

Alberta Breed Improvement Program (Thoroughbred) HRA Approved Budget		\$2,829,990	\$2,802,244
		2025	2026
		Final	Final
Association and Related Support		\$421,000	\$422,000
1	Operational grants, for sales promotion, sponsorships, specialized publications such as Stallion Directories, Statistical Reviews, and Administration. (\$185,000 to be invoiced by CTHS, \$150,000 to be invoiced by HBPA, and \$50,000 to be invoiced by ACTRA).	\$385,000	\$385,000
2	Awards Night support for trophy sponsorship, plaques etc. (\$12,000 to be invoiced by CTHS and \$5,000 to be invoiced by ACTRA)	\$16,000	\$17,000
3	Alberta Fall Classic Sponsorship (to be invoiced by CTHS)	\$20,000	\$20,000
Breeding Support			
Owners’ Breeding Support		\$1,397,495	\$1,383,122
4	Owners of horses of all ages foaled in Alberta placing win, place and show in all sanctioned races in Alberta having a minimum \$9,000 purse and where entered at or above a minimum \$6,250 Claiming Price (to be invoiced by HBPA). The Bonus will be paid after the conclusion of the Alberta racing season. Bonuses will not be paid for eligible races that have four (4) or less starters, the CTHS Sales Stakes, Alberta Sires Stakes or races restricted to Alberta breds. Community Stakes Races which will be paid out of item 7.	\$597,495	\$597,495
5	Owners of horses of all ages foaled in Alberta placing 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in Allowance races with purses over \$40,000 CDN or Open Stakes races with a purse of \$50,000 CDN or over across North America will receive a 20% bonus to a maximum payout of \$7,500 per star on the horse’s earnings. The race must have more than four (4) starters. The Bonus will be paid at the end of the Alberta Racing Season. The Bonus is limited to a maximum of \$15,000 per horse in 2025. Any unused funds from this program will be reallocated to the Owners’ Bonus described in Item 4.	\$30,000	\$15,627
6	To fund the purses of Alberta Bred Restricted Races and to be invoiced by HBPA. Any funding not utilized during 2025 will be added to the Owners bonus in Item 4.	\$100,000	\$100,000
7	Owners of horses of all ages foaled in Alberta placing win, place and show in Community Stakes Races excluding Alberta Bred Restricted races. The bonus will be paid after the conclusion of the Alberta racing season. However, the payout timing and amount will be at the discretion of ACTRA.	\$25,000	\$25,000
8	Alberta Breeders’ Fall Classic purses (The races will carry a minimum purse of \$60,000 with the BIP funding shortfall being contributed through the race nominations and the purse pool)	\$375,000	\$375,000
9	Community Racing Alberta Bred Stakes purses.	\$100,000	\$100,000
10	Alberta Yearling Sales Stakes Races for 2-year olds and 3 & 4 - year old (to be invoiced by HPBA)	\$160,000	\$160,000
11	ACTRA Alberta Sales Stakes Races for 3,4, and 5 year olds	\$10,000	\$10,000
Breeders Support		\$911,495	\$897,122
12	Breeders of horses of all ages foaled in Alberta placing win, place and show in all sanctioned races in Alberta having a minimum \$9,000 purse and where entered at or above a minimum \$6,250 Claiming Price. The Bonus will be paid after the conclusion of the Alberta racing season (to be invoiced by the CTHS). Bonuses will not be paid for eligible races that have four (4) or less starters unless it is an Open Stakes Race, the CTHS Sales Stake, or Stakes Race restricted to Alberta breds.	\$691,495	\$691,495
13	Breeders of horses of all ages foaled in Alberta placing 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in Allowance races with purses over \$40,000 CDN or Open Stakes races with a purse of \$50,000 CDN or over, across North America will receive a 20% bonus to a maximum payout of \$7,500 per start on the horse’s earnings. The race must have more than four (4) starters. The Bonus will be paid at the end of the Alberta Racing Season. The Bonus is limited to a maximum of \$15,000 per horse in 2025. Any unused funds from this program will be reallocated to the Breeder’ Bonus described in Item 12.	\$30,000	\$15,627
14	Foal Incentive Program, Mare Purchase Program and Yearling Purchase Program. Any unused funds from these programs will be reallocated to the Breeders Bonus in Item 12.	\$190,000	\$190,000
Stallion Owners’ Breeding Awards		\$100,000	\$100,000
15	Stallion bonus will be paid proportionately to Stallion owners whose Stallions have eligible Alberta Thoroughbred progeny with earnings of \$10,000 or greater during the calendar year. Stallions must have stood in the Province of Alberta for the entire calendar year of conception for each year’s crop to be eligible.	\$100,000	\$100,000
Total Breeding Support		\$2,408,990	\$2,380,244
Total Pool		\$2,829,990	\$2,802,244