

Municipal Financial Relief Grant 2025

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The Municipal Financial Relief Grant is administered by The County Foundation. Prince Edward County low-income residents can apply for ONE of the two relief grant streams. Applications will be accepted from **April 15 to July 15**. Applicants will be notified of the outcome of their application before end of August.

Municipal Water or Property Tax Account

Who is eligible?

Residents who pay for water/waste services OR property taxes on their primary residence in Prince Edward County through a municipal tax account who earns \$32,240/year or less (for single occupants), or \$64,480/year or less (for multiple occupants).

Applicants need to include a copy of their most recent water or property tax bill and a Notice of Assessment from Revenue Canada for ALL household occupants.

Maximum grant:

A credit of \$350 for water/wastewater services or \$750 for property taxes may be applied to your water/wastewater account for September 2025. Households who earn \$20,000/year or less would receive a \$500 credit for water bills or \$1,000 for property taxes.

NO Municipal Property Tax Account (Leasehold)

Who is eligible?

Residents with no municipal tax account who pay property tax on their primary residence to a leasehold in Prince Edward County who earn \$32,240/year or less (for single occupants), or \$64,480/year or less (for multiple occupants).

Applicants need to include a copy of your Notice of Assessment from Revenue Canada for ALL household occupants, and a letter or pay statement from the landowner (leasehold) verifying payment toward property taxes in 2025.

Maximum grant:

A cheque of \$750 for property taxes may be provided in September 2025. Households who earn \$20,000/year or less would receive a \$1,000 grant for property taxes.

| Household occupant/s whose name/s appear on the | municipal bill (water or property tax) or contribute to bill payments: | | | | | | | |
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| Name of household occupant 1 | | | | | | | | |
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| Address: | | | | | | | | |
| Contact info: Email | Phone | | | | | | | |
| Total Household Income \$ Single occupant households must earn \$32,240/year or | *based on gross total (i.e. before deductions) less. Multiple occupant households must earn \$64,480/year or less. | | | | | | | |
| Are there dependent/s in the household? Circle or (Households with dependent/s are considered to have re- | • | | | | | | | |
| FOR APPLICANTS WITH A MUNICIPAL TAX ACCOU | NT: not receive the grant unless both are provided with your application. | | | | | | | |
| | ssessment (NOA) from 2023 or 2024 for ALL household occupants 15000 on the NOA will be used to verify total income before deductions. | | | | | | | |
| I have attached a copy of my latest water/wast Please provide roll number on the back of thi | • • • | | | | | | | |

FOR APPLICANTS WITH A MUNICIPAL TAX ACCOUNT (continued):

| I am applying for ONE of the following | ı | am | app | lying | for | ONE | of the | following |
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| WATER/WASTEWATER bill relief - Account # for Water/Wastewater | | PROPERTY TAX bill relief - Property Tax Roll # 1350 | | | | - 0000 | |
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| 9 digits | • decimal | 2 digits | 3 | B digits | 3 digits | 5 digits | |

FOR APPLICANTS WITHOUT A MUNICIAPL PROPERTY TAX ACCOUNT (LEASEHOLD):

The documents listed below are required. You will not receive the grant unless both are provided with your application.

I have attached Canada Revenue Notice/s of Assessment (NOA) from 2023 or 2024 for ALL household occupants who pay for property taxes or water/wastewater. Line 15000 on the NOA will be used to verify total income before deductions.

I have attached a letter or pay statement from the landowner (leasehold) indicating the amount of property taxes to be paid to the leasehold in 2025 and the homeowner's name and address.

Agreement to Terms

By submitting this application, I agree that:
All information submitted is truthful.
I agree to the terms.
I am authorized to sign for this application.

Signature of applicant

Applications can be submitted the following ways:

- Online form at thecountyfoundation.ca
- Mail to: The County Foundation 35 Bridge St, Suite 107, PO Box 24, Picton, ON, KOK 2TO
- Scan and email to: info@thecountyfoundation.ca



INFORMATION & HELP SESSIONS

- Picton May 20th Prince Edward Community Centre (Rotary Hall) from 10am to noon
- Wellington May 23rd Wellington & District Community Centre (Rotary Multipurpose) from 1pm to 3pm

Bring your Notice of Assessment/s and required documents (listed above) for in-person assistance with your application.

Free door-to-door transportation from any location in the County to these sessions can be arranged through County Transit. To schedule your ride, call 1.855.283.9640 or email info@quintetransit.ca at least one day in advance.

Questions? Phone 613-519-4470 or email info@thecountyfoundation.ca

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's) - More answers available on our website!

Q-If I meet the income eligibility am I automatically approved?

A- Eligible applications may receive the grant as long as there is adequate supply of funds. Should there be high demand for this grant that exceeds available funds, priority will be given to those most in need in terms of income.

Q-Where else can I get help with this application?

- A Three local organizations can help with completing online applications or downloading and attaching forms:
- Prince Edward Learning Centre, Prince Edward County Community Care for Seniors Association and PEC Library. These services require an appointment but are free to community members.

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^{*}Residents can only apply for support on property taxes OR water/wastewater services – NOT both.