

YOUR FUTURE IN FOOD

# BUSINESS PATHWAYS



*The Business Pathways circular will keep you up-to-date with food industry programs, events and resources*

## WHAT'S NEW?

The governments of Canada and Manitoba have announced a new \$221 million agreement for strategic agricultural initiatives in Manitoba under the new Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership (Sustainable CAP).

For more program information click [here](#).

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## FUNDING PROGRAMS

### Sustainable CAP Sustainable Agri-Processing Program

The Sustainable Agri-processing program supports the sustainability of Manitoba's agri-processing sector by assisting with studies and capital investment purchases that contribute to energy saving and Green House Gas (GHG) reduction; optimization of agri-inputs; reduction of water use and clarification of waste water; and the conversion of by-products and waste products to alternative value-added applications. There are four funding streams available for the Sustainable Agri-Processing Program:

- Build Envelope, Lighting and Ventilation Upgrades
- Input Use Efficiency
- Water Use Efficiency
- Waste Use Efficiency

For more information click [here](#).

## TRAINING & EVENTS

### MANITOBA AGRICULTURE

#### **Save the Date: Learn About the Sustainable Agri-Processing Program**

This webinar will provide you with an overview of the Sustainable Agri-Processing Program and each of the funding streams: Build Envelope, Lighting and Ventilation Upgrades, Input Use Efficiency, Water Use Efficiency and Waste Use Efficiency.

Date: June 29, 2023

Time: 10:00am - 11:00am

Location: Online

For more information, click [here](#).

#### **Save the Date: Learn How to Complete Your Sustainable Agri-Processing Program Application**

This webinar will provide you with insight into how to answer application questions, how applications will be assessed and additional tips on how to submit the best applications you can.

Date: June 30, 2023

Time: 10:00am - 11:00am

Location: Online

For more information, click [here](#).

## Sustainable CAP Food Safety and Traceability Program

The Food Safety and Traceability Program supports the agri-food and agri-product sectors to adopt or improve their food safety and traceability practices.

There are two funding streams available for the Food Safety and Traceability Program:

- Implement Support
- Pre-approved Food Safety and Traceability Equipment

For more information click [here](#).

## Export Support Program

The Export Support Programming supports Manitoba's small and medium-sized businesses to export and diversify markets for their products.

There are two funding streams available for the Export Support Program:

- Export Development
- Incoming Buyer Program

For more information click [here](#).

## Sustainable CAP Research and Innovation Program

The Sustainable CAP Research and Innovation program supports the development of science based solutions and tools that address known challenges, prepare for potential disruptions and climate threats, and capture emerging opportunities in the agriculture and agri-food sector.

There are two funding streams available for the Research and Innovation Program:

- Basic and Applied Research
- Capacity Building

For more information click [here](#).

## GLOBAL AFFAIRS CANADA

### Save the Date: Team Canada Trade Missions to India

Date: Week of October 9, 2023

Markets: India (Cities to be confirmed)

For more information and/or to access the link to the Expression of Interest Form see the attached email.

### Save the Date: Team Canada Trade Mission to Japan

Date: Week of October 29, 2023

Market: Japan (Cities to be confirmed)

For more information and/or to access the link to the Expression of Interest Form see the attached email.

## FOOD AND BEVERAGE MANITOBA

Check out Food and Beverage Manitoba's [Events Calendar](#) to identify training opportunities in the food processing industry.

## WORLD TRADE CENTER WINNIPEG

Check out World Trade Centre Winnipeg [Events Calendar](#) to identify business training opportunities.

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## RESOURCES

### Co-Packer Service Finder App

Manitoba Agriculture has recently released a Co-Packer Service Finder App. With over 65 Manitoba companies included, this user-friendly app can help streamline your co-packer search by allowing you to filter co-packers by type of product and packaging, making it easier and more efficient to find and assess potential food and beverage co-packers that will meet your processing needs in Manitoba.

Click on this [link](#) to check out our Co-packer Service Finder App.

## Agricultural Clean Technology: Research and Innovation Program

The new Agricultural Clean Technology (ACT) Program aims to create an enabling environment for the development of clean technology that will help drive the changes required to achieve low-carbon economy and promote sustainable growth in Canada's agriculture and agri-food sector.

For more information click [here](#).

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## EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

Floating Leaf Fine Foods is selling the following pieces of food equipment for sale:

- Conveyor
- Dual Weigh Right Packing Machine
- Single Weigh Right Packing Machine
- Turn Table
- Emplex Band Sealer
- Video Inkjet Coding Machine

For more information see the attached Excel document or call Murray Ratuski, President, Floating Leaf Fine Foods Inc. at 204-989-7696 Ext. 5.

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## Commercial Community Kitchens for Rent

Manitoba Agriculture has recently released an interactive Community Kitchen App that allows food processors to search for permitted processing facilities based on their unique processing equipment needs.

Click on this [link](#) to check out our Commercial Community Kitchen's for Rent App.

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## DID YOU KNOW?

Manitoba Agriculture has a YouTube channel with a dedicated section for food processors.

Click on this [link](#) to check out our Food Talk video on What Type of Processing Facility is Right for you.