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# Community Conservation & Education Grant Application

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Civic/Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Community Location of Project: \_\_\_\_\_ Municipality: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Proposed Project :  
(eg: School Event, Nature Trail, Rain Garden, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

### Project Diagram

*(Please indicate project location, design, and any surrounding landscape information)*


### Project Description

*(include project details, and cost estimates if possible)*

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*(Feel free to attach additional sheets if more space is required)*

**Please read all conditions and responsibilities listed on the reverse side of this application form.**

I hereby declare that I have read & understand the conditions of the Community Conservation & Education Grant & agree to abide by said terms. I further agree to fully cooperate with the RBWD Board in completing & maintaining the project as outlined.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Office Use Only:

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Sub-District: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

# Community Conservation & Education Grant Terms & Conditions

This program is intended to assist applicants in the development of community-based conservation and education resources. Projects can include workshops, seminars, school events, interpreters, speakers, rain gardens, tree plantings, nature trails, or any project related to sustainable land and water management practices. Eligible expenses can include construction or materials costs, equipment required for conservation projects such as water quality testing kits, or purchasing other educational materials.

## Objectives:

- ◇ To educate residents about the importance of healthy watersheds, WD programming & other similar conservation related matters,
- ◇ To provide communities with assistance for the sustainable development of natural resources and green spaces within urban areas.



## Eligibility:

- ◇ Project location must be within the Redboine Watershed District
- ◇ Organized community groups, municipalities, & school groups are eligible to apply

## Roles and Responsibilities:

### The Applicant Shall:

- ◇ Request assistance by application at the Redboine Watershed District office;
- ◇ Provide consent of entry onto property for purposes of the project;
- ◇ Provide access for inspection, tours or evaluation by WD Board or staff at any reasonable time;
- ◇ **Not remove, destroy or alter project without prior authorization of the Watershed District;**
- ◇ **Replace at 100% cost if damage to the project is the result of the neglect of any of the preceding;**
- ◇ Allow District to place signage at project site for WD contribution to project; signage removal must be approved by the Watershed District prior to removal; and
- ◇ **Indemnify and save harmless the District from any and all actions, claims, suits, damages, injuries, or other loss no matter howsoever arising as a result of the construction, operation or maintenance of the project.**

### The Watershed District Shall:

- ◇ Provide technical assistance, funding, and project implementation assistance;
- ◇ Supervise project to ensure construction is completed according to approved project designs;
- ◇ Warranty project for a period of 5 years

## Project Funding/Cost-Sharing/Incentives:

- ◇ Project funding will be determined on a project by project basis by the RBWD Board. Funding may be allocated to certain projects deemed a higher priority or better fit to RBWD mandates.
- ◇ RBWD will encourage cost-sharing partnerships with Municipalities & other external organizations to maximize partnership opportunities & program benefits.

***I understand and agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the above document:***

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Signature of Applicant

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Date