



**TRAILS CONNECTING COMMUNITIES PROGRAM – 2023
Application Form**

1. Applicant Information

Local Municipality: _____

Primary Contact Name: _____

Position: _____

Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Email: _____

Alternate Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Email: _____

2. Project Information

Project Name: _____

Describe Location of Trail Works: _____

Permitted Trail Uses (*check all that apply*):

Hiking, walking, running Cycling (touring, mtn. biking) Horseback Riding

Cross country skiing, snowshoeing ATV/Dirt Bike Snowmobile

Other Please specify: _____

(*i.e. wheelchair, in-line skating, rollerblading, dog sledding, etc.*)

Work To Be Completed (*check all that apply*):

New Trail/Active Transportation Construction

Upgrade Trail Surface

Build/Replace Bridge

Safety/Accessibility Enhancements

Trailhead/Access Point

Acquisition of easements and fee simple title to property required for trail corridor

Other: _____

3. Project Financial Information

Total Project Cost Estimate: \$ _____
Local Municipal Funding: \$ _____
Provincial Funding (if any): \$ _____
Federal Funding (if any): \$ _____
Other Funding (if any): \$ _____

Requested funding from County of Simcoe: \$ _____
(match local municipal funding to a maximum of \$30,000)

4. Supporting Information

The primary intake period for TCCP applications is from April 24, 2023 to May 26, 2023. Applications received during this period will be given first consideration depending on budget availability and compliance with the TCCP criteria. Applications received after the primary intake period may be considered for any remaining funds on a first come-first served basis.

- Application Form
- Letter briefly identifying how the project will benefit the local community and the active transportation network within the County of Simcoe. The letter should also address trail connectivity, accessibility, economic benefit, respect for the environment and sustainable trail development
- Map identifying the location and length of the proposed trail segment where work is to be completed
- Outline of Proposed Trail Specifications – width, height, surface material, signage, etc.
- Cost Estimate of Project
- Project plan with proposed timelines
- Proposed Construction/Engineering Drawings (if any)

By completing and submitting this program application form the applicant hereby acknowledges and agrees to abide by the obligations outlined in the 2023 TCCP Information Sheet and Application Guide.

Applications and supporting materials are to be submitted to:

Trails Connecting Communities Program
c/o Keirsten Morris, TCCP Coordinator
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