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Funding for Agricultural Plastics Recycling Pilot Project Announced

The Agricultural Plastics Recycling Group (APRG) received \$750,000 from Alberta Agriculture and Forestry for three-year pilot

On January 21, 2019, Alberta Agriculture and Forestry **announced** a \$750,000 grant for the Alberta Agricultural Plastics Recycling Pilot Program. The three-year pilot will target recycling grain bags and twine, as well as research on uses for other recycled agricultural plastics. Moving forward, the APRG will hire a program operator to collect and recycle the grain bags and twine.

Municipalities interested in hosting collection sites are encouraged to watch for future announcements through *Contact* or contact the RMA staff listed below.

The APRG is made up of over 20 stakeholder groups representing municipalities, agricultural producers, non-profits, recyclers, and retailers, including RMA. For a full list of members or more information [click here](#).

For more information on the Government of Alberta's announcement [click here](#) or contact the RMA staff listed below.

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