

## Edmonton Arts Council Community Investment Program

2015 Festival Seed Grants – February 1 Deadline

### Program Summary and Grant Recommendations

#### Purpose

The Festival Seed Community Investment Grant Program is intended to provide limited assistance, subject to availability of funds, to resident non-profit organizations for the purpose of funding new or emerging festivals.

#### Level of Support

In accordance with Bylaw 14157 and Policy C211F, support through the City of Edmonton Community Investment Program may be provided to a maximum of 25% of the applicant's operating budget (specifically related to this event).

#### Eligibility

To be eligible for a Festival Seed Grant, an organization must be a non-profit society planning to produce a festival within the corporate limits of the City of Edmonton.

The main purpose of the festival must be the celebration of some theme of interest and appeal to the general public, have predetermined opening and closing dates, and have an obvious presence in the community.

Festivals may be funded in the Seed program for two years, and then must apply to the Festival Operating program.

#### Grant Recommendations 2015

Festival	2015 Grant Recommendation \$
C'Mon Festival	3,000
Early Music Festival	5,000
Flying Canoë Volant	30,000
The Gotta Minute Film Festival	35,000
SkirtsAfire, HerArts Festival	12,000
Whyte Avenue Art Walk Festival	15,000
Total	\$100,000