

TRAIL ENHANCEMENT GRANTS, FALL 2022 LIST OF PROJECTS APPROVED FOR FUNDING

These grants aim to enhance recreation opportunities in the Basin by supporting projects that develop or rehabilitate trails, construct trail infrastructure or make capital purchases to enhance trails.

Community	Organization	Description	Amount
Castlegar	Castlegar Parks and Trails Society	Complete phase three of the Grandwazoo Loop by developing a 1.5-kilometre segment for beginner mountain biking and hiking.	\$16,500
Castlegar	Castlegar Parks and Trails Society	Develop a parking lot at the base of the Rialto trail network.	\$8,000
Crawford Bay	East Shore Trail and Bike Association	Complete a resurfacing application of crushed gravel to the Crawford Bay Wetland trail.	\$41,500
Elkford	Elkford Nordic Ski Club	Complete bridge deck repairs on Boivin Creek bridge.	\$2,100
Fernie	Coal Creek Heritage Society	Rehabilitate four kilometres of Easy Beaver and install trail infrastructure like an accessible toilet and signage.	\$60,000
Fernie	Fernie Trails Alliance Association	Rehabilitate 8.9 kilometres of the Coal Creek Heritage trail and enhance the trailside facilities.	\$38,800
Golden	Golden Cycling Club	Build a 0.25-kilometre connector trail on the upper Canyon Creek trail and rehabilitate four kilometres of trail on Mount 7.	\$8,800
Golden	Golden Nordic Ski Club Society	Replace the Caribou log bridge at the Dawn Mountain Nordic Centre.	\$36,000
Invermere	Summit Trail Makers Society	Build a 1.2-kilometre trail from Lower Welsh Lakes to Middle Welsh Lake.	\$23,000
Jaffray	South Country Trails and Recreation Association	Apply crushed rock to the West Jaffray trail system, install a tool shed and purchase equipment for trail maintenance.	\$23,000
Kaslo	Kaslo Outdoor Recreation and Trails Society	Complete a 2.4-kilometre intermediate, downhill connector trail from the Moose Meadows cabin to the top of Mount Buchanan, and install signage.	\$46,100
Kaslo	Kaslo Outdoor Recreation and Trails Society	Construct a new connector trail from the True Blue trailhead to the Straight Face and Lettrari Loop trails; rehabilitate the Hemlock, Cedar and Birch trails; and install signage.	\$28,200
Kimberley	Kimberley Trails Society	Rehabilitate and update water drainage along the Atlas Shrugged, White Lightning, and Snow White and the Seven Wasps trails.	\$29,100
Nakusp	Arrow Lakes Cross Country Ski Club	Rehabilitate Hairpin Way and upgrade water drainage infrastructure on several cross-country trails.	\$4,700

Nakusp	Nakusp and Area Community Trails Society	Replace the footbridge on the upper Hot Springs trail.	\$11,000
Nakusp	Village of Nakusp	Rehabilitate and upgrade water drainage on the Source trail.	\$38,400
Nelson	Nelson Cycling Club	Rehabilitate rough sections of the Turnstyles and Lefty trails.	\$35,300
Nelson	Nelson Nordic Ski Club	Replace the Apex North bridge that connects the RDCK Rail Trail at Cottonwood Lake to the Nelson Nordic main hut.	\$43,700
New Denver	North Slocan Trails Society	Develop an alternative up-track to access the Butter Me Up trailhead and install signage.	\$41,300
Rosebery	Rosebery Bonanza Summit Trail Alliance Society	Rehabilitate a section of the rail trail between Rosebery and Summit Lake and upgrade water drainage.	\$41,500
Rossland	Kootenay Columbia Trails Society	Build a 3.5-kilometre connector trail from the Webster Road trail.	\$45,000
Salmo	Salmo Valley Trail Society	Extend the True Blue and DeLaurentis trails and develop connector trails in the Erie Creek area.	\$13,200
Slocan	Slocan Valley Rail Trail Society	Complete a trail resurfacing project to improve accessibility.	\$60,000
Slocan	Village of Slocan	Rehabilitate the trail network along Springer Creek.	\$5,000
Sparwood	Sparwood Trails Alliance	Build 3.2 kilometres of connector trails in the Sparwood Ridge area to provide looping options for beginner users.	\$48,900
Valemount	Valemount and Area Recreation Development Association	Rehabilitate the Stumptown trail, purchase equipment to maintain the trail system and install trail infrastructure like benches and signage.	\$15,700
TOTAL			\$764,800

BASIN JOB EXPERIENCE TRAIL CREW WAGE SUBSIDY, WINTER 2023

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This program helps employers create short-term jobs while enhancing Basin recreational trails. Unemployed and underemployed Basin residents gain work experience as they advance their skills.

Community	Organization	Jobs Created	Amount
Castlegar	Castlegar Parks and Trails Society	2	\$20,275
Cranbrook	Cranbrook Community Forest Society	2	\$5,025
Creston Valley, Regional District of Central Kootenay Area B	Creston Valley Forest Corporation	2	\$12,420
Fernie	Fernie Trails Alliance Association	3	\$36,825
Golden	Golden Cycling Club	2	\$13,480
Kaslo	Kaslo Outdoor Recreation & Trails Society	2	\$19,435
Kimberley	Kimberley Trails Society	3	\$19,455
Lardeau Valley, Regional District of Central Kootenay Area D	Lardeau Valley Opportunity LINKS Society	2	\$11,790
Nakusp	Nakusp and Area Bike Society	3	\$37,000
Nelson	Nelson Cycling Club	3	\$24,895
Nelson, Regional District of Central Kootenay Areas E and F	South Selkirks Backcountry Association	2	\$4,510
New Denver	North Slocan Trails Society	3	\$15,600
Revelstoke	Revelstoke Cycling Association	2	\$24,530
Rossland	Black Jack Cross Country Ski Club Society	2	\$11,870
Salmo	Salmo Valley Trail Society	3	\$37,350
Valemount	Valemount and Area Recreation Development Association	2	\$21,135
TOTAL		38	\$315,595

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