

ABOUT ICIS

The Integrated Cadastral Information Society or ICIS is a non-profit society incorporated in May 2001 as a collaboration between Local Government, Provincial Government and the major Utility companies in British Columbia.

ICIS members are dedicated to the 'collaborative sharing and integration of spatial data for the economic and social benefit of British Columbia.'

ICIS continues to work with the membership through BC Spatial and the CivicSpatial Grant Program to improve the accuracy and content of member data.

As an ICIS Local Government member

your active participation in supporting the ICIS vision is key to the success and value of the society. Essential to this is your commitment to contribute spatial data for the benefit of all ICIS members.

ICIS appreciates and values your commitment by offering support to our Local Government members with:

- Financial support from the CivicSpatial funding program created exclusively for ICIS Local Government members.
- On-site technical support to implement automatic data delivery processes tailored to your current organizational and technical capacity.

Now ICIS has combined these support options into a single package. To help implement new data delivery processes, grant funding of **\$1,500** is available to Local Government members through the CivicSpatial Grant Program to offset any costs associated with implementing automated data submissions in ICIS standard data scheme.

For more information on these new automated processes, please check out the [ICIS Data Delivery Automation Guide](#) on the ICIS website.

This initiative will provide great value to other ICIS members who rely on accessible, current data.

Harry Mercer, VP Business and Customer Services for BC Assessment Authority confirms this value, as the currency of spatial data "helps ensure that BC Assessment provides reliable and equitable assessments of properties throughout BC and in turn allows Local Government to establish a complete tax base that equitably distributes taxes across its property owners."

BCHydro and other Utility members, such as TELUS, Shaw, Terasen and Spectra also rely on current data for effective decision-making to maintain and protect the vital services that they provide on a regional and provincial scale.



Provincial Government services also share in the data provided by Local Government members for integration with complimentary services and resources.

CivicSpatial grants are available to all Local Government ICIS members.

Please use the enclosed application to apply. Once the application has been approved, ICIS staff will contact you to arrange an on-site visit to streamline your data submissions.

**For additional information on the
CivicSpatial Grant Program please contact**

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**Apply Now for \$1,500
CivicSpatial Grant**



CIVICSPATIAL GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION ***CRD AUTO DELIVERY PILOT***

Name of Local Government:

Contact Name:

Contact Phone:

Contact E-Mail:

Project Type:

Commitment to frequent automated submission of data as changes occur.

Project Deliverables:

1. delivery of cadastral data in ICIS standard data scheme
2. submission of changed cadastral data at least once a month
3. implementation of automated process for data submission to ICIS (coordinated and assisted by ICIS)
4. data extraction and conversion scripts developed under this funding agreement

Amount of Grant: \$1,500

In-Kind Contribution:

Please complete the highlighted areas of this form, print and FAX to Ann Archibald at 250.370.0549