



Ishpeming DDA

FAÇADE GRANT

The City of Ishpeming Downtown Development Authority (DDA) established the Façade Improvement Grant Program to utilize public funds to stimulate commercial investment. While the DDA does not mandate specific design criteria, it recognizes the importance of preserving the historic integrity of the downtown district. By enhancing the appearance of Ishpeming through this program, the community becomes more attractive to residents, tourists, and potential investors.

To further support local businesses, the DDA introduced a startup assistance grant specifically for restaurants, increasing the available funding for these establishments. Additionally, the original startup assistance grant remains available for all other businesses.

Maximum award:
\$20,000
for a single project



More information: ishpemingcity.org

The Façade grant funding will be allocated on an annual basis, starting January 1 and ending December 31. The grants are on a competitive, rolling basis.

To submit an application or for questions, contact the City Clerk at (906) 485-1091, EXT 203.