

The objective of establishing the Recycling Fund is to promote recovery and recycling of waste into useful resources and products by facilitating the upgrading of operational capabilities and efficiency in the recycling industry to support its sustainable development. The Recycling Fund comprises two programmes, namely Enterprise Support Programme and Industry Support Programme, providing funding support to eligible enterprises and non-profit distributing organisations respectively. The Hong Kong Productivity Council serves as the implementation partner as well as the secretariat.



**\$2 billion  
Recycling Fund**

**Open for application  
all year round**



### Enterprise Support Programme

Subsidise recyclers to upgrade and expand recycling operations and produce recycled products



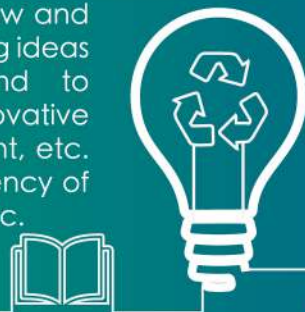
### Industry Support Programme

Provide funding support for non-profit distributing organisations to undertake projects for enhancing the operational standards and productivity of the recycling industry as a whole



### Solicitation Theme on Projects from New and Start-up Enterprises

To support and accelerate new and start-up enterprise on executing ideas in recycling businesses; and to encourage adoption of innovative technologies, ideas, equipment, etc. to facilitate or enhance efficiency of recycling related operations etc.



### Solicitation Theme on Supporting Residential Buildings in Adopting Smart Bins Technology in Food Waste Collection and Recycling

To encourage and facilitate food waste collection and recycling in residential buildings; to enhance the collection efficiency of food waste by using smart bins collection; and to raise awareness of residents



### Standard Project - \$1M

Subsidise recyclers to purchase prescribed machineries etc. to upgrade their capability in processing recyclables (including waste paper, plastics, metals, food waste and waste wood)



### Relocation Rental Support Project

Encourage recyclers to relocate from existing operation sites including street-corner shops and other improper sites to appropriate operation sites such as industrial buildings or lands zoned for industrial purpose



# Programme Summary

## Enterprise Support Programme (ESP)

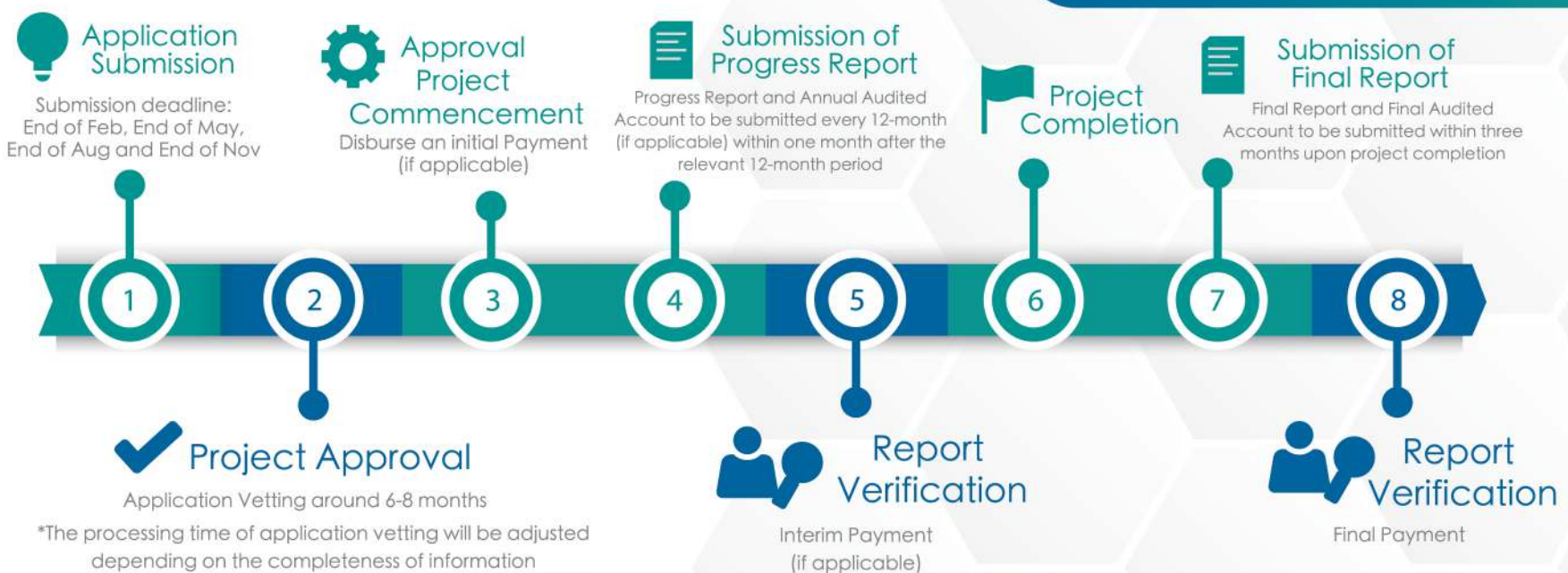
## Industry Support Programme (ISP)

	Enterprise Support Programme (ESP)	Standard Project (SP)	Relocation Rental Support Project (RRSP)	Solicitation Theme on Projects from New and Start-up Enterprises (SUP)	Industry Support Programme (ISP)	Solicitation Theme on Supporting Residential Buildings in Adopting Smart Bins Technology in Food Waste Collection and Recycling (RSB)
<b>Eligibility</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any Enterprise which has been duly established, incorporated and registered under the laws of Hong Kong and has substantive business operation in Hong Kong; and</li> <li>At least 1 year of experience in recycling related operation</li> </ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any Enterprise which has been duly established, incorporated and registered under the laws of Hong Kong; and</li> <li>Companies that are newly set up or have been established for not more than 5 years</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local registered non-profit-distributing organisations (NPO)*, such as professional bodies, trade and industry organisations, research institutes or other industrial support organisations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Incorporated Owners or Owners' Corporation</li> <li>Owners' Committee (OC), owners' organisations (OO) or residents' organisations (RO) of residential buildings. OC, OO or RO should authorize the property management company to act as the applicant on their behalf</li> <li>Property management companies acting on behalf of the RO of residential buildings are also eligible</li> </ul>
	Or <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bodies and organisations with close connection to the recycling industry including property management companies and Owners' Corporations</li> </ul>	Or <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local manufacturers who have been using local recyclables as raw materials to make plastic or paper products</li> </ul>	And <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enterprises should be already occupying the existing operation sites for at least 1 year</li> </ul>			
<b>Funding Limits</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to 50% of approved expenditure items</li> <li>Maximum 10 approved projects per enterprise</li> <li>Cumulative funding ceiling is HK\$15 million per enterprise</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to 100% of approved expenditure items.</li> </ul>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to HK\$15 million per application</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to HK\$1 million per application</li> <li>Cumulative funding ceiling is HK\$2 million per enterprise</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to HK\$15 million per application</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to HK\$2 million per application</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to HK\$15 million per application</li> <li>Up to 10 approved projects and HK\$30 million within a period of 5 years</li> <li>Cumulative funding ceiling is HK\$30 million per NPO</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding up to HK\$2.5 million per application</li> </ul>
<b>Project Duration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 - 4 years</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum 1 year<sup>#</sup></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum 4 years</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum half year - 2 years</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No limitation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 - 4 years (including preparation work)</li> </ul>

\* NPO refer to organisations which do not distribute profits to their directors, shareholders, employees or any other persons. The applicant organisations shall either be statutory organisations or organisations duly established, incorporated and registered under the laws of Hong Kong.

# Project duration could be extended to 2 years for projects arranging staff to attend training courses.

## Application and Fund Disbursement process



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