## Theme L: Funding

Funding can greatly assist with many activities from implementing management actions to supporting disaster relief.

## Strategy

## Identify Funding to Support Your Actions and Disaster Relief

✓ Before Drought

☐ Warning Signs

☐ During Drought

✓ After Drought

## Funding Programs

#### Municipal and Provincial

- Alberta Community Partnership
- Alberta Emergency Management Agency
- Office of the Fire Commissioner Grants
- Municipal Sustainability Initiative
- Grants in Place of Taxes (GIPOT)
- Watershed Resiliency and Restoration Program
- Agriculture Opportunities Fund
- Agriculture Financial Services Corporation

#### Federal

- Disaster Mitigation and Adaptation Fund
- Western Cattle Price Insurance Program
- Community Pasture Program
- AgriInsurance
- Canadian Agricultural Partnership
- Farm Debt Mediation Service
- Federation of Canadian Municipalities
- Federal Gas Tax Fund
- Federal Small Communities Fund
- Centre for Emergency Preparedness and Response
- Environmental Damages Fund
- AgriRecovery
- National Emergency Strategic Stockpile

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## Example

• Seed funding from Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration was key for Athabasca County to pilot its first truck fill station in 2003. The cost for each station ranged from \$80,000 to \$100,000, and the construction of the first site would likely not have been possible without external funding. Following the success of the first station and positive feedback, the municipality largely funded the development of additional sites.