

Initial Presentation & First Stage Evaluation

The following evaluation shall apply to the initial presentation to Council for municipal funding of infrastructure projects. The presentation shall be evaluated based on the following criteria as outlined in section 6.1:

Criterion	Weight	Score
Project Objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Clear articulation of project goals and what it aims to achieve. 	10	
Geographical Location <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Description and significance of the project's location. ○ Consideration of local environmental or social impacts. 	10	
Project Background (History, Lists any obstacles or physical components) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Historical context and any challenges faced in project development. ○ Identification of physical aspects or obstacles that may impact implementation. ○ Engagement with the Eastern District Planning Commission (EDPC) for planning to ensure your project meets zoning and other requirements. 	10	
Budget (Cost Projections, Projected Schedule) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Detailed breakdown of project costs and financial projections. (be sure to highlight project elements that will be eligible for this grant) ○ Realistic timeline for project completion and milestones. 	10	



<p>Source of Funding (Applied for and confirmed)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Explanation of funding sources applied for and secured. ○ Confirmation of financial backing or commitments. 	10	
<p>Participants (Confirmation of good standing of all corporate participants)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Verification of the credibility and reliability of project partners or stakeholders. ○ Assurance of their capability to fulfill their roles effectively. 	10	
<p>Identified benefit to community or inhabitants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Explanation of how the project will positively impact the local community. ○ Anticipated social, economic, or environmental benefits. 	10	
<p>Identified alignment with Council priorities and the MOCR Strategic Plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment factors include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Demonstration of how the project supports and aligns with the Municipality of the County of Richmond (MOCR) Strategic Plan, Council priorities, and community needs. ○ Contribution to long-term municipal objectives and priorities. 	10	
Maximum Score Possible 80		
	Final Score =	