



Organization Information

Name of Organization: Cariboo Classic Society	
Mailing Address (office): [REDACTED]	
Phone # (office): [REDACTED]	E-Mail (office) [REDACTED]
Purpose of Organization: promoting education and involvement in the cattle industry to children/youth	
BC Society or Charitable Registration Number (require/ed for requests over \$500): S0074617	
Primary Contact (name and title): Carrie Schuurman Secretary	
Phone #: [REDACTED]	E-Mail: [REDACTED]
Secondary Contact (name and title): Suzanne Spady	
Phone #: [REDACTED]	E-Mail [REDACTED]

Who does your organization serve? (i.e. residents from City, CRD, province)
 ___ Our organization serves mainly the cariboo areas but we also have children and families from interior and lower mainland attend our cattle show as well

Does your organization receive any other supports from the City or CRD? (i.e. Fee for Service or other financial support, rental subsidies, contribution agreements, tax exemptions, use of government-owned facilities, property leases). If yes, what supports and amounts?

___ no

How will you indicate that the City or CRD is contributing to your organization?

_____ We have signage through out the grounds of sponsors/grantors, we have articles in Williams lake tribue and Country life magazine, we use social media to promote and thank grantors and through out the show the grantors and sponsors are talked about and thanked by announcers.



Current Year Grant Request

Current Grant Request: \$ 500.00

Previous Year Grant from City (if applicable): \$ 250.00

Previous Year Grant Project Description (if applicable):

We used the grant to put towards a dinner for all exhibitors and some visitors came too! We purchase all products locally. Our first show we had about 100 exhibitors and last year it grew astonishingly to over 220 exhibitors our cost last year was \$593.07

Previous Year Grant from CRD (if applicable): \$ 250.00

Previous Year Grant Project Description (if applicable):

We put on the youth cattle show every year at the Williams Lake Stockyard. We used our grant from last year to put toward the purchase of food for the exhibitors dinner night where we barbequed over 400 hamburgers and introduced an educational event as well.

*NOTE: A final report for your last grant MUST be included with this submission.

Current Year Grant Project / Event / Expenditure Summary

Please answer the following questions, using additional paper if necessary.

Applications must fall within one of the following funding categories (select one):

- Capital Expenditure** – equipment purchase, construction, repair or upgrade of facilities; or
- Special Event** – seed funding for new events or funding of an ongoing event; or
- Special Project** – funding for a special project, program or activity; or
- Event / Tournament / Conference Hosting** – hosting an event, tournament or conference that will have economic benefits for the community.

Brief description of proposed use of grant being applied for: We would be using the grant money to purchase food for the exhibitors dinner.

Multiple horizontal lines for providing a detailed description of the proposed use of grant funds.



Start date: ___May 29,2026_____

End date: June 1,2026_____

How does this projects, activity or event strengthen and enhance the well-being of the community, promote volunteerism and support the goals and [strategic priorities of the City of Williams Lake?](#)

_____This youth cattle show has grown tremendously since we first started 4 years ago. We have over 220 exhibitors and we expect more this year. The exhibitors and their families come and stay for the weekend so the hotels, restaurants, etc. are very busy. We have a large amount of volunteers from Williams Lake and Cariboo areas that come to help and a lot of them are local people involved in raising cattle on way or another . We also have a large number of visitors to our show. There was over 500 people each day last year on the Stockyad grounds.____The City of William Lake dfinately showed such great help, support, and kindness to all exhibitors and visitors. Many businesses help with our event in so many different ways volunteers, presenting awards, offering specials for exhibitors families, food trucks from the area kept people fed, some businesses put booths up on the grounds as well._____

Describe the key activities and timelines to complete the project/event.

_____The show runs from May 29 to June 1, 2025. We have one day for set up and cattle to come in as well as hoof trimming and the welcome dinner on the Friday and a short educational seminar this year our top was preserving our environment and farm safety. Saturday starts with MLA Lorne Doerkson taking part in opening ceremony. The rest of the day is Showmanship classes for all exhibitors and in the evening we have an scavenger hunt based on various environmental facts and activities. Sunday is project show day and every animal (over 250) are judge culminating with Grand Champion Steer and Heifer

How will you determine if the project/event was successful?

_____The project is determined successful by the number of entrants and the amount of visitors that come to watch and interact with the kids. Also, how much fun!



Is your agency is applying for funds from other levels of government, or other sources, for this project / event / expenditure? If yes, list sources and amounts.

Our entire show is funded by sponsors and grants. We have sponsors from across B.C. All funds pay for our operating costs and the rest goes to the children in form of prizes, awards, events and hoodies and shirts. This is an event run by volunteers. This has become a pretty big event for kids and the committee works hard to get sponsors and grants and we have been so fortunate to make our Budget of approximately \$55,000.00 each year so far.

Would you still be able to complete the project if you do not receive the other funds applied for?

If we did not receive the full budgeted amount we make cuts where we can and but we definitely still hold the show.

Describe the impact of this application being denied or approval of an amount less than requested. Will you be able to complete the project/event if you do not receive the funding requested?

Yes, we would be able to continue with show if we did not received a grant . We are committed to providing a safe, educational, fun, healthy show environment for children, families and visitors and we will do the best we can with what we have to work with.

Provide a draft budget for the project (to be submitted with completed application).

THE INFORMATION INCLUDED IN THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

Carrie Schuurman

Authorized Representative



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Grant Project / Event / Expenditure Summary

Please answer the following questions, using additional paper if necessary.

Which of the following funding categories was your approved under (select one):

- Capital Expenditure** – equipment purchase, construction, repair or upgrade of facilities; or
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Brief description of use of approved grant funding: We put on a Cattle show for children/youth ages 7 to 21. We had over 220 exhibitors this year and with families over 500 people staying on the Williams Lake stockyard grounds for the show weekend. We put on a dinner for the exhibitors on the Friday evening ...We barbequed over 400 hamburgers served with salads, chips and a drink. We put the grant money towards paying for the food purchasing from local stores. The cost of the food was \$593.07 not including hamburger patties



Start date: May 30,2025

Completion date: June 2, 2025

Were grant funds received used only for the purposes for which they were applied for an approved?

- Yes
- No (explain)

Has your organization acknowledged the support of the City in all publicity related to the project / event / expenditure grant funds were provided for? Describe how below.

- Yes
- No
- N/A

 * Yes we acknowledge grant donors by signage at our event, country life magazine article, William Lake tribune article and Social media. Through out the show sponsors were talked about and thanked by announcers.

Has your organization permanently acknowledged the contribution of the City for any capital purchase / development the grant funds were used for? Describe how below.

- Yes
- No
- N/A




Please attach a budget summary for the project / event /expenditure showing revenues and expenditures below (or include on the lines below if space allows).

ATTACHED

*Reporting Notes/Reminders:

- The final event / project / expenditure report outlining the use of City funds and overall budget showing revenues and expenditures is due to the City by September 30th of the year funding is issued, or within 30 days of the event or project completion if occurring after this date in the same calendar year (may be submitted in letter format if preferred, but must include the same information requested herein).
- The City of Williams Lake reserves the right to request additional reporting and financial statements at its sole discretion.
- Use of Community Grant funds contrary to the purpose for which they were applied for and approved, or to this Policy or any other federal, provincial or municipal law, may result in the organization:
 - Being required to remit part or all of the current year Community Grant funding back to the City; and
 - Being ineligible for future grants from the City.

THE INFORMATION INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

 THANK YOU!
 Authorized representative

Submitted on the 14 day of October, 2025.

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Budget Cariboo Classic Society 2025

Based on 200 Exhibitors 1st page all Operating cost				
Item	2024 cost	2025 Proposed	2025 Paid	2023 Paid
Portable Washrooms	392.70	800.00	1025.40	
Stockyard grounds and facility rental	1000.00	1000.00	700.00	1000.00
Insurance	545.00	750.00	620.00	575.00
Hydro/propane cost while using facility		175.00		150.00
Garbage Disposal bins	136.79	200.00	82.39	
Large Tent rental/set up and take down fee	500.00			500.00
Security/ Night Watchman/ Ground setup/take down	1250.00	1250.00	1250.00	1250.00
Maintenance/cleaning washrooms/garbage collection final grounds cleanup and 4H washroom	800.00	800.00	800.00	800.00
Deposit facility	500.00	500.00	500.00	
Washroom cleaning supplies	185.60	200.00	276.74	180.00
Hotel for Ringmen 2 nights 135.00 per night	632.16	300.00	626.40	668.64
Hotel for setup/take down people, whipper in	450.22	500.00	469.80	
Hotel for Judge coast-299.28 Kamloops 202.52	501.80	600.00	466.32	285.36
Judge honorarium	1500.00	1500.00	1500.00	750.00
Judge flights, car rental, etc car 354.99 flight 776.84	1313.45	1500.00	1131.83	779.90
Judge Incidentals Meals, fuel-	327.09	500.00	702.94	414.67
Printing	286.88	300.00		560.00
Photographer 403.00 Hotel 1600.00 photos	1178.52	2000.00	2003.00	1010.00
Newspaper ad/thankyou		400.00	392.00	500.00
Misc. office supplies cards/candy/batteries/judging table snacks and drinks/	393.27	500.00	153.66	794.13
Incidentals/ crew meals	781.03	600.00	659.00	650.00
Sponsor Thank you cards and postage	340.91	300.00		190.00
Operating Cost this page 14,675.00	(12965.42)	(14,675.00)	(13359.48)	(11716.20)

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(O – operating cost)				
Item	2024 cost	Proposed	2025 Paid	2023 Paid
O – Exhibitor, Hamburger, chips and pop dinner	388.03	500.00	593.07	886.84
O - Gift card thank you for ringmen, runners, etc.	1950.00	1350.00	1550.00	1289.25
O - Sat night- Picture Hunt teams of 4 prize money 420 cash, 186.67 candt	630.00	200.00	606.67	730.00
O - PCI Royal fee	500.00	500.00	500.00	
Contingency Fund		2000.00		
O - Bank charges Credits were made back for over charge on service fees	226.75	200.00	301.96	1584.60
Bred Heifer for Dutch auction			2500.00	560.89
O - Hat Fund – hats to be auctioned	108.84	125.00	100.00	81.75
				500.00
O - Signage with all sponsors on it, Decals and Banners	685.44	800.00		1200.00
Blower for draw	755.95	800.00		
Clipper cordless for draw	730.81	800.00		743.54
Class Prize Money 6470.00 Breed awards 1400.00	13535.00	13330.00	7870.00	12570.00
O - Champion Buckles 4	2163.00	2300.00	2152.50	2178.75
Champion prize money cash	5000.00	5000.00	3000.00	5000.00
O - Banners champions, decals, sponsor signage	410.37	500.00	642.34	410.37
Champion class- those going back in for champ round... deck cards	872.91	1000.00	851.76	1500.00
Champion prizes 2-grand-1120.00 fans(2), reserve coolers 168.00(2), mugs 62.16 (2)	1833.44	2000.00	2700.32	2674.56
O - Clothing item - Hoodie for exhibitor,cost11,791.15 store credited 1000. Paid out 10,791.15	7769.98	11,860.31	10791.15	6672.00
O - Exhibitor package – Feed dishes-	3961.44	5500.00	5103.84	4011.43
O - Exhibitor draws – class win/170 food bucks, speakers 188.23 product 1482.65	831.12	180.00	1840.88	1500.00
Operating cost first page – 14,675.00	(42,353.08)	(48945.31)	(41104.49)	(44093.98)
Operating cost second page – 24,015.31				
Total operating costs page 1&2 – 38,690.31				
TOTAL PROPOSED BUDGET 2025	55,318.50	63620.31	54463.97	55810.18

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REVENUE		REVENUE		
Item	2024	Proposed	2025	2023
Entry fees			18,685.00	11190.00
Hoodie Sales			115.00	
Camping Fees 25.00 per camper=			1275.00	750.00
Silent Auction	4092.00		4794.00	3370.00
Hat Fund Auction not used in revenue for youth shows	3300.00		2275.00	2225.00
Bred Heifer Dutch auction	1675.00		14500.00	1350.00
Individual Breed Awards	1300.00		1400.00	
Sponsorships 30541.00, Grants 2325.00 (still 516.00 to come from Horn Levy of 2591.00))	45912.75	60000.00	32866.00	
Prize money return (no show)			220.00	
Total Revenue	56279.75		76130.00	60831.00
Other Expenses				
Hat Fund- Paid advertisement to youth shows			2300.00	
Revenue 2025	76130.00			
Subtract Expenses for show	54463.97			
Subtract Other Expenses	2300.00			
Funds remaining	19366.03			

Budget is contingent on sponsorship money raised. Please let me know when you have a full purchase amount of item