



*Office of the Minister*

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His Worship Peter Brown  
Mayor  
City of Airdrie  
400 Main Street SE  
Airdrie AB T4B 3C3

Dear Mayor Brown:

As Minister of Culture responsible for sport in Alberta, I am pleased to invite your community to submit a bid to host either the 2024 Alberta Winter Games or the 2024 Alberta Summer Games.

I encourage your community to consider this invitation and the many benefits that can result from hosting this event. The Alberta Games are key in Alberta's Recovery Plan and provide an economic impact of approximately \$3 million to a host community. A successful host community is offered the opportunity to showcase its community and talents to approximately 3,000 participants from all regions of the province, along with numerous spectators and special guests.

Communities with populations of less than 10,000 are encouraged to collaborate with neighbouring communities to submit a joint bid or consider the smaller, modified games format. The community awarded a 2024 Alberta Games will receive a \$420,000 operating grant.

A letter of interest to host either the 2024 Alberta Winter or Summer Games, together with a letter of support from municipal or band council must be received by March 25, 2022. Completed bids must be received by April 29, 2022.

Bid guidelines and staff consultation are available by contacting Ms. Suzanne Becker at 403-297-2909, toll-free by first dialing 310-0000 or email [suzanne.becker@gov.ab.ca](mailto:suzanne.becker@gov.ab.ca).

Sincerely,

Ron Orr  
Minister

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