



ALBERTA  
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

*Office of the Minister  
MLA, Edmonton - South West*

AR 101597

**Subject: 2020/2021 Ground Search and Rescue Program Grant**

Dear SAR Team Presidents and Treasurers,

I am pleased to announce that Alberta Municipal Affairs will provide \$150,000 in grant funding for the 2020/2021 Ground Search and Rescue Program.

This grant facilitates training for search and rescue volunteers to increase the capability of Alberta's search and rescue communities to respond to ground and inland searches.

In order to maximize the impact of the program throughout the province, regional collaboration between search and rescue teams is strongly encouraged. For those of you who wish to submit a regional collaboration application, one team must apply as the host for each training event. Teams should work closely with their partner teams in preparing the application.

The application deadline for this year's program is September 30, 2020. The guidelines and application form are available on the Government of Alberta website at [www.alberta.ca/ground-search-and-rescue-training-grant.aspx](http://www.alberta.ca/ground-search-and-rescue-training-grant.aspx). If you have questions regarding the grant or program guidelines, please contact the grants coordinator at 1-866-421-6929 or [firecomm@gov.ab.ca](mailto:firecomm@gov.ab.ca).

I wish you all the best with your training projects.

Yours very truly,



Kaycee Madu, QC  
Minister