

**2018 Social and Community Investment Fund (SCIF) Allocations**

Project Name	Lead Agency	Project Description	2018 SCIF Recommended Funding
Bebminot (Protector of Children)	Barrie Area Native Advisory Circle	The Bebminot Family Wellness program is dedicated to improving the health and well-being of Indigenous/Metis children, youth, families, and communities. To support the provision of better opportunities for low-income families	\$140,760.00
Integration to Canadian Society	Bradford Immigrant & Community Services (BICS)	Supporting newcomer parents and children in adapting to Canadian culture, society and the school system using clear English they will understand. We'll break down barriers inhibiting newcomers from accessing services, thus reducing the impact of emotional/financial burdens.	\$38,760.00
Trans Employment Services Program (TESP)	The Gilbert Centre for Social and Support Services	Transgender and gender diverse people connect with the Centre for personal support and to obtain information/resources. The TESP supports Simcoe County transgender individuals out of poverty.	\$40,800.00
Health STAR	YMCA Simcoe Muskoka	Health STAR (Strengthening Through Active Recreation) is a community development initiative that seeks to engage lower income children and youth in recreational activities while building upon the resources inherent in sport to potentially improve outcomes in their health, education, income level, and social development.	\$35,000.00
Transportation Linking Community (TLC)	Community Reach	TLC - community transportation serving seniors & people of all ages living with limited income/limited support. This application identifies an expanded mandate - further triaging for people scoring as high acuity.	\$89,152.00
Operation Grow	Huronian Transition Homes	Operation Grow is a social enterprise holistically designed to address poverty, food scarcity, de-skilling, social exclusion, and the impacts of trauma for women with a lived experience of violence.	\$100,000.00
Making a Difference Together	The Sharing Place Food Bank	Providing food skills programming for low income children, youth and families focusing on sustainability of existing services through empowering participants to become program facilitators and ambassadors for their communities.	\$40,800.00
CAPC Children's Program	Catulpa Community Support Services	To reduce the effects of child poverty by providing quality programming/resources to children 1 to 6, from low-income families. To provide supportive job readiness and employment to past participants and low-income women to assist them in building skills, self-confidence and gaining long-term employment.	\$63,650.00
Simcoe County Next Step Program	Catulpa Community Support Services	The Next Step program addresses child poverty by providing food, information, referrals and support to low-income women and their children ages 0-36 months through weekly programs and through targeted outreach in high need areas.	\$198,900.00
Simcoe County Young Parent Program	Catulpa Community Support Services	This project addresses child poverty by providing resources and supports to pregnant/parenting teens and young parents across the county. We do this through targeted outreach efforts to high schools, alternative schools and high need areas in the community where youth congregate (soup kitchens, shelters, street).	\$191,450.00
YouthReach	Youthreach/YMCA Simcoe/Muskoka	No youth in Simcoe County will be prevented from participating in enriching extra-curricular activities because of financial and other barriers.	\$36,000.00
Ambe Tigadaw Community Garden Collective	Orillia Native Women's Group	To build capacity and develop understanding and coordinate local food production for the Indigenous community of Simcoe County through coordinated network of support in order to reduce poverty and food insecurity and to educate individuals about non-traditional sources of food.	\$56,100.00
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$1,031,372.00</b>