

March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021**Westoba Inspire is now accepting applications for major grant funding requests.**

**BRANDON, MB** 03.01.21 – Westoba Inspire, Westoba Credit Unions' Community Investment Program is accepting applications during the month of March 2021 for major projects supporting community infrastructure.

“We are focusing on projects that will enhance community infrastructure,” said Jim Rediger, Westoba Credit Union CEO. “Initiatives and projects that have lasting impact and offer sustainability to community resources will be given priority.”

Westoba will provide funding to deserving non-profit, charitable or community organizations across the province who are helping build stronger communities through facilities or programming.

Applications are reviewed by Westoba’s Community Investment Committee that includes staff, member and Board representation. Successful applications are chosen based on their ability to align with Westoba’s goal to support community infrastructure.

**HOW TO APPLY to Westoba Inspire**

Applications will be accepted through an online application form available at [westobainspire.com](http://westobainspire.com).

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**ABOUT WESTOBA INSPIRE**

Created in 2017, Westoba Inspire is the result of Westoba’s Community Investment Fund in partnership with the Brandon Area Community Foundation. To be eligible for funding, applicants must be a non-profit charitable organization, support community infrastructure projects that are initiated locally or have a clear local impact; are inclusive and bring people together; are long-term or multi-functional; and promote staying, participating and engaging in an enriched community.

**ABOUT WESTOBA CREDIT UNION**

Westoba is a full-service financial institution offering a wide range of services and products to meet unique needs. Centralized in Brandon, Manitoba, Westoba has 17 locations (including corporate office) throughout the province, employing approximately 200 people.

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