



SUSTAINABILITY PROJECTS FUND ANNUAL REPORT

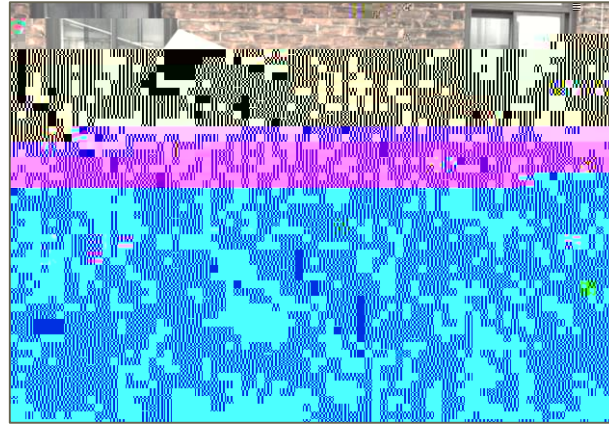
Fiscal Year 2019 (5/1/2018 – 4/30/2019)

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SPF AT-A-GLANCE

Since 2010

\$8 million allocated
to sustainability initiatives



216
Projects
approved

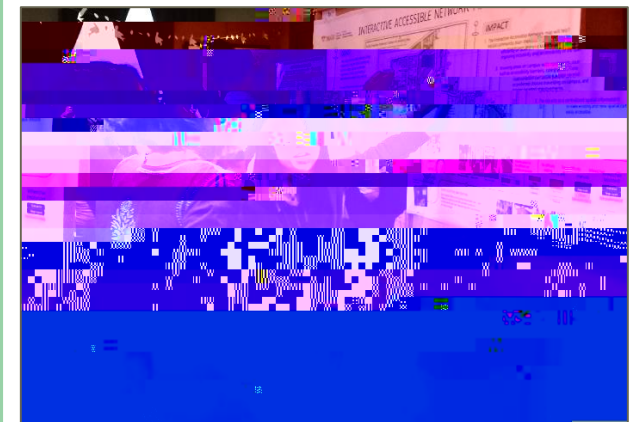


87%
of \$5,000+ projects are
Collaborative
between students and staff

4,150+
Volunteers
mobilized

7,160+
People trained

Budgets
range from **\$40** to
\$300,000



In FY19, the SPF was funded through a student fee of \$0.55

Over the lifetime of the Fund, 429

SP0198

Reusable Water Bottles for School of Religious Studies

\$208 Approved

Support for water bottles to reduce waste and
achieve a Sustainable Workplace Certification.

SP0199

Elimination of Water Bottles at IGSF

\$40 Approved

Under \$5,000 Stream (\$301 - \$5,000)

Over \$5,000 Stream (\$5,001+)

SP0192

Roots Coalition

\$5,454 Approved

Support to create a network of agriculture-related groups on the downtown campus to increase collaboration and share resources.

SP0195

Sustainable Athletics Intern

\$18,704 Approved

Support to hire interns to help implement the Athletics & Recreation Climate & Sustainability Action Plan.

SP0193

Interactive Accessibility Network Map

\$73,516 Approved

Support for the creation of an online, interactive campus map that shows accessible routes through the built environment.

SP0197

Athletics and Recreation Gator Replacement

\$7,139 Approved

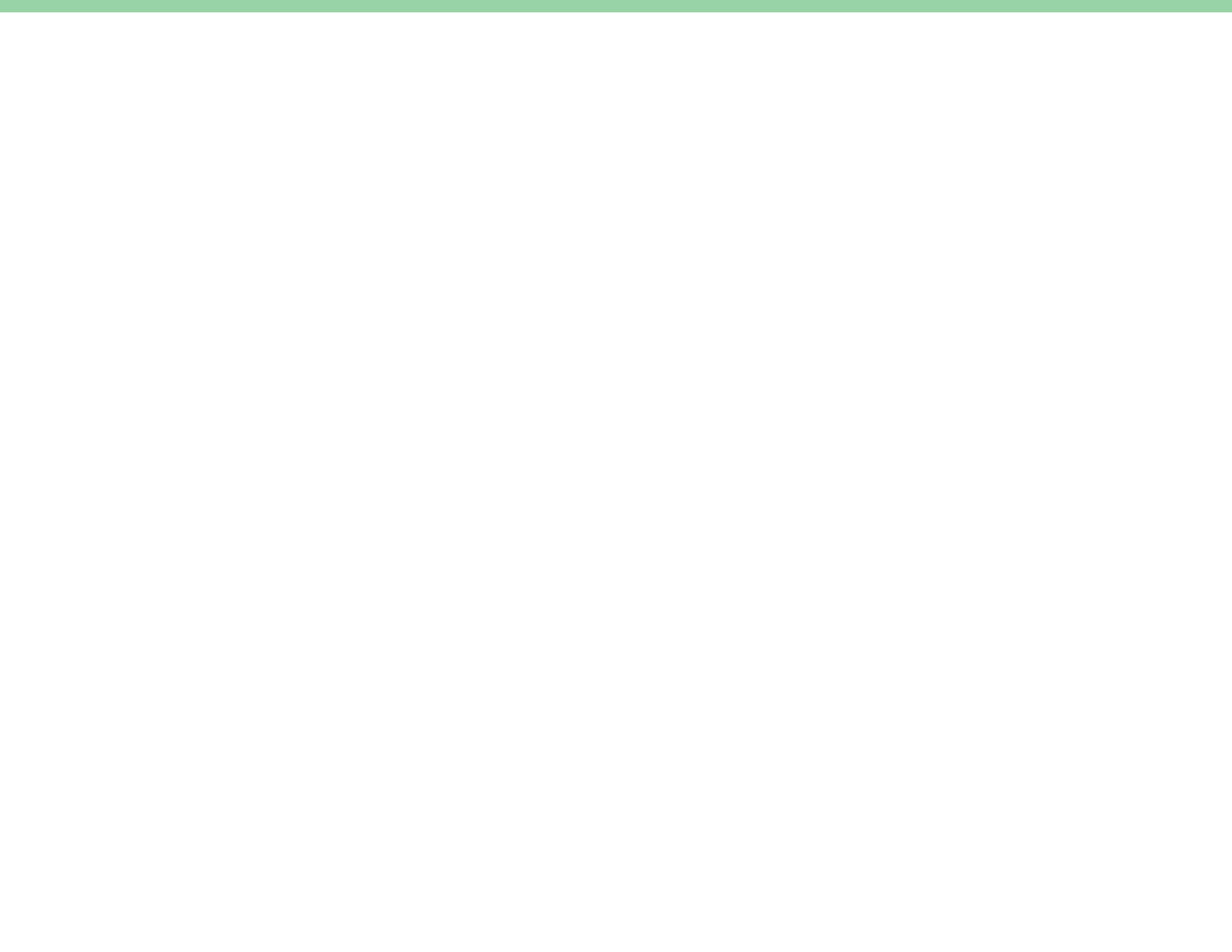
Support to subsidize the cost of to hire to herms0.hasi16(33 g)11(t)9(e)wul333 g0.3rhlap1(tion C)portcost of to the33

SP0206

Sign Better, Sort Better

\$13,245 Approved

Support to replace existing waste signage



FY2019 UPDATES

During FY2019, the SPF updated its application process in order to make it more accessible, transparent, and understandable by applicants. This included several elements: holding focus groups and consultations; transforming the evaluation criteria to new, eligibility and evaluation criteria with memorable key words; updating and simplifying the application forms while aligning them with the new criteria; introducing a new evaluation grid for Governance Council members; and streamlining and improving the SPF website and its resources for applicants. See these changes in action on our [How to Apply webpage](#).

Eligibility Criteria

At McGill	Needs Seed Funding
Sustainability Focused	Action Oriented

Evaluation Criteria

Analysis	Collaboration
Impact	Support
Feasibility	Capacity Building





On January 23, 2019, the Sustainability Projects Fund and McGill Sustainability Systems Initiative partnered to host a Sustainability Soirée celebrating sustainability projects and research at McGill. As part of the event, student researchers showcased their work alongside SPF funding recipients, who have implemented sustainability projects across campus. This event aimed to provide opportunities for shared learning and future

