



Wildlife Management Fund (WMF) Submission Guidelines & Grant Application Forms

About the Wildlife Management Fund (WMF)

Since 2008, the Wildlife Management Fund (WMF) has contributed over \$1.8 million to wildlife stewardship and conservation projects in Alberta. Funded through annual fees paid by outfitters, the WMF has contributed to a wide variety of initiatives including population surveys, emerging technologies, and species research. The desired WMF Outcomes are listed on page 2 of these forms.

Who Can Apply?

Applications are accepted year-round from non-profit organizations whose work and mission align with the WMF Outcomes. Government organizations/individuals can only apply in collaboration with other institutions, nonprofits, etc. Applicants may be required to provide a short virtual presentation to the WMF Committee as part of their application.

What Types of Projects are Eligible?

The WMF typically does not provide funding for ongoing operational costs; capital costs over \$5,000, emergency funds or deficit financing; travel or meals for conferences and seminars; general fundraising; retroactive work; and land acquisition.

NOTE: Applicants are responsible for ensuring they have the proper licences and approvals required to carry out their project.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant's Name	_____
Organization	_____
Mailing Address	_____
Email	_____
Telephone	_____
Website	_____
Project Lead (if different than applicant)	_____
Not-for-profit Business Number (if applicable)	_____

PROJECT INFORMATION

Project Title	_____			
Project Location	_____			
Project Duration	Start date dd/mm/yyyy	_____	End date dd/mm/yyyy	_____
Amount Requested (in CDN Dollars)	_____			

ABOUT THE PROPOSED PROJECT

Project Overview

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WMF Outcomes

The WMF Committee is seeking applications for big game and bird game research and habitat enhancement projects that:

1. Are relevant to the long-term health, well-being, and overall understanding of Alberta's wildlife populations.
2. Reflect the needs and concerns of hunters and outfitters.
3. Sustain and enhance wildlife populations/habitats throughout Alberta.
4. Identify gaps in the knowledge and understanding of Alberta's big game and bird game populations and prioritize them for action.
5. Enhance understanding of the human dimensions of wildlife conservation.
6. Increase the efficiency of wildlife conservation efforts by maximizing the use of technology and innovation.
7. Build partnerships to leverage existing capacities and benefit of projects underway.

Please describe how your project aligns with the desired outcomes.

Outcome Number #	Description
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Has this project received support from the WMF in the past?

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BUDGET

Description	Total
Materials & Supplies	
Equipment	
Salaries & Wages	
Contract Services	
Travel	
Other	
TOTAL COSTS	
Confirmed Partner Funding	
In-Kind Support	
Amount Requested From WMF	

Please Note: The WMF does typically not cover overhead/operating costs. If the lines provided are insufficient, please attach a budget as an appendix, using the same headers.

Project Partners

COMMUNICATIONS

How will you share the results of the project with others? How will the WMF be recognized for its funding contribution?

Long-Term Needs *(i.e., is the project ongoing?)*

Opportunities for Volunteer Involvement

YES

NO

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION & PROTECTION OF PRIVACY (FOIPP) ACT

The personal information required on the APOS WMF Grant Application Form is collected under the authority of section 32 (c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIPP) Act to administer the APOS WMF Grant Program and will be used for the purposes of determining eligibility in the grant selection. This information is protected by the privacy provisions of the FOIPP Act.

Signature of Applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

Printed Name: _____