

Renewable Energy Vibrancy Policy FAQ

Questions	Answers
Who can apply?	Applicants, except for local elementary and secondary schools, must be community groups and organizations. Organizations must be based in Loyalist Township or have ongoing activities that provide a clear benefit to Loyalist Township. Memberships and programs must be open to all residents in Loyalist Township.
Can my organization apply for a grant more than once?	An organization may apply for a grant more than once, but the granting of financial assistance in any year is not to be regarded as a commitment but the Municipality to continue such assistance in future years.
How can I apply?	All applications shall be submitted on the appropriate application form and should indicate which funding stream is being applied for (found on Schedule "A" of this policy). Application forms will be available at the Municipal office located at 263 Main St. Odessa and on the Municipal website. Availability of application forms will be advertised at the beginning in January and May of each year and will be advertised at a minimum on the Municipal website, social media platforms and through newspaper advertisements, which have general circulation within the municipality.
When are applications available?	With the exception of the first year in which this policy is effective, applications for the first funding period will be available the first Monday in the month of January and applications will be due no later than February 1 of the same year. Applications for second period will be made available the first Monday in the month of May and due no later than June 1 of the same year.
How will my application be assessed?	The Vibrancy Fund Application Review Committees shall review all funding applications and make recommendations

	to Council. Council shall make all final funding decisions based on the local needs and priorities, taking into consideration budget, strategic goals, and objectives.
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