

# Efficient Grain Dryer Program Application Form:

Application Year 2020 - 2023

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Please complete all portions of the application. For assistance with completing this application, please call 310-FARM (3276) to be put in contact with a support person.

## Part 1: Applicant Information

**Applicant Name:** (Legal Name or Corporate Name) **ALL RECEIPTS, INVOICES, AND PROOF OF PAYMENTS MUST BE UNDER THIS NAME**

**Primary Contact (first name / last name)** (if different from above):

**Mailing Address:** **City/Town:** **Prov:** **Postal Code:**

AB

**Telephone Number:** **Cell Number:** **Fax:** **Email address:**

**Municipality:** **Legal Land Location of HOME YARD:**

QTR \_\_\_\_\_ - SEC \_\_\_\_\_ - TWP \_\_\_\_\_ - RGE \_\_\_\_\_ - MER \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Start Date:** **April 1, 2018** **Project End Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**If your project is approved, only expenses paid for after April 1, 2018 will be eligible.**

- ☐ A copy of my Alberta Environmental Farm Plan (EFP) letter of completion or certificate is attached with this application
- ☐ I will submit a copy of my Alberta Environmental Farm Plan (EFP) letter of completion or certificate with my Reimbursement Claim Form
- Applications will be reviewed without a current EFP, however a current EFP is required, the EFP must be completed before the end of the project and a copy of the letter of completion or certificate must be submitted to be eligible for grant reimbursement.

**Cost Share:** Cost shares for this program are 50% of eligible expenses up to a grant maximum of \$250,000. Your application will be reviewed as outlined in [to be entered in] of the Program Terms and Conditions.

**Is this project:**

☐ Retrofit ☐ New ☐ Both

## Tips for Completing Part 2: Estimated Project Budget

- Any items you expect to receive an invoice, sales agreement, receipt or similar type of document should be included as an Estimated Expense.
- All project activities (labour, construction, purchases, invoice dates, etc.) must occur between April 1, 2018 and end date as written on page 1.
- Estimated Completion Date means the date you expect to have that activity completed or that item purchased. All Estimated Completion Dates must be before your project end date (on page 1).
- A detailed breakdown of eligible expenses and copies of quotes **must be attached**. *Quotes help clarify your project details and the nature of your funding request. Do not* send original quotes or invoices – copies only please.
  - Quotes AND the application form budget (page 3) must breakdown the individual items
    - Application forms listing “Grain Dryer” as the expense will be sent back to the applicant to be broken out, and will not hold their place in the queue.
  - Include spec sheets showing equipment’s efficiency rating where possible.
- Refer to funding list for a full list of currently eligible and ineligible items.

If approved for grant funding, final reimbursement claim forms will be due at a date set in your Approval Letter.

The **Efficient Grain Dryer** Program is an energy efficiency program intended to assist producers with reducing the overall energy use on their operations. The program can only fund equipment that shows a significant energy efficiency improvement over standard practice. Aeration fans and ducts, supplemental bin heaters, grain elevators and conveyors, hopper bins, and standard grain dryer configurations, are all important tools in managing grain storage. Unfortunately, however, these are standard equipment and none of them are premium-efficiency options and therefore **DO NOT** meet the requirements of the program on their own.

Grain dryer and grain drying system components that significantly improve energy efficiency above standard configuration are eligible under the program. These components can be factory options on new equipment or retrofits installed on existing equipment.

See the full funding list on our website: [www.cap.alberta.ca](http://www.cap.alberta.ca)

**Eligible grain drying components may include (but is not limited to):**

- ✓ Enclosed Dryer Roof, or Enclosed Dryer Top Cover
- ✓ Automatic Moisture-based Controllers
- ✓ High-Efficiency Burners
- ✓ Variable Speed Drives (VSD) for Electric Motors
- ✓ PTO to Electric Motor Conversion
- ✓ Insulated Plenums
- ✓ Exhaust Air Recirculation Systems
- ✓ Heat Exchangers
- ✓ Gravity-Fill Roofs
- ✓ Electrical or Gas Submeters on Dryers
- ✓ Temperature And Moisture Monitoring Cables For In-Bin Drying Systems
- ✓ Thermostats Or Thermometers For Plenum Or Burner Temperature Control On In-Bin Drying Systems
- ✓ Adapter Plates For Efficiently Fitting External Heaters To In-Bin Drying Systems

**Items that are NOT ELIGIBLE:**

- ✗ Aeration Fans and Ducts
- ✗ Supplemental Bin Heaters
- ✗ Grain Elevators and Conveyors
- ✗ Grain Legs or Grain Pumps
- ✗ Hopper Bins
- ✗ Conversion from Propane to Natural Gas
- ✗ Standard Grain Dryer Configurations
- ✗ Additional Tiers
- ✗ Readers, Software, or Data Subscriptions for Interfacing with Moisture and Temperature Cables
- ✗ Other “business as usual” items
- ✗ Installation and labour costs

These items **will not be funded** and should not be included in your application.

**If you are retrofitting your dryer:**

**If this is a RETROFIT project (upgrading or replacing existing equipment), please note that you may need to provide information about the existing equipment in your final report.**

## Part 2: Estimated Project Budget

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE:** Expenses paid for prior to April 1, 2018 are *ineligible*. Only items listed as eligible items in the Funding List will be considered for funding\*\*

**Application forms listing "Grain Dryer" as the expense will be sent back to the applicant for items to be broken out, and will not hold their place in the queue**

Attach detailed quotes and spec sheets for each Eligible Expense listed. List all Eligible Expenses, which are included in the Funding List.

Attach more pages if necessary.

Item(s) Description (refer to items listed in Funding List)						
Item	Equipment Piece	Quantity	Make and Model	Energy Rating IF APPLICABLE. Include Units (kW/ Horsepower, GJ/ BTU)	Estimated Cost per Unit	Estimated Cost Total excluding GST
EG:	High Efficiency Burner	1	Acme SQDATV61HD	30,000 BTU		\$
1						\$
2						\$
3						\$
4						\$
5						\$
6						\$
7						\$
Total Estimated Cost excluding GST:						\$
Program Funding is 50% of Eligible Expenses						

**Part 3: Grant Funding Request Summary**

Has any other government funding been applied for or received regarding the expenses described in this application?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you received technical support for completing this application? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, list the organization/staff \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 4: Applicant Declaration**

**NOTE: PLEASE READ THIS CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING**

Statement of Certification:

I, \_\_\_\_\_ certify the following:

**Legal name of applicant or authorized representative of applicant**

- I am the applicant or authorized to complete this application on behalf of the applicant;
- I understand and agree to the Terms and Conditions of the Canadian Agricultural Partnership **Efficient Grain Dryer** Program (the "Program");
- I make all of the representations and warranties stated in Section 19.1 of the Program Terms and Conditions;
- I understand that if this application is accepted for grant funding of \$50,000 or less, any grant the applicant receives under the Program shall be governed by this Statement of Certification, the Program Terms and Conditions, and the Approval Letter;
- I understand that if this application is accepted for grant funding of more than \$50,000, the applicant will be required to enter into an executed agreement with the Minister of Agriculture and Forestry that sets out the terms and conditions for funding;
- I understand that not all of the activities and expenses included in this application may be approved as being eligible for funding, and that the approval letter or executed agreement will list the approved activities and expenses that the grant may be used for;
- I understand that funding for the Program is limited;
- I understand that applications under the Program will be processed as outlined in Section 4.1 of the Program Terms and Conditions;

I certify that the information provided in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, true, complete and correct.

**Legal Name of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

When complete, email or mail to:

[CAP.EGDP@gov.ab.ca](mailto:CAP.EGDP@gov.ab.ca)

**Efficient Grain Dryer Program**

**Suite 302, 7000-113 Street NW**

**Edmonton, AB, T6H 5T6**

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Total Eligible for this Grant:	Verified by:	Verified by Signature:	Date Approved: