# City Centre Incentive Program Grant Application

The City Centre Incentive Program (CCIP) will use the information requested in this form to evaluate eligibility. The City Revitalization team will review the application for completeness and eligibility under the selected incentive stream. Internal business areas may be consulted as required to assess requirements and eligibility.

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### **Section A: Complete this form**

Review the CCIP Guide for a more detailed description of the program including eligibility

criteria. All submissions must include the following documents at time of application:  A completed application form including all required signatures by applicants and owners  A detailed estimate provided by a Saskatchewan licensed contractor, architect, consultant or engineer*  Licensing information for each entity providing an estimate  The applicant's Information Services Corporation incorporation information if the applicant is a corporation (if applicable)  Province of Saskatchewan Land Titles, Registry Title or other proof of ownership  Lease agreement or intent to lease (Min 2 years) where work is to be funded/undertaken by a
tenant
<ul> <li>Digital images which provide an overview of the current space where work will be performed</li> </ul>
Storefront Improvement Incentive must also include the following at time of application:  Site plans and elevations/renderings showing existing conditions and proposed layout, dimensions, entrances and work to be undertaken on site  Section C along with supplemental documents/statements to substantiate score points
Tenant Fit-up Incentive must also include the following at time of application:
Floor plans and interior elevations/renderings that show proposed use, layout, dimensions and work to be undertaken within the unit.     Section D along with supplemental documents/statements to substantiate score points
*For information on application requirements for projects done by the applicant without a contractor, contact

#### Submission

the City at revitalize@regina.ca.

Submit your completed application form and all required documents to revitalize@regina.ca.

The City must receive the application form, confirm receipt of all required documents and signatures, and verify eligibility within the designated intake period. The City may request any additional supporting information that it deems necessary as part of the review process. City Revitalization will provide the prescribed timeframe for submitting requested information to maintain eligibility through any stage of the program.

Applications deemed incomplete or ineligible by the end of the intake period will not be considered for funding.

# **CCIP Grant Application Form**

# **Section B: General Application Detail**

1. Applicant Contact Information	on		
Name:		Title:	
Company:			
Mailing Address:			
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	
Phone: 1( )	☐ Cell	☐ Work ☐ Home	
Email Address:			
Please Indicate one of the following	g:		
□ I am the property owner, final	ncing the proposed wo	rk	
☐ I am a representative applying	g on behalf of the prop	erty owner financing the proposed	work
$\ \square$ I am the tenant, financing the	proposed work		
2. Owner Contact Information (i	f different than Appli	cant)	
Name:		Title:	
Company:			
Mailing Address:			
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	
Phone: 1( )	□ Cell	□ Work □ Home	
Email Address:			
☐ There is more than one prope	erty owner, a separate	list has been appended to provide	owner details.
3. Property Details			
Property Address:			
Lot(s):	Block:	Plan No:	
Current Property Type: ☐ Reside	− ntial □ Non-Reside	ential □ Mixed-Use	
Current Use:			
Proposed Use or Occupancy:			

Please refer to the <b>interactive program map</b> to co	mplete this pa	art		
Is the project located within the City Centre Boundary? ☐ Yes ☐ No				
Is the project located within a designated Priority Funding Area? □ Yes □ No				
4. Funding Stream you are applying for (select	all that appl	y)		
$\hfill\Box$ Tenant Fit-Up (Please complete $\textbf{Section}~\textbf{C}$ of the	is application)	)		
☐ Storefront Improvement (Please complete <b>Section</b>	on <b>D</b> of this a	pplication)		
5. Prior Incentives				
Has any portion of the property received incentives	s under any o	ther City o	ıf Regina program: □ Yes □ No	
If Yes, Please select all that apply and indicate app	plicable file nı	umber and	or year of application	
☐ Housing Incentive Policy:		Commun	ity Investment Program:	
□ Heritage Incentive Policy:		Commun	ity Non-Profit Tax Exemption Program:	
☐ Intensification Incentive Program:		City Cent	re Incentive Program:	
□ Revitalization Incentive Program:		Others:		
6. Program Eligibility				
To be eligible to apply for grant incentives, please	confirm the fo	ollowing:		
☐ The property is located within the City Centre	Boundary			
☐ The project will incur a minimum of \$5,000 in total eligible project costs				
☐ The proposed project(s) has met the minimum 30 scorecard points for all streams being applied for.				
☐ The property contains a principal building constructed at least five years prior to the date of application.				
☐ The project is located within the first two floors of a building or property interfacing a sidewalk or street				
frontage.				
☐ The construction work for the proposed project	ct has not sta	ted prior to	o the effective date of the intake	
period.				
☐ The proposed work has not been incentivized under a municipal incentive program.				

### **Section C: Storefront Improvement Incentives Information**

**Expected Construction Start Date:** 

Month, Day, Year

## 7. Specific Eligibility Requirements To be eligible to apply for the Storefront Improvements Stream, please confirm the following: ☐ The proposed project is for a commercial land-use located within the building. 8. Eligible Work Projects must include at least one of the eligible work items from the list below. Please check all that apply: ☐ Refinishing of building frontages with mix of new materials ☐ Redesign of the façade to improve visual appeal Privately funded professional installed artwork, playscape and permanent outdoor features on private property that interfaces the sidewalk or street frontage. ☐ Installation of new on-site permanent business name signage permanently affixed to the wall or privately owned parcel of land. Installation of accessibility features to improve access and entry to the building Relocation, addition and enlargement of existing openings along frontage and side interfacing the sidewalk or street. □ Long-lasting landscaping on private property including tree planting, shrubs, soil, grass, statuary, rain gardens, perennial vegetation Permanent electrified lighting affixed to the building or on site that is ornamental and intended to enhance visibility between the public and private realm Have any applicable permit applications been submitted to the City for the project? ☐ Yes □ No If Yes, please provide permit application numbers associated with project:

**Expected Construction End Date:** 

Month, Day, Year

### 9. Estimated Project Cost

Please use quotes or invoices to complete the following details.

□ Please check this box if a separate document providing this information has been attached to your application.

Work Type and Quote #	Project Cost Type	Estimated costs (including GST/PST)
1.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	<ul> <li>Design/Engineering</li> </ul>	\$
2.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	□ Consultancy	\$
3.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	<ul> <li>Design/Engineering</li> </ul>	\$
4.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	□ Design/Engineering	\$
5.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	<ul> <li>Design/Engineering</li> </ul>	\$
6.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	☐ Design/Engineering	\$
7.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	☐ Design/Engineering	
8.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	☐ Design/Engineering	\$
9.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	<ul> <li>Design/Engineering</li> </ul>	\$
10	□ Material	\$
	Labour	\$
	□ Design/Engineering	\$
Summary of Droiset Coat	Total Estimated Project Costs	\$
Summary of Project Cost	50% of Estimated Project Costs  Maximum entitlement	\$ \$ 50.000
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For a detailed outline of eligible and ineligible items and costs, please refer to the **CCIP Guide**.

<ul> <li>10. Project Details</li> <li>Please complete the following section with details of the proposed project and outline how it meets the Storefront Improvement funding stream objectives and scorecard criteria. Additional information is outlined in the CCIP Guide.</li> <li>□ Please check this box if a separate document providing this information has been attached to your application.</li> </ul>

#### 11. Storefront Improvement Scorecard

This scorecard must be completed and submitted as part of an application for a Storefront Improvement grant application. For each criterion, partial credit cannot be applied unless specified within the criteria. Applicants may be asked for further information or documentation to prove that they meet the requirements set out below. The final evaluation and determination of the points for each category shall be conclusively determined by the City.

Development Features		Examples & Ideas	Possible Points	Earned Points
	Building Façade enhancements that incorporate a mix of materials to create visual interest in all seasons.	Decorative Canopy/Awnings/Marquee     Decorative buildouts     Use of a mix of materials including masonry, wood features, metal accents, paint, etc.	15	
Placemaking (35 points)	Addition of permanent artwork and installations to the exterior of the building.	<ul> <li>Artwork to blank facades</li> <li>Light-based artwork and installation that provide visual interest during evening and winter seasons</li> </ul>	10	
	Reduction of existing parking or excess bare land on site to encourage "stay in place" activities and a sense of exploration.	Interactive elements and freestanding sculptures/artwork that add visual interest to space     Permanently affixed benches, seating, play structures     Permanent landscaping elements beyond landscaping requirements of the Zoning Bylaw (e.g. Perennial trees, shrubs, rooftop gardens, water features, etc.)	10	
	Signage that clearly defines the function within the building and supports readability	<ul> <li>New permanently affixed signage</li> <li>Addition of building directory or wayfinding signage</li> <li>Signage and address that is scaled and uses a font that is easy to read from sidewalk</li> <li>Signage that includes a mix of languages and ways of reading</li> </ul>	10	
Safety, Transparency	Adapting barrier free design to improve accessibility	Access to the building from the sidewalk or public realm converted to include a ramp or grade level entry     addition of features such as handrails and automated door mechanisms	15	
& Accessibility (50 points)	Building openings improved to encourage transparency and accessibility	New clear glazing added to building walls along facades interfacing the streets that were previously blank     Replacement of existing openings with enlarged clear glazing to increase transparency     Adding, enlarging or relocating main entrances to sides interfacing the sidewalk to improve access by the public	15	
	Exterior lighting to enhance visibility and safety	<ul> <li>Addition of permanent exterior lighting along street frontages (e.g. Pot lights, wall sconces, landscape lighting) oriented to the sidewalk and public access points</li> </ul>	10	
	Enhancements were developed in consultation with a qualified professional	<ul> <li>Architects (landscape, building, etc.)</li> <li>Urban Designer</li> <li>Planner</li> <li>Engineer</li> </ul>	5	
<b>Quality Design</b> (15 points)	Design considers neighbourhood context and aesthetics, including incorporating design features reflected in current available City policy and plans	Applicable sections in Design Regina, Official Community Plan     Neighbourhood Plans if applicable     Independent site analysis considering the context of the surrounding neighbourhood	5	
	Proposed design incorporates features beyond existing bylaw or code requirements and considers inspiration from best practice design principles	Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design Universal Design Urban Design Placemaking Designs respecting heritage, arts and culture	5	
Total Possible Po			100	
	ligible for Storefront Improvement		30	
City evaluation completed by: Date:				

## **Section D: Tenant Fit-up Incentive Information**

12. Specific Eligibility Requirements	
To be eligible to apply for the Tenant Fit-up stream	n, please confirm the following:
$\ \square$ The proposed project is intended for the establishment	blishment of a new tenant within an existing building
$\ \square$ The proposed project is not for the alteration $\ \alpha$	or expansion of an existing business
☐ The tenant has a lease agreement or an inter	nt to lease the space for a minimum of two or more years
13. Eligible Work	
Projects must include at least $\underline{one}$ of the eligible w	ork items from the list below. Please check all that apply:
☐ Alterations related to a change in layout within	n the unit
☐ Aesthetic renovation within the unit including	walls, floors, ceiling, decorative hardware and lighting fixtures
□ Upgrades to the interior of a unit to meet zoni	ng, fire, health and safety or building code, as part of a change
in occupancy or use	
Have any applicable permit applications been subm If Yes, please provide permit application numbers a	
Expected Construction Start Date:	Expected Construction End Date:
Month, Day, Year	Month, Day, Year

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### 14. Estimated Project Cost

Please use quotes or invoices to complete the following details.

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2.	□ Material	\$
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	<ul><li>Design/Engineering</li></ul>	\$
4.	□ Material	\$
	□ Labour	\$
	□ Design/Engineering	\$
5.	□ Material	\$
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	<ul><li>Design/Engineering</li></ul>	\$
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Summary of Project Cost	50% of Estimated Project Costs  Maximum entitlement	<u> </u>
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For a detailed outline of eligible and ineligible items and costs, please refer to the **CCIP Guide** 

15. Project Details
Please complete the following section with details of the proposed project and outline how it meets the Tenant
Fit-up funding stream objectives and scorecard criteria. Additional information is outlined in the <b>CCIP Guide</b> .
<ul> <li>Please check this box if a separate document providing this information has been attached to your application.</li> </ul>

#### 16. Tenant Fit-up Scorecard

This scorecard must be completed and submitted as part of an application for a Tenant Fit-up grant application. For each criterion, partial credit cannot be applied unless specified within the criteria. Applicants may be asked for further information or documentation to prove that they meet the requirements set out below. The final evaluation and determination of the points for each category shall be conclusively determined by the City.

Deve	elopment Features	Examples & Ideas	Possible Points	Earned Points
	Cultural, Arts & Entertainment	□ Assembly Recreation E.g., Gym/sports/Fitness facility, Entertainment and cultural attractions, Arcade, Bowling Alley, Escape Room, Movie Theatres, museums, Cultural & Creative Centers □ Industry, Artistic E.g. Fine woodworking, glassmaking, pottery, etc.	20	
Primary Land Use (45 points)	Service, Food & Retail	Retail Trade, Shop  E.g. Boutique, Grocery Store, Convenience Store  Food & Beverage, Lounge/Restaurant  E.g. Café, Restaurant, Licensed beverage room  Service Trade, Accommodation, Clinic, Light and/or Personal  E.g. Hotels, Medical Clinics, Counselling, Small appliance repair, Hair stylist  Industry, Food & Beverage  E.g. Microbrewery, Bakery, Chocolatier	10	
	Community & Education	□ Institutional, Education E.g., School □ Institutional Training E.g. Job Training, Apprentice Training □ Institutional, Daycare E.g. Adult daycare, Child daycare center, Nursery school/Playschool □ Assembly, Community Centre E.g. Rinks, Library, Community Centre	15	
	Orientation	Entryway is immediately located at grade level     Access to business is abutting the sidewalk     Interior activity visible from the street	5	
Business	Location	The proposed tenant is located on one of the following floors:  Grade level Lower level Second level Combination of the above noted levels	10	
Functions (35 points)	Unique venture	The tenant is a locally owned business The business is the first location within the city The business introduces a new service or amenity to the City Centre	5	
	Operation	Hours of operations extend beyond standard weekday hours (typically 9am-5pm)  Evening hours (5pm-9pm)  Weekends (min 8+ hrs./day)  Unit provides a mix of services and/or shared tenants that encourage the activation of a unit space from morning to night  E.g. Daytime coffee shop, Evening bar and lounge	15	
	Interior enhancements and design of the unit were developed with support from a qualified professional	Architect     Interior Designer     Planner     Others: (Reference all that may apply)	5	
Quality Design (20 points)	Additional amenities were incorporated into the unit	Dedicated Nursing Rooms Child spaces/permanent play structures Secure indoor bike parking Public meeting areas Low sensory room Multipurpose space Others:(Reference all that may apply)	15	
Total Possible Po			100	
	ligible for Storefront Improvemen		30	
City evaluation of	completed by:	Date:		

### **Section E: Applicant Terms and Conditions Agreement**

**Conditions.** The City reserves the right to determine applicant participation in any incentive stream on a case-by-case basis. Grants are subject to City identified priorities, scorecard evaluation and budget availability and intake may be closed or suspended by the City at any time without notice. Even where funding has been committed to an applicant, the City will not provide a grant or may reduce a grant amount if there is no budget approved for the program, or the program is terminated for any reason. The City will not be liable for any damages including direct, indirect, consequential, exemplary or punitive damages, regardless of the form of action, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, arising from any such reduction or termination of funding.

**Costs may only be claimed once.** When a project qualifies for more than one incentive under this program or other City of Regina Programs, specific eligible costs may only be claimed once.

**Applicant.** For the purposes of this Agreement the Applicant shall mean the corporate entity, individual or group of individuals who are applying for the grant as named on the application and supporting documents and shall include the owner and tenant financing the work. Should an unincorporated entity be named as the Applicant, any individual who signs this application shall be deemed to be the Applicant. Groups of individuals who are an Applicant shall be jointly and severally liable for the purposes of this Agreement.

Use of Money. The Applicant agrees to use any money or services provided to the Applicant only in the manner set out in this application (including supporting documents) and agrees to comply with the CCIP Guide any conditions as set out in the Funding Commitment letter issued by the City. In the event of any conflict between the application (excluding this Agreement) and the City's Funding Commitment letter, the Funding Commitment letter shall take precedence. Where the City has paid the grant, the City reserves the right to demand, at any time, the return of any monies or a portion of the monies, and the Applicant agrees to return the monies, if the Applicant: does not comply with the conditions set out in this application or the Funding Commitment letter, uses the money in a manner that, in the opinion of the City, is inconsistent with the objectives of the Program, does not use the money in accordance with the description of the intended use of the money as set out in this application, if the Applicant made a material misrepresentation in the application, if the Applicant did not use all of the money or if the Applicant used the money for something not described in this application without the written consent of the City. Where applicants have been provided a funding commitment and grant has not been paid out, the City reserves the right to revoke funding commitments at any time, for any reason including but not limited to where the work does not comply with the application, CCIP Program Guideline or Funding Commitment letter, or where any terms and conditions prescribed by the city have not been met.

Good Standing Status and Compliance with Bylaws and Policies. Applicants receiving funding from the City must not have any outstanding taxes or other charges owing to the City, must not be in active litigation against the City and must abide by all applicable laws (including bylaws) as well as the City's policies and procedures. An Applicant that has outstanding taxes or charges, is in active litigation or has breached a law or policy will lose, at the discretion of the City, eligibility under the CCIP, any funding commitment awarded or any outstanding grant payment.

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy. The City is committed to protecting the privacy and confidentiality of personal information. All personal information that is collected by the City is done so in accordance with *The Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. The information collected in this application will be used to administer the Program. In addition, to the extent required by *The Cities Act* and *The Cities Regulations*, the City will report the names and grant amounts of those receiving grants under this Program in the City's public accounts. Addresses, project detail and images of properties receiving grants and grant amounts will be reported publicly and information will be used by the City for program reporting, monitoring, planning and evaluation.

**Indemnification.** The City's role is limited to providing the grant to the Applicant. The Applicant agrees that the City shall not be liable for any activity carried out by the Applicant. The Applicant agrees to fully indemnify the City, including its officers, agents, employees and affiliates, and hold each of them harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, suits, causes of action, losses, damages, liabilities and costs relating to, arising out of, or connected to, directly or indirectly, with the Applicant's activities under this Agreement including, without limitation and no matter when asserted, claims relating to: the injury (physical or psychological) or death of any person; and damages to or loss of any property, excluding claims resulting from an act or omission amounting to the City's negligence or breach of contract to the extent attributable to the City.

Representations. In making this application, I the undersigned, hereby represent to the City and declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information provided in this application and the related supporting documents are truthful and accurate. In the case of a corporate entity or partnership or condominium corporation, I represent that I have the authority to bind the corporate entity, partnership or owners of the units in the condominium corporation. Submission of this Application does not constitute funding approval. A Funding Commitment letter will be provided by the City upon assessment of this application and if approved, the terms and conditions herein shall apply to the grant. Where the Applicant is a group of individuals, each individual must sign the application. The execution of the application form or any subsequent agreements under this program in no way constitutes a development permit or building permit approval. It is the responsibility of the Applicant/owner to ensure all proper approvals are obtained. Failure to do so may result in cancellation of the commitment or ineligibility under the CCIP. By signing this application form, the Applicant is agreeing to all the terms, conditions and requirements in the application form, the **CCIP Guide** and the Funding Commitment letter (where the project is approved for funding by the City). Together these documents form the legal agreement that binds the Applicant with respect to the project. These documents constitute the entire and exclusive agreement that governs the funding commitment and supersedes all prior agreements, undertakings, representations and understandings, whether written or oral, between the parties or their representatives.

**Signatures**. All identified applicant(s) including the owner(s) and tenant(s) must sign the application form.

I am a	☐ Tenant	□ Owner	☐ Representative of the owner,	identified in the application.
				Month, Day, 2025
Signatui	re		Print Name	Date of Signature
I am a	☐ Tenant	☐ Owner	☐ Representative of the owner,	identified in the application.
				Month, Day, 2025
Signatui	re		Print Name	Date of Signature
I am a	□ Tenant	☐ Owner	☐ Representative of the owner,	identified in the application.
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Signatui	re		Print Name	Date of Signature
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