR OUR VETERANS	Improvements to Cenotaph Park	\$17,250.00	
WESTFIELD ELEMENTARY	Sound System for Gym	\$5,405.86	
MARTINON COMMUNITY CENTER	Window Glass	\$550.85	
DUCKS UNLIMITED	Grade 4 Outreach Education Tours	\$2,800.00	
RVCC	Super Heaters	\$32,250.00	
GB Primary	Music Instruments	\$3,890.29	
KBM	Stairs and Wheelchair Ramp	\$9,890.00	
WESTFIELD SCOUTS	Tents & Back Packs	\$1,150.00	
NTNB BLUEBERRY HILL /NORMAC	Trails maintenance	\$4,000.00	
1st KETEPEC SCOUTS	Camping Equipment	\$1,150.00	
GRAND BAY LEGION	Service Entrance Upgrade	\$5,750.00	
INGLEWOOD SCHOOL	Wild Beginnings Program	\$2,000.00	
MARTINON COMMUNITY CENTER	Heaters	\$575.00	
GIRL GUIDES	Snow Shoes	\$1,150.00	
	Total All Projects	\$96,211.00	

Cumulative total from past years	\$1,953,275.11
Total to Date:	\$2,049,486.11

In 2024, the Special Projects Committee Received \$260,906 in funding requests and were given \$97,558 to award to applicants. Applications were evaluated and the following projects were given final approval by the Fundy Region Service Commission. Projects are to be complete with funds distributed by the end of December 31, 2024.

2024 Awards			
Applicant	Project Description	Amount	
Nature Trust NB (Blueberry Hill/Noremac)	Signage, Trail Work, Workshope	5,981.37	
1st Ketepec Beavers, Cubs & Scouts	Camping Equpment	1,000.00	
Westfield Girl Guides	4 tents	1,000.00	
Westfield Scouts	4 Foam Sleeping Pads, 2 Stove Systems	1,000.00	
River Valley Middle School	Outdoor Bleachers	14,194.00	
River Valley Middle Home & School	Outdoor Sports Park & Pollinator Garden	7,500.00	
Westfield District Recreational Assoc.	Badminton Shuttles & Pickleball Paddles	481.66	
Inglewood School	Outdoor Playground Project & Beach Volleyball Court	4,000.00	
Honour Our Veterans, Grand Bay Legion	Peace Park Monuments & Walkways	12,500.00	
Westfield School	Outdoor Learning Equipment	3,000.00	
Ducks Unlimited	Wetlands Grade 4 Field Trip Program	3,400.00	
Martinon Community Centre	Exterior Door	1,000.98	
River Valley Community Centre Fdn.	Water Treatment System for Ice	9,014.99	
Grand Bay Primary	4 Classroom Smartboards	5,713.20	
St. Augustine's Church	Garden & Walkway	1,000.00	
Martinon Community Centre	2 Baby Changing Stations	1,432.80	
КВМ	2 Upstairs Bathroom Updates	15,879.00	
КВМ	Downstairs LED Light Fixtures	9,460.00	
	Total Amount Awarded	97,558.00	

Respectfully Submitted by:

Michele Lodge

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Special Projects Committee Lead