



**INFORMATION**

**LAKE SIMCOE  
CLEAN-UP  
FUND (LSCUF)**

**Call for Letters  
of Intent**

**Submission  
deadline  
January 26, 2009**

The \$30 million Fund will be administered by Environment Canada in consultation with key stakeholders. The Lake Simcoe Clean-Up Fund will be used to: reduce rural and urban pollution to cut phosphorous overloads; rehabilitate and provide stewardship of fish and wildlife habitats; improve information and monitoring for decision-making; and control pollution from sewage, sewer overflow and storm water. Those who can apply are landowners, environmental groups, community groups, small and medium sized businesses, stewardship networks, agriculture associations, industry, Conservation Authorities, and provincial/municipal governments.

If you are interested, email [lakesimcoefund@ec.gc.ca](mailto:lakesimcoefund@ec.gc.ca)

## OUR PROGRAMS ARE CLOSING

For Canada-Ontario Water Supply Program (COWSEP), your final report and claims should already be in our office... and for the Agricultural Management Institute (AMI) projects, all must be completed and submitted by **January 31, 2009**. The CanAdvance Program (Advancing Canadian Agriculture and Agri-Food [ACAAF]) is closing **March 31st**. There are still some funds available from CanAdvance on a first come-first served basis.



The Board of Directors and the Staff of the Agricultural Adaptation Council (AAC) would like to wish everyone a very successful and prosperous 2009.

Please remember that we are here to assist you on any of your project submissions... give us a call at: 519-822-7554

## FBIIF

The second call for proposal submission for the Food and Beverage Industry Innovation Fund has a deadline date of February 23, 2009.

For more information go to:

<http://www.adaptcouncil.org/apps/fbiif.asp>

- Now that all of the current AAC programs are coming to a close, it is time to take a few minutes and thank the Federal and Provincial Ministers for their governments' support over the past 13 years.
- Because of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture Food and Rural Affairs, the AAC has provided more than \$186 million to worthy projects. Both levels of government need to know that the funding was useful, timely and appreciated.



**Ag Day in Canada on January 28<sup>th</sup> 2009**

[http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/LearningCentre/ag\\_day\\_in\\_canada\\_e.asp](http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/LearningCentre/ag_day_in_canada_e.asp)

Agricultural Adaptation Council (AAC) is a non-profit coalition of 73 Ontario agricultural, agri-food and rural organizations. The diverse membership of the AAC represents the agriculture and agri-food industry both regionally and by sector.

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