

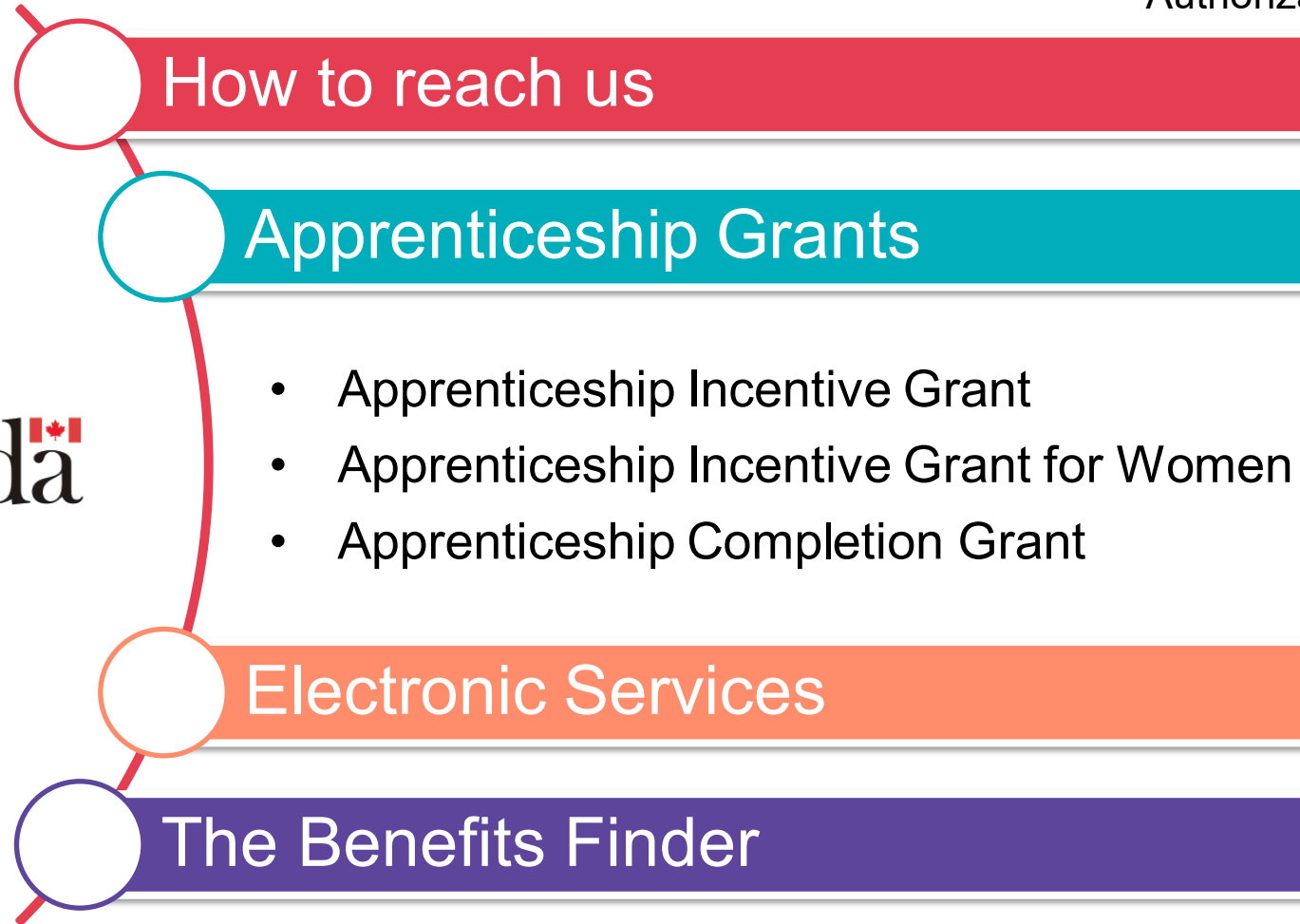
Finance Committee Meeting AGENDA

01, June, 2021 – 9:00 a.m.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
- 1.1. Mi'kma'ki Territorial Acknowledgement
2. **ANNOUNCEMENTS, ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, RECOGNITION**
3. **PUBLIC INPUT (15 Minutes)**
4. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA** (as circulated)
5. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES – April 6, 2021 and April 20, 2021**
6. **BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES**
7. **PRESENTATIONS/SCHEDULED TIMES**
- 7.1. Service Canada Presentation re Services, Grants & Benefits (Bill Gregory)9:15 a.m. 1-10
8. **CONSIDERATION OF CORRESPONDENCE – Nil**
9. **REFERRALS FROM COUNCIL, COMMITTEES & BOARDS - Nil**
10. **STAFF REPORTS**
- 10.1. **Recreation Department**
- 10.1.1. Canada Day Grants11-12
11. **MAYOR'S/DEPUTY MAYOR'S/COUNCILLORS' MATTERS**
12. **ADDED ITEMS**
13. **IN CAMERA**
- 13.1. Legal Advice re Litigation under Section 22(2)(f) of the MGA
14. **ADJOURNMENT**

Overview

Finance Committee
June 1, 2021
Item: 7.1
Authorization: E. Wentzell



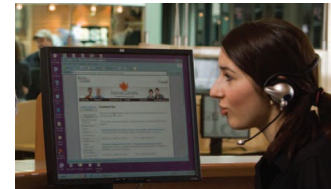
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Apprenticeship Incentive Grant

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- Lifetime maximum is \$2,000 per eligible apprentice

Apprenticeship Incentive Grant for Women

- Taxable cash grant of \$3,000 per year for registered apprentices
- Lifetime maximum is \$6,000 per eligible apprentice

Apprenticeship Completion Grant

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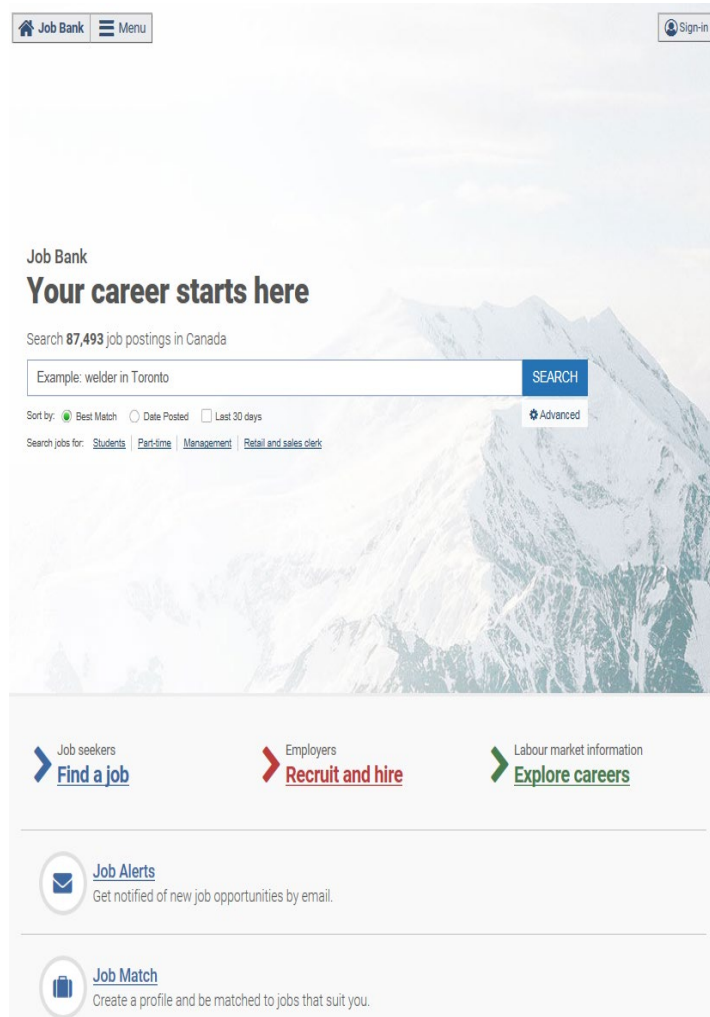
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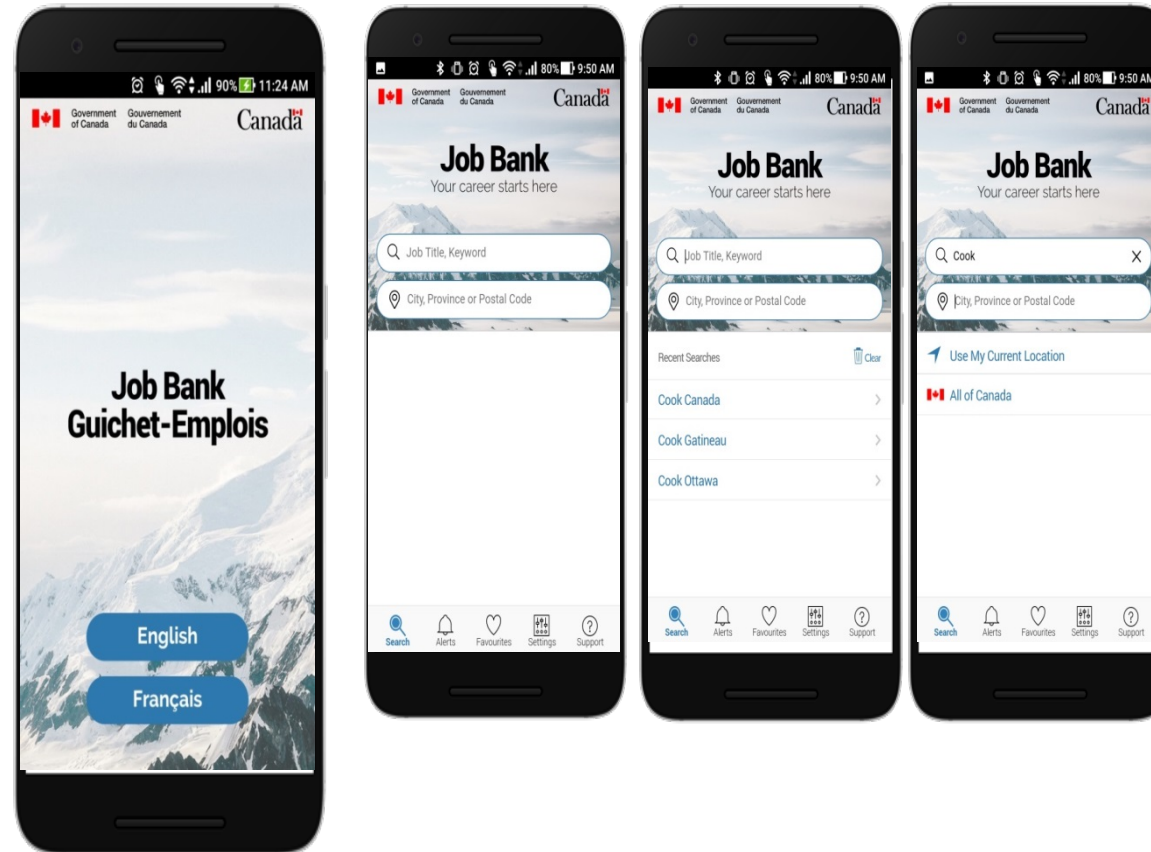
- 1 Job Search - Including a new job search mobile app**
- 2 Job Alerts**
- 3 Job Bank for Employers**
- 4 Job Match for Job Seekers**
- 5 Explore Careers and Trends**
- 6 Resume Builder**

Key outcomes for 2018-2019

- Job Bank received over 115,000 site visits and 637,000 page views per day.

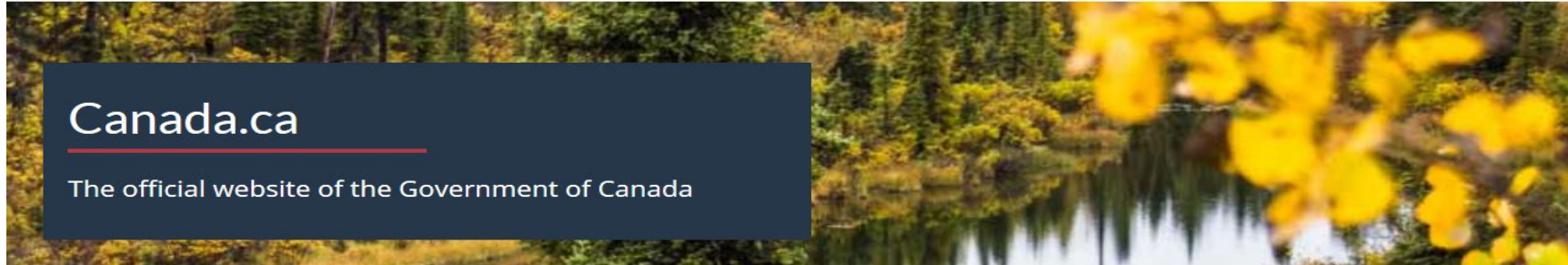
Job Bank Mobile App For Job Seekers

- Users of the new mobile app can search for active job postings, apply and save job search filters and save job posting information
 - The mobile app makes job searching easier and more practical
- It allows Job Bank to become more well known, and helps to promote its use by clients, particularly with youth.
- The beta version was launched February 28th, 2018.





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Municipality of the District of Lunenburg

Report to Council

Report To: Finance Committee
Submitted By: Tissy Bolivar, Program Coordinator
Date: June 1, 2021
Re: Canada Day Grants

Recommendation

That the Finance Committee recommend to Council that Municipal Council award **\$3,250** in **Canada Day Grants** to support community **Canada Day Events on July 1, 2021** as follows:

Town of Bridgewater – \$1,000

Riverport & District Fire Department – \$1,000

Petite Riviere Volunteer Fire Department – \$1,000

Tancook Island Recreational Centre Association – \$250

Executive Summary

The Canada Day grant is available to assist community organizations in the delivery of Canada Day celebrations. With public health restrictions, organizations have adapted and revised their plans to align with current guidelines and continue to change as needed.

Background

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the deadline for the Canada Day Grants was extended from March 1 to allow organizations to prepare their plans. We have received 4 applications, all which have COVID adaptable plans, focusing on virtual programs and fireworks displays that can be socially distanced.

We have funded all 4 of these applicants in previous years. In 2020, not events were funded based on the public health restrictions limited event opportunities. The Canada Day Grant funds up to 75% of total event costs, up to a maximum of \$1,200. Below is a summary of previous funding allocations.

Organization	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
New Germany Canada Day Committee	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1,100	0	0
Riverport & District Fire Dept.	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1,000	0	\$1,000
Canada Day on the LaHave (Town of Bridgewater)	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000	\$1,200	0	\$1,000
Petite Riviere Fire Department	\$600	\$600	\$600	\$700	0	0	\$1,000
Tancook Island Recreational Centre Association	\$600	\$600	\$600	\$500	\$600	0	\$250
Lunenburg Yacht Club	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500	0	0
Riverport & District Community Centre	0	0	0	0	\$300	0	0
Total Budget	\$4700	\$4700	\$4700	\$4700	\$4,700	0	\$3,250

Budget Implication

The budget for Canada Day Grants is \$5,000. To date, no funding has been awarded.

Alternatives

1. Not award a Canada Day Grants.
2. Award a different amount than recommended.

Conclusion

Based on the applications received by the extended deadline, they all meet the necessary grant criteria, have adjusted their plans based on COVID-19 restrictions and guidelines, and will benefit our communities and residents.

Department: Recreation

Report Prepared By: Tissy Bolivar

Date: May 27, 2021

Report Approved By: Bill Schurman

Date: May 27, 2021

Reviewed By CAO:

Date: