



Environment and Sustainability Advisory Committee:

Youth Environmental Grant 2024

The Erin Environment and Sustainability Advisory Committee (ESAC): Youth Environmental Grant is designed to foster youth environmental stewardship by assisting local youth in funding environmental projects, initiatives, education, and art that contributes to environmental sustainability and stewardship in the Town of Erin. The grant amount will be up to \$500 and can be awarded to one initiative or split across multiple.

How to Apply

In a submission of three pages or less provide:

- A description of your project objective and how it contributes to environmental stewardship and sustainability in the Town of Erin.
- A description of how the grant money would be spent.
- Information on other funding sources.
- If the project is being coordinated by someone other than a youth, include how this project is still related to fostering youth environmental stewardship.
- At the top of the page include your contact information:
 - Name of applicant(s)
 - Organization (if applicable)
 - Phone number
 - Email
- To help in your submission, an optional template is available.

Submissions are to be sent as an email attachment in PDF format to clerks@erin.ca with “Environmental Award 2024” in the subject line. Submissions are due no later than **March 8th, 2024**.

Terms and Conditions

- Applicants must be individuals, schools, businesses, farms, services, clubs, or other organizations located in the Town of Erin.
- The project must take place in the Town of Erin.
- The project must be carried out by youth (25 and under); however, minor coordination may be provided by someone who is not a youth.
- Applicants cannot be members of ESAC, council, or employees of the Town of Erin.
- Successful applicants must submit a post-project report within 6 months of award or completion of the project, whichever comes first. The post-project report must provide:
 - Evidence of the project;
 - Describe how the money was spent;
 - Confirm if all or part of the money was spent; and
 - Discuss the outcome of the project and the lessons learned.
- The Town of Erin reserves the right to require the return of funds for projects that do not get implemented.
- Unspent funds must be returned to the Town of Erin.
- Misappropriated funds must be repaid to the Town of Erin.