



# MONTHLY BULLETIN

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## Business Funding Opportunities

### **Rural Development Ontario Program**

**The Rural Ontario Development Program consists of two different funding opportunities. One for non-profits, municipalities, and Indigenous communities, and the other for businesses that employ 1-20 individuals that have a single physical location. The next round of applications opens January 19, 2026.**

### **Ontario Trillium Grow Grant**

**The Ontario Trillium Grow Grant supports established programs and services that have a proven track record of success and meet community needs. Applicants can apply for funding to expand, improve or adapt an existing program or service.**

### **Digital Competence Centre**

**The DCC is dedicated to helping small and medium sized businesses expand their utilization of modern technology and digital tools to improve operations and remain competitive in a digital first economy. Applications are being accepted until funding is exhausted.**

Find links to these funding opportunities and more at our website [gedc.ca](http://gedc.ca), then follow the Lending and Funding tab to Funding Opportunities!

Due to unforeseen circumstances, GEDC's Fearless and Flawless event has been postponed. The new date is Thursday, November 27th from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and it will still be held at the Longlac Legion. We hope to see you there!



**POSTPONED UNTIL  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH**

**Special Guest - Denise Atkinson**  
Founder and CEO of Tea Horse & Tipi Horse Connects



If you would like to register for our 4th annual Fearless & Flawless, you may scan the QR code to the left and complete the online registration form. Alternatively, you can reach out to Avery at [reception@gedc.ca](mailto:reception@gedc.ca) or by calling (807) 854-2273 ext 21 and she would be happy to assist.

*"You don't have to be great to start, but you have to start to be great."*

- Zig Ziglar

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