

Small Communities Fund Announcement – March 16, 2016
Federal/Community cost share on total project costs

Community	Project name	SCF allocation	Community Government Allocation	Project Cost
Hamlet of Fort Resolution	Pool and Youth Center Retrofit	\$125,000 (19.2%)	\$525,000 (81%)	\$650,000
Hamlet of Fort Providence	Road Rehabilitation Program	\$396,000 (75%)	\$132,000 (25%)	\$528,000
Village of Fort Simpson	Fitness Center	\$447,514 (75%)	\$150,171 (25%)	\$597,685
Behchok'o	Upgrade wastewater systems	\$1,159,000 (75%)	\$386,334 (25%)	\$1,545,334
Whati	Water Treatment Plant	\$323,000 (75%)	\$108,666 (25%)	\$431,666
Norman Wells	Arena Floor (Cement)	450,000 (75%)	150,000 (25%)	600,000
Norman Wells	Franklin Street Sewer Replacement	1,083,750 (75%)	361,250 (25%)	1,445,000
Norman Wells	Community Road Chip seal	1,083,750 (75%)	361,250 (25%)	1,445,000
Inuvik	Utilidor Upgrade	4,297,000 (75%)	1,432,334 (25%)	5,729,334
Katlodeeche First Nation	Arena	\$125,000 (8.3%)	\$1,375,000 (92%)	\$1,500,000
Town of Hay River	Recreation Centre and Expansion and Modernization	\$4,223,000 (17%)	\$20,277,000 (83%)	\$24,500,000

*Percentage refers to the value of the project cost.

Small Communities Fund Community Allocations

- The Small Communities Fund is part of the Provincial Territorial Infrastructure Allocation under the New Build Canada Plan.
- A total of \$25.8 million has been made available to community governments under the Small Communities Fund

- The GNWT allocated these funds utilizing the needs based funding model developed for infrastructure funding for community governments. Every community receives an allocation under the program, with a minimum allocation being \$125,000.
- The City of Yellowknife is funded outside of the Small Communities Fund. The SCF funding is divided among 32 community governments. The City of Yellowknife will receive an allocation of \$12.9 million under the National/Regional Component of the New Build Canada Plan.
- Community governments identify a project on their capital plan to utilize their SCF allocation. Projects can be funded up to a maximum 75% federal funding and 25% must come from Community Public Infrastructure funding provided by GNWT to community governments, or other own source revenues.
- Community governments submit an application to the GNWT, through Municipal and Community Affairs (MACA). MACA then works with Canada to facilitate approval by the federal Minister.
- Now that these projects are approved, the community government will enter into a funding agreement with MACA for the approved project. The program is reimbursement based, so community governments will finance the project and then seek reimbursement of the federal allocation for the project through a claims process with MACA.
- MACA will be accepting applications from other community governments who have not applied for their funding in the spring of 2016.