

2012 Shared Success Grants

Vancity Credit Union



Cooperative Principles & Practices:

Organization Name	Grant amount	Name of Project	Project Summary
Afghan Women's Sewing and Craft Co-operative	10,000.00	Malalay Project	To deliver skills training to Afghan women who are members of the co-op so they can gain long term employment.
BC Co-operative Association	100,000.00	BCCA Co-op Development Partnership	To provide the association with funding for their co-op development work in strategic and emerging sectors.
BC Co-operative Association	5,000.00	United Nations International Year of Co-ops 2012	To contribute to projects being organized during the UN International Year of Co-operatives in 2012.
BC Co-operative Association	3,000.00	Co-operative City Conference	To support a conference to showcase co-operatives in strengthening key sectors & essential services and improving quality of citizens' lives.
BC Co-operative Association	200.00	CAMP YES	To support CAMP YES at the BC Co-operative Association.
BC Council for International Co-operation	2,000.00	Navigating Borders-Migration and Global Poverty	To provide support for this university conference to mark World Food Day and International Day for Eradication of Poverty.
Canadian Co-operative Association	10,000.00	National Co-op Loan	To review the opportunity to create a national co-op loan and technology fund.
Canadian Worker Co-operative Federation	3,000.00	CWCF Annual Conference and AGM	To support CWCF's annual conference and AGM focused on having worker co-ops help each other, and having CWCF help them as much as possible.
City Harvest Co-operative	10,000.00	Strategic Business Plan Development	To support the co-op to develop a strategic and comprehensive business plan to expand their land and labour base, and/or find a new revenue sources.
Co-operative Development Foundation of Canada	250,000.00	Build a Better World Campaign	To contribute to the Foundation's goal of raising \$12 million for global co-operative development over the next four years.
CoopZone	6,500.00	Co-operative Development Training Programs	To provide bursaries for co-op developers to attend three training programs including a foundation program, an advanced program, and a new Basic Introduction Program.
East End Food Co-op	2,000.00	Imagine 2012 International Conference	Bursary to support members to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics & the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives in Quebec City.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	3,600.00	Seed Co-op Project	To assess the viability of the establishment of the seed co-op, which will address the need for an increase in quality & quantity of locally grown and adapted seed.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	5,000.00	2012 BC Seeds Gathering	Gathering of small-scale seed growers, community leaders, seed networks and urban farmers from all over BC coming together to clean, test, learn and share experiences with an ultimate goal of creating a BC Seeds producer co-operative.
Glen Valley Organic Food Co-op	14,240.00	Flood Relief for Glen Valley Organic Farm Co-op	To provide matching funding of up to \$15,000 for the farm co-op, which was hit by heavy flooding.

Maples Discovery Gardens Co-op	20,000.00	Maple Discovery Gardens	To support renovations and revitalization of community kitchen, workshop and staff wages.
Metro Vancouver City Farms	7,500.00	Incorporation as a co-operative	To support 7 local urban farms to incorporate as a for profit cooperative and develop a business plan. This grant will provide the funds to hire a co-op developer and pay the required incorporation fees.
Modo The Car Co-op	2,000.00	Imagine 2012 International Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Mount Pleasant Food Co-op	2,000.00	Imagine 2012 International Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Mount Pleasant Food Co-op	2,300.00	Incorporation of the Mount Pleasant Food Co-op	To support the creation of this cooperative.
O.U.R. Ecovillage	2,000.00	Imagine 2012 International Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
O.U.R. Ecovillage	2,100.00	Organizational Transformation	To support the transformation of a multi-stakeholder for-profit co-op into a non-profit community services co-op.
Okanagan Car Share Co-op	2,500.00	Business Plan for Okanagan Car Share Co-op	To develop a business plan to support the expansion, promotion, and educational aspects of the co-op.
Shift Delivery Co-op	20,000.00	Fleet Investment	To replace truck and other conventional deliveries with sustainable cargo trike deliveries.
Shift Delivery Co-op	100.00	Social Enterprise Bursary	To provide a small bursary to the co-op for a social enterprise bursary program.
United Community Services Co-op	2,000.00	Imagine 2012 International Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Vancouver Tool Library Co-operative	15,000.00	Collective Research Program	A multi-staged research program which aims to uncover the sharing already taking place and identify opportunities for increased sharing activities.
Vancouver Tool Library Co-operative	7,500.00	The Vancouver Tool Library	To support a co-operative tool lending library that reduces redundancy in tool ownership, eliminates financial barriers to tool access, builds community around a collectively-owned resource and educates members through workshops.
Viridian Energy Co-operative	2,000.00	Incorporation of Viridian Energy Co-operative	To support the organization to incorporate as a co-op to provide renewable energy and energy recovery options to industrial, agricultural, public sector, commercial & residential clients.
Yarrow Ecovillage Society Co-operative	5,000.00	Renovation support	To support the organization to obtain, move and renovate a barn to their farm site.
TOTAL	516,540.00		

Social Justice & Financial Inclusion:

Organization Name	Grant amount	Name of Project	Project Summary
Abbotsford Community Services	1,750.00	Cultural Diversity Awards	To support the diversity awards ceremony held by the Abbotsford Community Services. The ceremony recognizes the best practices of Fraser Valley organizations, initiatives and businesses in the community.
Abbotsford Community Services	10,000.00	Abbotsford Works	To support the organization to set up a website and translation services for marketing materials that will help clients in acquiring and sustaining employment through employment support and services.
Abbotsford Community Services	7,500.00	Diversity and Food Security	To support a series of food security classes at the Abbotsford Community Kitchen. The series targets marginalized, low income, immigrant populations while emphasizing financial literacy related to food.
Abbotsford Community Services	10,000.00	Enhanced Education & Pre-employment Skills Support	A project which offers education support and pre-employment skills for marginalized youth aged 16-18 years at Autumn House in Abbotsford.
Abbotsford Farm and Country Market Society	10,000.00	Update and rebrand	To update mission statement, re-brand and update the marketing materials to differentiate the market from competition.
Abbotsford Hospice Society	5,000.00	Enchanted fundraiser	To raise funds to support the construction of the Holmberg house, the first adult hospice in Abbotsford.
Aboriginal Agricultural Education Society of BC	10,000.00	Careers in Agriculture and Agri-food industry	A 16 week work training program in Cooking Basics and Horticulture for 10 - 15 Aboriginal youth who face multiple barriers to employment.
Aboriginal Financial Officers Association of BC	25,000.00	Financial Literacy Training Materials	To develop and test financial literacy training materials.
Aboriginal Housing Management Association	30,000.00	2012 World Indigenous Housing Conference	To support this housing conference being held in Vancouver
Aboriginal Mother Centre Society	25,000.00	Mama's Wall Street Studio Re-Launch	To support the Mama's Wall Street Studio, a social enterprise of the Aboriginal Mother Centre Society.
Aboriginal Tourism Association of BC	25,000.00	Development of Klahowya Village Project	To support a social enterprise strategy which creates a cohesive, branded, and viable visitor experience, merging traditional artisan village elements with contemporary Aboriginal experiences.
ACORN	322,000.00	Free Income Tax Sites	To support volunteers to do income tax returns for low and moderate income people and connect them to other services including social services and skills training.
Ama Liisaos Heritage Trust Society	500.00	Family Ties Aboriginal Genealogy Co-operative	To provide sponsorship for this event.
Artisan Farmers Market Society	7,000.00	Artisan Market Sustainability	To support the Board's work to engage business sectors to network, learn, and act individually and collectively to advance sustainable business values.
Arts in Action Society	7,500.00	In the House Festival	To help expand the programming to be able to produce shows and events for organizations, businesses and private parties.

Arts in Action Society	2,000.00	Production of the House of Forsaken Gods	To support a Halloween show which focuses on community building.
Artspoints Rewards International Inc.	11,295.20	Artspoints Rewards International Inc.	To support the creation of this initiative, including legal fees incurred.
Ashoka Canada	15,000.00	BC Ideas for Social Innovation	To provide 3 \$5000 investment prizes to each of the top three entries.
Association of Neighbourhood Houses	10,000.00	Career and Education Exploration	To offer a program for at-risk youth who are experiencing barriers to employment and/or schooling, including language, socio-economic, cultural, ability/disability, and lifestyle.
Associazione Alpini di Vancouver	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Atira Women's Resource Society	5,000.00	Enterprising Women Making Art (EWMA)	To support the self-employment of women impacted by violence and who face barriers to traditional employment.
Atira Women's Resource Society	12,000.00	Support for EWMA Studio	To provide financial literacy to women working through the studio program, and will also provide a small amount of ready loan funds for the women who aren't yet bankable.
Atira Women's Resource Society	1,000.00	Donation in Lieu of Golf Tournament	To support their annual golf tournament, Golf for Good.
Atira Women's Resource Society	3,200.00	Telling Her Stories of Food	As part of "Heart of the City," EWMA will create 3 sidewalk panels depicting the relationship of inner city women living in poverty to food security issues.
BALLE	15,000.00	Case Studies	To support a case study that features strategies for unleashing local money to build local economies, and is appropriate for businesses looking for capital, local economy conveners, community investors, foundations, bankers, professionals, etc.
BC Aboriginal Foundation	50,000.00	Enhancing Self-Sufficiency & Sustainability	To support this breakfast conference in which sustainability experts, politicians, and SME's will discuss the green economy and sustainability.
BC Achievement Foundation	5,000.00	BC Aboriginal Business Awards	To support annual business awards.
BC Association of Aboriginal Friendship Centres	45,000.00	Aboriginal Social Impact Bond	To support the development and feasibility of a social impact bond initiative.
BC Association of Aboriginal Friendship Centres	7,500.00	Aboriginal Social Innovation Conference	A two-day conference bringing together innovators from Aboriginal communities across BC and social & economic innovators from a broad range of sectors to build social entrepreneurship and social innovation capacity with BC First Nations communities.
BC Families in Transition	90,000.00	Business Model Development	To support office relocation.
BC Federation of Labour	15,000.00	Labour Community Christmas Dinner	
BC Golf House Society	4,000.00	BC Golf House Museum	Funds are used to help support the cost for updating or repairing the displays in the BC Golf Museum, which houses an extensive collection for the BC Golf Hall of Fame.
BC Law Institute	5,000.00	BC Law Institute Elders Conference	For the Canadian conference on Elder Law.

BC Non-Profit Housing Association	15,000.00	20th Annual Conference & Trade Show	To sponsor this event.
BC SPCA	33,000.00	SPCA Branded Pet Food Business Plan Completion	To help BC SPCA to complete business plan for the SPCA Branded Pet Food social enterprise, this will enable them to move ahead with securing funds to launch the initiative.
BCIT Applied Research Liaison Office	1,000.00	BCIT Advancing IDEAS Event	Advancing IDEAS will have a networking focus and an educational focus where entrepreneurs can hear from other business owners who have successfully grown their companies in BC.
BCIT Foundation	500.00	B-Hive Purchasing Portal	To build a portal to facilitate purchasing decisions of products, services from Vancity business and social enterprise members.
Beauty Night Society	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Big Brothers Big Sisters Abbotsford	10,000.00	Mentoring Children in School	To support an in-school mentoring program for vulnerable youth.
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley	10,000.00	In School Mentoring	To support an in-school mentoring program for vulnerable youth.
Big Sisters of BC Lower Mainland	10,000.00	Study Buddy	A mentorship program where volunteers offer educational support and academic assistance to girls who are referred and who demonstrate a need for academic support who cannot access one to one tutoring due to financial constraints.
Bill Reid Trust	1,568.00	Launch of the Urban Spirit Foundation	To support these two organizations.
Blind Beginnings Society	10,000.00	Youth Leadership Network	To support the Leadership in Action program which provides trained youth leaders with opportunities to put their team skills, leadership skills and public speaking abilities in practice over 10 month period.
Blue Heron Charitable Foundation	10,000.00	Expansion of Solefood Farms	Funds will be used to support Solefood Farms.
Board of Ed School District No 36 Surrey	10,000.00	Vancity Floral Design Project	Floral Design pre-employment training program for at-risk you to assist in gainful employment or high school diploma completion.
Board of Education SD 44 North Vancouver	5,000.00	Boys & Girls Groups of Carson Graham Secondary	To offer a weekly educational, self awareness and skill development program to assist at risk youth.
Building Community Society	15,000.00	W2 Community Media Arts Centre	To support strategic planning and recovery strategy framework.
Burnaby Community Connections	10,000.00	Burnaby Task Force on Homelessness	To support homelessness connect week, plus other supports to address homelessness.
Burnaby Hospital Foundation	10,000.00	Burnaby Mental Health Assertive Case Management	To support mental health clients to become more self-reliant through referrals to subsidized housing, employment training and other support services.
Burnaby MoreSports Society	7,500.00	Youth Engage Learn Lead	For the YELL (Youth Engage Learn Lead) program which is mentoring and leadership training for youth to coach and work with children.
Cameray Community Fund	10,000.00	ACTS Mentorship Program	To coordinate and facilitate a youth one-on-one mentorship program which trains 8 high school youth to mentor and tutor elementary students through the homework club as they transition into high school.
Camosun College Foundation	750.00	National Aboriginal Day	The college is co-hosting an event in recognition of National Aboriginal Day.

CAMP YES	50,000.00	CAMP YES	Funds to support CAMP YES.
Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives	30,000.00	Poverty Reduction Coalition	Renewed support for ongoing work of the Coalition.
Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives	2,500.00	Remaining Light: Seniors' Outreach and Advocacy	A project to convene a network of community based seniors' organizations, service providers and advocacy groups to allow them to build relationships and alliances, share knowledge and work towards improvements to seniors' community based care.
Canadian Cohousing Network	1,881.60	Bursaries	To provide bursaries to attend the 2012 BCNPHA Annual Conference and Trade Show.
Canadian Mental Health Association	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Canadian Organic Growers-Island Natural Growers	4,100.00	Let's Grow	To deploy these apartment gardens to low income families and provide workshops to improve gardening skills.
Canadian Senior Cohousing Society	2,500.00	Active Aging in Community Study Group Delivery	To deliver an experiential learning tool which focusses on successful aging strategies for Canadians: including housing, financial choices, living with a lower environmental footprint, and finding community resources.
Canadian West Coast Chapter PMI	9,917.00	Business Development Feasibility	To support the work of this organization.
Carnegie Community Centre Association	25,000.00	Carnegie Community Action Project	Renewed support for the ongoing work of the Carnegie Community, particularly now as participants are in the Local Area Planning Process.
Carnegie Community Centre Association	10,000.00	Carnegie Small Artists Support	Renewed support for the ongoing work of the Carnegie Small Artists project.
Carnegie Community Centre Association	10,000.00	Arts - Small Grants Program	To support and build the capacity of the community residents who are emerging or existing artists.
Centre for Arts, Ecology, & Agriculture	25,000.00	Centre for Arts, Ecology, & Agriculture	To develop more sophisticated marketing and communications capacity.
Certified Organic Associations of BC	10,000.00	Sector Journal, Annual Conference	To support the association's activities, particularly the sector journal, BC Organic Grower, and the annual conference and website.
Change the World Foundation	10,000.00	Client Care Program	To deliver a program this provides coaching clients through identifying their individual barriers (employment training, job interview skills, etc...) and plausible solutions.
Changemakers Toolbox Coaching Services	1,500.00	Ubizo: Business Success for Local Change	To support a business development conference for locally owned business owners and social enterprises.
Chief Robert Joseph and Associates	2,500.00	Bright New Day Reconciliation, Squamish	Brings Aboriginal and non Aboriginal people together to tell stories, imagine a future together and take action towards reconciliation.
Chief Robert Joseph and Associates	2,500.00	Bright New Day Reconciliation, Musqueam	Brings Aboriginal and non Aboriginal people together to tell stories, imagine a future together and take action towards reconciliation.
Children of the Street Society	6,500.00	Youth Art Engagement Project	To engage at-risk youth in the creation of a social justice artwork aimed at raising awareness about sexual exploitation while fostering youth leadership.
Chilliwack Community Services	10,000.00	Family Literacy Programs	To provide adult education courses, financial literacy workshops and pre-employment training.
Chilliwack Farmers Market	10,000.00	Chilliwack Farmers Market	To work with farmers and vendors to expand awareness, access and variety of products to the public through strategic marketing and fundraising with local businesses.

Chilliwack Housing for the Homeless Foundation	10,000.00	Housing for the Homeless	Organization provides sustainable housing for individuals with issues such as poor mental health and addictions. Funds will be used as seed money to hire an individual to do feasibility studies for future housing projects.
Climate Smart Business Inc.	3,301.09	Climate Smart	To support research, investigation and feasibility of the geothermal heating/cooling and solar resource development and energy system upgrade options.
Coast Economic Development Society	10,000.00	Development of the Coast	To support the work of this society.
Coast Salish Employment & Training Society	10,000.00	Pre-employment Cultural project	To offer pre-employment training program based on FN learning from place, spirit and language. Project activities will be developed with Elders and will take participants "back to the land" and focus on Coast Salish knowledge, healthy lifestyle and skills
Columbia Institute	6,500.00	Green Jobs BC Conference	To support this conference.
Communicopia Internet Inc.	17,500.00	Web of Change Bursaries	To provide senior technology & social media leaders with opportunity to share their world-class work, ideas, & inspiration with a community of deeply committed peers.
Communities Embracing Restorative Action	5,000.00	Community Youth Justice Program	Restorative youth justice program in Tri-Cities and New Westminster.
Community Forward Fund	125,000.00	Organizational Support	To support financial coaching development work; scaling up the fund to achieve the required size and scope for self-sufficiency.
Community Futures Development Corporation of Central Interior First Nations	10,000.00	Aboriginal BEST Micro-Loan Program	To support a loan pool for microloan program for BEST graduates who have completed required business plan and have support of the coaches found under the BEST program.
Community Housing Land Trust Foundation	500,000.00	City Sites Initiative	City Housing Invitation
Community Literacy Committee	1,000.00	Family Literacy Day	To support activity stations, live performances, information booth, and fun activities.
Community Literacy Committee	1,000.00	Financial Literacy Month- Partnership Series	The month long series will offer a range of financial literacy workshops through a three-way partnership between financial service agencies, local not-for-profits, and the literacy committee.
Community Social Planning Council of Greater Victoria	75,000.00	Growing New Farmers: Access to Land	To bring local organizations together to support farmers to access land, training and farm business advice that will ensure we have successful new generation of farmers.
Community Social Planning Council of Greater Victoria	10,000.00	Farm Business Incubator Network Initiative	To support three year program to develop the infrastructure to support the growth of small to middle scale farm business.
Community Social Planning Council of Greater Victoria	20,600.00	Community Investment Fund	To build and support local economic and social development.
Conradi Consulting Services	9,744.00	New City Market	To support the creation of the New City Market in Victoria.
Coqualeetza Cultural Education Centre	500.00	Coqualeetza Elders Christmas Dinner	To support their annual dinner.
Coquitlam Farmers Market Society	10,000.00	Food Culture Fusion	To create an outreach program to the growing ethnic diversity of Coquitlam to promote the farmers market as a

			social gathering place to learn more about the community, meet the farmers, and access fresh local food.
Council of Senior Citizen's Organizations of BC	2,000.00	COSCO Conference	To support/assist COSCO conference.
Covenant House Vancouver	1,000.00	Sleep Out to Support Homeless Youth	To help raise funds for youths so that they don't have to sleep on the streets for the rest of the year.
CRAB - Water for Life Society	500.00	25th Anniversary of Crab Park	To support the community festival to honour the diversity of the DTES.
Cridge Centre for the Family	10,000.00	The Cridge Community Food Program	To support ten individuals with acquired brain injury to establish community kitchen and gardens in order to learn to grow and to cook locally grown produce and to create a small social enterprise through sales to Cridge Center kitchen and families.
Criterion Ventures	2,500.00	Convergence XII Sponsorship	To support this event.
Cultivate Canada Society	45,000.00	Cash Management Support	To support the work of this organization.
Cyrus Centre	10,000.00	Life Skills Program	A life skills program for at-risk youth at Cyrus Centre in Abbotsford, which includes assistance accessing affordable housing, job search, financial literacy and budget planning.
Dania Home Society	10,000.00	New Care Home	To support the pre-development costs associated with this affordable housing initiative.
Deltassist Family and Community Services	10,000.00	Income Tax Program	To provide low income tax service at no charge for low income residents.
District of West Vancouver	10,000.00	Summer Youth Work Experience Program	To support a youth employment training program for marginalized youth who will undergo employment skill training and job readiness.
DIVERSEcity Community Resources Society	50,000.00	Putting Newcomers Back to Work	To provide credit tools to newcomers to Canada to help them retrain, recertify or equip themselves to go back into a field of work previously acquired in their country of origin.
Down Syndrome Research Foundation	7,000.00	Garden-to-Table	Development of a community garden and community kitchen including pre-employment workshops, budgeting and food skills for low income adults and recent immigrants.
Downtown Eastside Women's Centre Association	10,000.00	Access to opportunity: online resources for change	An employment-related computer literacy program for low-income and mainly Aboriginal women in the Downtown Eastside that will include training and information to access online employment-related resources such as resume-building and job banks.
Dress for Success Vancouver Society	10,000.00	Dressing Services and Employment Services	A program that helps low and no income women to transition into the workforce by providing professional attire and ongoing support including interview coaching, job search skills building, career workshops, peer support groups and mentorship.
Eastside Culture Crawl Society	10,000.00	East Side Culture Crawl	To support this event.
Eastside Movement for Business and Economic Renewal Society	10,000.00	Build a Business Training Program	To provide business training course to aspiring micro-entrepreneurs that includes sessions on financial management and one on one coaching to help with development of the business plan and launching the business.
Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver	10,000.00	Asphalt Gals	Provides living wage employment in the roofing industry to marginalized women with criminal records to sort, collect & recycle asphalt shingles.

EMBERS	55,000.00	Grow a Business	To support the Grow a Business program.
Fairfield Community Market Society	10,000.00	Co-operative Advertising Campaign	To hire a coordinator to deliver out and support the food access programs for low income families.
Family Education & Support Centre	10,000.00	Golden Ears Community Kitchens	Two monthly community kitchens will be provided; participants learn to cook on low income budgets.
Family Services of Greater Vancouver	10,000.00	Mobile Steam Car Wash	To fund a new social enterprise that will offer a mobile steam car washing service and will employ youth with barriers to traditional employment while providing financial support for a pre-employment and skill development program for homeless and at-risk youth.
Family Services of Greater Vancouver	30,000.00	Living Wage	This is a renewal of our annual support for the Living Wage for Families Campaign.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	60,000.00	Helping Farmers	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	5,000.00	Meet Your Maker - Vancouver Island	To support this local event.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	2,500.00	Feast of Fields - Vancouver Island	To support this local event.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	5,000.00	Feast of Fields - Metro Vancouver	To support this local event.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	10,000.00	Small Growers Microcredit	To provide credit tools to upcoming and small farmers in BC to add to local food security, local agricultural and local job creation.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	2,500.00	A Farm to Cart Event	To support a fundraising and food system awareness raising event. Each year this event explores a different local food system related issue. This year guests will view "The Apple Pushers," which is about street food cart establishments.
Firehall Theatre Society	10,000.00	Firehall's Youth Training Program	To support an employment training program for at-risk youth that includes skill development, resume and cover letter writing, life skills, certifications and assistance in finding suitable employment within the arts and culture industry.
First Funds Society	10,000.00	Community Voice Mail	A program that provides a free local phone number with voicemail to people who are homeless and/or phoneless in crisis and transition with the goal of enhancing access to employment, housing, health care and connections to family.
First Weekend Club Film Society	10,000.00	Business Planning	To support a forum for film and dialogue about social and environmental issues, bringing together environmentalists, film lovers, families, local businesses, and decision makers.
Fort St. James Senior's Housing Steering Committee	2,000.00	Fort St. James Senior's Housing Steering Committee	To build a self-contained accessible seniors' residence.
Fresh Roots Urban Farm Society	50,000.00	Schoolyard Market Gardens & Education	Support gardens that will be designed as commercially productive agriculture fields that serve two main functions: educational opportunities and food production.
Fresh Roots Urban Farm Society	50,000.00	Institutional Market Garden Business Expansion	To expand the business model which includes development of new revenue streams through institutional market garden establishment, maintenance, and sales.
Full Circle: First Nations Performance	10,000.00	2012 Talking Stick Festival	Support for the annual Festival which is the organization's signature event.

Society			
Gen Why Media	10,000.00	Reimagining CBC	A program to support public engagement on the renewal of CBC.
Gitga'at Nation	2,233.73	King Pacific Lodge Consultation	To help cover consultation expenses.
Global Youth Education Network Society	45,000.00	Next Up Leadership	Next Up, a key program of genius, is building the future policy and advocacy leaders for a just and inclusive society. This support will help grow this important program to ensure youth have the soft & hard skills to step into progressive leadership role
Grandview Heritage Group	2,000.00	History of Grandview, Vancouver	Assisting with costs of retrieving newspapers from archives, to contribute to writings about the history of Grandview.
Great Northern Way Scene Shop	10,000.00	Shared Space: Needs Assessment	Support for a shared space for multiple recyclers in Vancouver, including Recycling Alternative, United We Can, Pacific Mattress Recycling, Our Social Fabric, and possibly Scene Shop.
Greater Vancouver Association of the Deaf	10,000.00	Essential Skills & Financial Literacy Workshops	To offer a series of workshops on essential skills, financial literacy and computer workshops to individuals deaf, deaf-blind or hard of hearing to prevent barriers in seeking employment opportunities.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	500,000.00	K'udas Closed Containment Salmon Aquaculture	To support the development of this closed containment aquaculture project.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	187,500.00	Vancity Coast Loan Loss Reserve Fund	To support lending to organizations which would otherwise be ineligible, especially among First Nations organizations.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	250,000.00	Restricted Impact Real Estate Contributions	To support the acquisition of real estate by Habitat for Humanity to create a 6-unit affordable housing project in Burnaby.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	450,000.00	Restricted Impact Real Estate Contributions	To support a real estate acquisition by John Howard Society for an affordable housing project in Kamloops.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	466,983.00	Microloan Loan Loss Provision	To provide a loan loss reserve for high risk microlending.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	21,000.00	Salmon and Bannock	To support the creation of Salmon and Bannock, an Aboriginal-owned start-up restaurant.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	150,000.00	Working Capital Reserve	To support the creation of Burdock & Co., a restaurant focused on local food initiatives.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	225,000.00	Restricted Impact Real Estate Contributions	To support a real estate acquisition for BC Civil Liberties Association.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	125,000.00	Restricted Impact Real Estate Capital Contribution	To support a real estate acquisition by Art Space Action Society.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	100,000.00	Restricted Impact Real Estate Contributions	To support a real estate acquisition for Dogwood Initiative.
Greater Vancouver Community	150,000.00	Partners for Social Impact and	To support the GVCAF's operational costs and work related to supporting partners for social impact.

Assistance Fund		Operations	
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	450,000.00	Not-for-Profit Housing and SPRE Fund	To provide funding to support the creation of additional affordable housing and social purpose real estate developments.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	450,000.00	Impact Business Lending Fund	To support lending to impact business members which would otherwise not qualify for lending, especially relating to cash flow financing.
Guildford Park Community Group Society	10,000.00	After School Tutoring and Homework Program	To deliver an after school tutoring program for marginalized youth were qualified students are hired to tutor their peers and providing both youths an opportunity to excel in academics.
Heart of Richmond AIDS Society	5,300.00	Positive Change	To provide HIV positive individuals with access to financial support including: income tax clinic and financial education including budgeting, benefits, will planning, RDSP, understanding credit and bank accounts etc.
Heights Merchants Association BIA	7,350.00	Beautification through Coast Foundation	Employment training by hiring Coast Foundation mental health clients to work with the BIA in keeping Burnaby clean.
Helping Families In Need Society	10,000.00	Futures	As student bursary program for marginalized high school students to enroll in pre-employment training school programs that enhance their skills and prepare them for the job market.
Hollyburn Family Services Society	10,000.00	Seniors at Housing Risk Outreach Project	To support vulnerable seniors to prevent eviction, review and plan income, and fill out government forms in emergency situations.
Hollyhock	375,000.00	Hollyhock's Leadership Institute Program	To provide three-year support of Hollyhock's Leadership Institute programs.
Holy Cross Elementary	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Holy Trinity Cathedral	10,000.00	Cathedral Rehabilitation & Site Development	To help the cathedral develop a detailed redevelopment plan, including affordable and market housing.
Hope in Shadows	20,000.00	Building Capacity at Hope in Shadows	To support the expansion of the vendor program as well as professional development for staff.
Hope in Shadows	40,000.00	2013 Hope in Shadows Calendar Project	To support the publication of the 2013 calendar.
Horticulture Centre of the Pacific	5,000.00	Horticulture Worker Pre-employment Training Project	To create a pre-employment and re-employment certificate course designed to equip entry level horticulture workers with basic plant knowledge and maintenance skills.
Immigrant Services Society of BC	500,000.00	Welcome House	To support the organization to serve 1700+ newcomers to Canada each year.
Inclusive Social & Learning for FASD Society	7,000.00	Self Determination with Focus on Employment	To support pre-employment training for youth with fetal alcohol syndrome to assist in integrating into the workforce.
Indspire	10,000.00	National Aboriginal Achievement Award Education Series	To support a career and education fair targeted to Aboriginal youth in BC.
Industry Council for Aboriginal Business	30,000.00	Aboriginal Business Match	To provide funding to support Aboriginal Business Match, linking business and Aboriginal employees.
Industry Council for Aboriginal Business	5,600.00	Aboriginal Business Association	Support the sustainability of this organization.

Inland Refugee Society of BC	8,800.00	ESL and Life Skills Program	To provide refugee claimants with a practical understanding and use of English and life skills in a Canadian context, giving them the language and skills required to fulfill their daily needs including housing, employment and banking.
Inner Hope Youth Ministries Society	7,500.00	Building Life Skills and Enhancing Education	To provide marginalized youth with support mentorship and goal setting that will lead them to furthering their education and entering the workforce.
In-SHUCK-ch Services Society	2,500.00	In-SHUCK-ch Days	This annual event is a celebration designed to enhance identity and pride within Aboriginal communities while promoting key traditions and values.
Institute of Sustainability Education and Action	5,000.00	Staff Funding Support	To support the transition work of this organization.
Inter-Cultural Association of Greater Victoria	50,000.00	Microfinance Tools for Resettlement	To support Canadian newcomers with small loans to get back into income producing activities.
Island Chefs' Collaborative	5,000.00	Small Growers Microcredit	To provide credit tools to upcoming and small farmers in BC to add to local food security, local agricultural and local job creation.
Island Pathways	3,000.00	Partners Creating Pathways	To develop a pathway which will allow pedestrians and wheel-chair enhanced travelers safe access to neighborhood schools, retirement communities, health and governmental services, recreational opportunities and shops.
Jim Green Consulting	12,000.00	Vancouver Centre for Social Innovation & Inclusion	To support the development of this centre.
John Howard Society of the Fraser Valley	10,000.00	LAUNCH: Learning and Understanding New Career Hope	To support a pre-employment program for at-risk youth, where participants learn employment skills through a series of workshops and job shadowing. The program includes resume building, employment action plans and skills certifications.
Journey Home Community Association	10,000.00	Refugee Settlement	To expand the holistic resettlement program by increasing the hours of the Support worker in order to support additional families.
Julien House Society	8,505.00	Employment Training Program	To provide pre-employment training in computer programs to women who have completed the intensive residential program and ready for employment training.
Kateslim Youth Society	10,000.00	Kateslem After School Programs	To support an after school program for vulnerable and marginalized youth, offering ongoing and daily free activities and school support.
Kekinow Native Housing Society	15,000.00	Aboriginal Housing Proposals & Rural Housing Transfer	To provide assistance for new Aboriginal housing and transfer of rural and native housing submissions to BC Housing/AHMA.
Kinbrace Community Society	10,000.00	Affordable Housing for Refugee Claimants	To support a transitional housing program for up to 40 homeless refugee claimants to transition into permanent housing.
Kwantlen Foundation	10,000.00	Phoenix Kwantlen Aboriginal Learning Centre	To improve basic academic skills in order to further employment and career opportunities for at risk urban Aboriginal people.

Kwantlen Polytechnic University Institute for Sustainable Horticulture	50,000.00	SW BC Food System Design and Planning Project	To engage communities throughout southwest BC in the development of a Regional Food System, including the design and implementation plan.
Langley Community Farmers Market Society	10,000.00	Raising Profile of Langley Community Farmers Market	To enhance the existing signage for the market to increase visibility and thereby increase customers visiting the market. Funds will be also used for staffing the winter market.
Langley Hospice Society	1,000.00	Child and Youth Bereavement Programs	To assist in Camp Chrysalis; a four-day retreat for bereaved children.
Le français pour l'avenir	2,000.00	Vancouver Local Forum 2012	To support an annual forum for 200 local French immersion high school students. Vancity support is directly for French version of financial tool building workshops for the youth.
Learning Disabilities Association of BC - Vancouver Chapter	10,000.00	Intervention is Prevention	A program to provide specialized one on one tutoring for students with learning disabilities from low income families with the objectives of building their abilities in literacy and numeracy.
Little Mountain Neighbourhood House Society	10,000.00	Youth Leadership Project	A series of programs in the Little Mountain / Riley Park community that directly reach out to marginalized youth and include a homework club with personalized support, volunteer, employment and training opportunities, and life-skills lessons.
Local Garden Vancouver	2,180.64	Local Garden Media Event	To support public and community awareness through a press conference.
Lower Mainland Purpose Society	10,000.00	Burnaby Youth Hub Project	To support at-risk youth to access a hub of service, assisting with job readiness, skills training through various programs etc.
M'akola Housing Society	10,000.00	National Aboriginal Housing Association Conference	To support the annual national conference hosted by M'akola in Victoria for Aboriginal housing providers across Canada.
Malaspina Printmakers Society	15,000.00	Residential Schools Exhibition	Malaspina will be curating an exhibition on Aboriginal print artists at three galleries recognizing the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's hearings and community events.
Mamele'awt Queesome Housing Society	2,000.00	St. Mary's School Legacy House Posts	Two commemorative house posts have been carved and will be raised at the site of the original St. Mary's Indian Residential School in Mission on the National Day of Healing & Reconciliation.
Maplewood Seniors Care Society	10,000.00	Maplewood Seniors Care Society Program Support	Funds will support various programs, including The Family Council, Alzheimer's Support Group, and training and education programs.
Megaphone	25,000.00	Building Capacity at Megaphone	To support staff and volunteer capacity building for the organization and vendors.
Mennonite Central Committee, BC	35,000.00	Fraser Valley Rent Assistance Project	To support the eviction prevention for people at risk of homelessness through loans to tenants who are in arrears with their rent or utility payments and facing eviction or utility disconnection.
Metro Vancouver	5,000.00	Metro Vancouver Sustainability Breakfast Series	Funds will support 2012 breakfast meetings that bring together individuals and businesses to build awareness and understanding of urban sustainability issues, and encourage networking and partnership building.
Metro Vancouver Alliance	10,000.00	Community Mapping and Listening Campaign	This project brings together the different community organizations to identify and address issues of common community concern and identify sustainability options.
Metro Vancouver Homelessness Secretariat	2,500.00	Homelessness Action Week	To support eight Homelessness Connect Events in Metro Van and Abbotsford, where local government, non-profits, service agencies provide one-stop shop for health and human services to homeless populations in their

			community.
Mission City Farmers Market Society	9,029.00	Heart of the Market	Develop and implement an effective marketing, branding and staff development strategy for Mission City Farmers Market, built on their existing market and ensuring its sustainability for the future.
Mission Community Services Society	2,500.00	Community Leadership Project	To support 'Building Community Leadership', a four part series which includes speakers and workshops designed to build and inspire community leadership. Topics include, Develop your Leadership Passion, Power of Influence, Ethical Decision Making & Managing Change.
Mission Friendship Centre Society	1,000.00	Community Kitchen Program	The Community Kitchen provides access to many valuable programs within the centre. The centre offers various supportive workshops, advocacy, access to cultural activities, employment related support, emergency needs, referral to treatment programs etc.
Mission Gur Sikh Society	10,000.00	Mission Gur Sikh Society's Community Kitchen	To provide meals and other basic amenities to low-income residents. During the school year meals are also provided to students and teachers at local inner city schools.
Mission Regional Chamber of Commerce	1,400.00	Mission Business Excellence Awards	To host an event that honours excellence in business and outstanding achievements of local business.
Multi-lingual Orientation Service Association	50,000.00	Putting Newcomers Back to Work	To continue our partnership with MOSAIC to provide credit tools to newcomers to Canada to help them retrain, recertify or equip themselves to go back into a field of work previously acquired in their country of origin.
Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
NEC Native Education College	15,000.00	Soaring Eagles Retention & Graduation Support	To support a series of lifeskills workshops, individual supports, and group activities to encourage Aboriginal learners at the Native Education College.
Neil Squire Society	10,000.00	Computer Comfort (pre-employment program)	To run a pre-employment training program for individuals with disabilities to increase their computer literacy for further employment or education.
New Way Community	10,000.00	A New Way to Serve	New Way Community is an intentional, inclusive community located at the margins, which welcomes people of all faiths and circumstances.
Nidus Personal Planning Resource Centre	15,000.00	Support for Nidus' Work on Representation	To provide critical services around representation agreements, including financial agreements.
NightShift Street Ministries Society	10,000.00	Ragtime Clothing Sorter Training Program	To employ additional staff for this social enterprise ragtime project.
North Saanich Food for the Future Society	5,800.00	North Saanich Farm Market	To grow the market by actively soliciting new growers and processors, and to staff and manage market days.
North Shore Neighbourhood House	7,500.00	Edible Garden	To support local food production with a community garden, to increase community access to fresh food.
Oaklands Community Association	5,000.00	Oaklands Sunset Series: Farmers' Markets Events	To increase marketing by creating events that are entertaining and appealing and demonstrate how easy and fun it is to buy local.
One Filipino Cooperative of BC	10,000.00	Financial Literacy Education	To deliver a financial literacy program in the language relevant to the marginalized immigrant Filipino community.
Pacific Coast Wild Salmon Society	64,000.00	Salmon Disease Awareness &	To bind traditional First Nation knowledge, the vibrant network of stream keepers, university labs, fishers and

		Response Network	others to create a network of people to the benefit of the health of wild salmon and communities.
Passion Foundation	5,000.00	Passion2Action Leadership Scholarship Fund	To support low income young women to participate in leadership training.
Paul Jackson Club Ltd.	30,000.00	Paul's Club Social Enterprise	To support the launch of a recreational facility for people with early onset dementia.
Pemberton Farmers Institute	10,000.00	Market Rebranding and Management	To rebrand the market to advertise our new location and growing market.
Pooh Corner Daycare Society	250.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Port Coquitlam Raiders Minor Hockey Association	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Potluck Café Society	10,000.00	Potluck Delivery Van	To purchase a delivery van to grow the cafe and catering operations for this social enterprise that provides job training and life skills supports for people with barriers to employment.
Power Play Strategies Inc.	8,400.00	Partner & Consulting Services	To update the PowerPlay Money Manager program, designed to provide financial literacy to Grade 10 students throughout BC.
Protein for People Society	9,900.00	2013 Community Forums	To provide public education to recipients of local food banks that will help them move from dependency by meeting with local community service provider partners.
Public Health Association of BC	75,000.00	Farm to School: Expanding our Roots	To connect schools with farms in order to bring local, nutritious, and sustainably produced food into schools.
Raven Events	3,450.00	2012 Aboriginal Business Match	To support the second annual showcase and networking event for First Nations, Aboriginal Business, and potential investors.
Ready to Rent BC	750.00	World Indigenous Housing Conference	To attend and present their work with M'akola Housing to support urban Aboriginal social housing clients move into affordable rental and graduate along the housing continuum at the World Housing Conference.
Reconciliation Canada	2,069.24	Reconciliation Canada - Various	To support this organization and its work.
Richmond Addiction Services Society	10,000.00	Constructive Alternative to Teen Suspension (CATS)	To expand the one to one peer tutoring and career education program by adding additional tutors to this restorative justice program.
Richmond Centre for Disability	10,000.00	Pre-Employment Support for Empowerment	To expand their job club assisting people with disabilities to gain pre-employment training, job search support, mentorship and education.
Richmond City Centre Community Association	10,000.00	Hey Girlfriend	To hire staff for a girls-only mentorship program to empower young teens through leadership development, creativity, healthy life choices and financial/media literacy.
Richmond Women's Resource Centre	10,000.00	Canadian Work Experience and Cultural Immersion	To support a pre-employment training program to assist immigrant women to gain and upgrade their Canadian work experience.
Richmond Youth Service Agency	10,000.00	School Connections	To provide youth tutoring and mentorship where students are trained with employable skills and mentor their fellow students.
Rock Solid Foundation	5,000.00	the WITS Program	To support children to counter bullying and other forms of peer aggression including racism and homophobia.

Royal City Farmers Market Association	10,000.00	Employee Training and Development	To hire and train an assistant manager for the summer season and provide an honorarium to additional volunteers.
Sardis Doorway for Mothers and Children	7,000.00	Mothers Education Program	To support a program for at risk mothers and children providing skills to move from crisis to self-reliance including financial literacy, budgeting, academic upgrading and pre-employment skills.
Save on Meats Downtown Eastside Support Corp.	85,000.00	Save on Meats	To help develop a community-building social enterprise that will provide jobs for local and low-income residents.
Sea to Sky Community Services Society	8,800.00	Sea to Sky Corridor Transportation Initiative	To gather data to build a business case for a social enterprise or community-based collaboration helping transport individuals who face barriers getting up & down corridor.
Semiahmoo House Society	10,000.00	Employment Training & Support	To support and provide vocational training and job readiness to adults with developmental disabilities.
Settlement Orientation Services	1,000.00	World Refugee Day	To support awareness of this event including information tables and displays from the various organizations involved in refugee work.
Share Family & Community Services	20,000.00	Plan from Inside Out-What Healthy TriCities Need	To support a multistakeholder planning process in the TriCities.
Sheraton Vancouver Wall Centre Hotel	5,000.00	Indigenous Statistics Canada 2012 Conference	To support this conference using "data as a tool for change" in Aboriginal communities.
Simon Fraser University	20,000.00	SFU Aboriginal Executive MBA Program	To support the new EMBA providing high level executive education for First Nations leaders and other individuals working with Aboriginal communities.
Simon Fraser University	10,000.00	SFU Public Square	To support this six-day event that is about how urban Vancouverites are becoming increasingly isolated and disconnected.
Simon Fraser University	10,000.00	Student Venture Competition	To support a student venture accelerator pilot with a heavy focus on market validation and testing.
Simon Fraser University	15,000.00	SFU Media Democracy Days	To support a 2-day annual public event held at the Vancouver Public Library, comprised of keynote speakers, panel discussions, film screenings, hands-on media productions/policy-oriented workshops.
Small Business BC	12,000.00	Successful You Awards	To support the annual province-wide contest that recognizes and celebrates the important contributions of BC's entrepreneurs to their local communities and the wider global economy.
Small Housing BC Society	15,000.00	Vancouver Laneway Housing	To determine the opinions and attitudes of residents toward laneway houses where they have been built.
Small Scale Food Processor Association	12,000.00	Capacity Building Course for New Food Processors	To support curriculum development and revision for seven on-line learning modules for new and emerging food processors.
Social Fabric Group Inc.	30,000.00	Single Housing	
Social Planning and Research Council of BC	20,000.00	Developing Poverty Reduction Strategies	SPARC is leading two research and planning process for poverty reduction in these Burnaby and TriCities, which will serve as a foundation for a multistakeholder campaign in each.
Social Purpose Development Partners Inc.	400,000.00	Social Purpose Development Partners Inc.	To support the start up of this new social enterprise development company.
Societe Place Maillardville Society	10,000.00	Job Club and Advanced Job Club	To provide pre-employment skills and work experience to at-risk youth.

Society for Community Development	10,000.00	Supporting the TriCities Homelessness Task Group	To support Homelessness Connect Week, as well as other supports to address homelessness in Burnaby.
SOLEfood Farm Inc.	75,000.00	SOLEfood Farm	To provide operating cash to SOLEfood Farm to help manage unanticipated cash flow shortfalls caused by project timing in relation to expansion.
Sources Community Resources Society	10,000.00	Surrey Rent Bank-Housing Stability for Low Income	To provide temporary small scale loans for those at risk of eviction. This program also provides access to financial literacy.
South Fraser Community Services Society	10,000.00	SFCSS Barston Community Garden	To employ a staff coordinator role which would support the employment training program for at-risk clients to maintain and gain work experience.
South Van Neighbourhood House	10,000.00	Community Creators Dialogue Circle project	Facilitator training to enable participants to lead a series of 12 dialogue circle sessions for newcomers and low income residents to share stories around human rights, housing, employment and finance.
Spirit of the People Cultural Society	2,500.00	The Spirit of the People Pow Wow	To support this event that brings Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal communities together to enjoy culture, dance, and food and celebrate the multicultural society thereby bringing understanding and breaking historical stereotypes.
Spo7ez Cultural Centre and Community Society	10,000.00	Aboriginal Youth Ambassador 2013 Summer Program	To support employment training in customer services and tourism for at-risk aboriginal youth identified from the Squamish Nation.
Squamish Farmers' Market Association	10,000.00	Chef to Market & Market to Farm	To educate and inspire shoppers to cook with in-season, locally grown produce and help develop farm portfolios that further connect the shoppers with the farms.
Squamish Montessori Society	10,000.00	Building Futures - Squamish Montessori Society	Support for the Squamish Montessori Society as they look for a permanent location for their school.
St. David's Anglican Church	2,000.00	Hobiyee: One Heart, One Path, One Nation	Funds will be used to support the celebration of Hobiyee, based on the seasonal change when the 'Gal-ha'ink' (cedar bentwood boxes) of the Nisga'a are nearly depleted.
Stichting Global Alliance	50,000.00	GABV Global Investment Fund	To support the development of the GABV global investment vehicle.
Sto:lo Heritage Trust Society	17,400.00	Restructuring of Xaytem Debt	To support a restructuring of debt owed to Vancity by the Sto:lo Heritage Trust Society.
Strathcona Elementary Running Club	3,777.98	Sun Run Participation	Support for students in the running club.
Street Corner Media Foundation	10,000.00	Vendor Sales Support Program	A training and sales support program for 100 homeless and low-income street vendors to give them skills and tools needed to become vendors, improve their sales figures, better manage their money and create stronger inter-personal and communication skills.
Streetohome Foundation	1,200,000.00	The Taylor Manor Project	Restoration of existing heritage facility and expansion of floor area by reconstructing old cafeteria wing & accommodate about 55 studio units plus common facilities for people with mental health issues.
Strengthening Metis Women Development Association	10,000.00	BC Metis Women Healing & Community Development	This project uses community based research techniques that will lead Metis women through an asset based community development mapping & planning process.
SUCCESS	6,000.00	Support for Residential Care Aid Program	To provide support to work with potential microloan borrowers who are entering the Residential Care Aid program.

Surrey Female Hockey Association	250.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Surrey Foundation	5,000.00	Collaborating with Intention	One-day symposium with not-for-profits and social purpose businesses in Surrey, designed to build a shared understanding and vision for a social purpose real estate project.
Surrey Urban Farmers Market Association	10,000.00	Surrey Urban Farmers Market 2012 Season	To operate a 17 week market in North Surrey, a mini-market at Surrey's City Hall and outreach including a Family Farm Tour and nutritional programs.
Surrounded by Cedar Child & Family Services Society	2,500.00	Vancouver Island Aboriginal Back to School Program	To provide a back-to-school picnic and backpacks for 1901 students from kindergarten to Grade 12.
The Artspeak Gallery Society	10,000.00	Space Options Evaluation and Financing	To review opportunities to maximize the equity in a real estate asset, and develop a "community bond" toolkit that will provide a financing model to raise new equity.
The Canadian Red Cross Society	10,000.00	RC First Contact: Keeping Pace with Refugee Reform	To change the materials provided for the refugee claimants to reflect the new legislative changes impacting the community in June 2012.
The Cinderella Project	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
The Cleaning Solution Society	10,000.00	The Cleaning Solution - Support for Operations	To support a social enterprise commercial cleaning operation, providing supportive employment for people living with mental illness.
The Council for Business and Arts in Canada	50,000.00	ArtsVest Vancouver Program	To support small and mid-sized arts and culture organizations to forge successful, long-term relationships with the private sector.
The OCTA Collective Society	7,500.00	After-School Theatre Program	To deliver afterschool workshops to marginalized/low income children to work on group projects, learn decision making skills and build confidence through art, theatre skills, cooperative games and exercise.
The Passion Foundation, Lunapads International	2,250.00	William Lucas Continuing Education Centre	To support a community learning program that focuses on helping students with the challenges they face, such as barriers to employment, health, and nutrition.
The Phoenix Project	1,475.00	Social Innovation Pgm, George Mason University(USD)	To support a student from Haida Gwaii to attend the Social Entrepreneurship's Social Innovation Program at George Mason University.
The Squamish Food Bank Society	1,200.00	Squamish Food Bank	To support the Food Bank's operations.
The Squamish Helping Hands Society	5,000.00	Crave	To support this annual fundraiser that brings awareness to the work and mission of Helping Hands, highlighting homelessness and food security issues.
Threshold Housing Society	10,000.00	"Self Worth-Shops" for Youth	To provide workshops that build individual resilience and independence for marginalized youth who are in transitional housing through enhanced life skills, financial literacy and social connections.
Tides Canada Foundation	750,000.00	Reconciliation Canada Initiatives Collaboration	To promote reconciliation by engaging Canadians in dialogue that revitalizes the relationships between Aboriginal people and all Canadians.
Tides Canada Initiatives Society	4,000.00	General Support	To provide general support for Tides Canada.
Tides Canada Initiatives Society	50,000.00	Facilitate Public Engagement Capacity-Building	To coordinate and educate social-sector stakeholders on issues related to public debate, accountability and transparency.
Together Against Poverty Society	5,000.00	TAPS Volunteer Income Tax Project	To provide an expanded program that helps those with multiple barriers (i.e. literacy, mental health and

			language) to complete their income tax returns and connect to government supports.
Truth and Reconciliation Commission	2,500.00	Truth & Reconciliation Commission - Regional Event	To support this regional event in 2013.
T'Sou-ke Nation	500.00	Annual Tribal Journey	To support T'Sou-ke Nation's participation to learn canoe crafting & transportation and to celebrate traditional foods and medicine with many Coast Salish Nations.
UBC Faculty of Science	6,000.00	Peer Mentorship	To support a peer mentorship program for Aboriginal students who have been identified as needing assistance with math to enable them to meet the requirements for graduation.
Unitarian Church of Vancouver	10,000.00	Keeping It Fresh	A campaign to increase traffic at the Farmer's Market through advertising and publicity, raise awareness about our unique mission and improve the customer experience.
United Community Services Co-op	15,000.00	Assist Beleaguered Member-Sustainability Planning	To support the coop to assist some of its members in financial distress with technical assistance and advice.
United Way of the Lower Mainland	5,000.00	Campaign Labour Breakfast	
University of BC Farm Centre for Sustainable Food Systems	10,000.00	Connecting Growers w/ Visitors at UBC Farm Mkt	To augment current promotional avenues to help promote the markets to the neighbouring University community and the wider Vancouver community.
University of BC Farm Centre for Sustainable Food Systems	7,500.00	Joy of Feeding Event	To support this event held at UBC Farm and featuring local food prepared for the public by individuals who have diverse cultural backgrounds. UBC Farm conducts tours and presentations about local food.
University of the Philippines Alumni Association of BC	4,500.00	Temporary Workers and New Immigrants Integration	To educate new immigrants and temporary foreign workers about their rights under the Canadian labour laws and provide access to supports.
University of the Philippines Alumni Association of BC	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
University of Victoria	1,500.00	50th Anniversary: 50 for 50 Club Fee	To support the 50 for 50 Club.
University of Victoria	25,000.00	Indigenous Child Well-Being Research Training	To provide support for this project informing public policy on child well-being.
Urban Development Institute	10,000.00	Rental Housing Supply Coalition	To develop a communications and outreach strategy for this new housing coalition.
urban ink	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Vancity Community Capital	20,000.00	Business Plan & Growth Profile for ClimateSmart	To support growth plans and overall capital requirement for this impact business.
Vancity Community Foundation	10,000.00	Building A Digital Future	To support the Open Media Education Fund to help build a stronger network of rural allies working for solutions to close the digital divide.
Vancity Community Foundation	500,000.00	City Sites Initiative	
Vancity Community Foundation	45,000.00	Delivering on our Financial Fitness Offer	To support the delivery of workshops that strengthen the financial fitness of non-profit organizations.

Vancity Community Foundation	1,500,000.00	Centre for Social Innovation and Inclusion	To support the development of this centre in Vancouver.
Vancity Community Foundation	100,000.00	Impact Ventures Advisory Network	To connect and support four strategic nodes in the social venture ecosystem: emerging ventures & entrepreneurs, social impact investors, capacity development, and system builders & funders.
Vancity Community Foundation	37,500.00	Women's Resource Centre	To help further Central City Mission Foundation's acquisition and development plans for their social purpose real estate.
Vancity Community Foundation	10,000.00	SPRE Research Project	To undertake research regarding the rates and terms under which NFPs, social enterprises and social purpose organizations are securing space.
Vancity Community Foundation	150,000.00	Social Enterprise Portfolio	To support the growth of high impact, successful social enterprises. Each year, the Portfolio committee chooses 5-8 enterprises that receive a multi-year grant and technical support to scale up/improve their business.
Vancouver Aboriginal Friendship Centre Society	2,500.00	National Aboriginal Day Sponsorship	To support this event, including a breakfast at the Friendship Centre, Friendship Walk along Commercial Drive to Trout Lake and afternoon performances, exhibits, food and vendors at Trout Lake.
Vancouver Aboriginal Friendship Centre Society	2,500.00	Vancouver DTES Aboriginal Back to School Program	To fund this back-to-school picnic and backpacks for students from kindergarten to Grade 12.
Vancouver and District Labour Council	3,000.00	Labour History Walking Tour Booklet	This project is a collaboration between community partners and Vancity in the production of a 'Walking Tour Booklet' designed for public education on the history of the contributions of labour in building the social economy of Vancouver.
Vancouver Community College Foundation	10,000.00	NASKARZ	To support at-risk youth to work alongside college instructors, volunteers, police officers and their own peers to complete automotive projects while receiving employment training, education certificates and, in some cases, credits towards their high school diploma.
Vancouver Homework Club Society	10,000.00	Britannia Homework Club	To support a homework club that provides a warm and inviting space including computers, printers, internet access, healthy snacks and support from skilled tutors.
Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities Indigenous Food Network	3,000.00	5th Annual Van. Is. Traditional Foods Conference	Tseshah First Nation, VICCIFN, Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council, and the Aboriginal Health Vancouver Island Health Authority will be hosting the 5th Annual Vancouver Island Traditional Foods Conference on Tseshah territory.
Vancouver Metis Community Association	500.00	Seventh Celebration Metis	Community festival to honour the history and culture of the Metis people in metro Vancouver including music, craft, historical displays, food, and community vendors.
Vancouver Native Health Society	75,000.00	Urban Aboriginal Community Kitchen/Garden	To promote traditional food-related knowledge within the urban Aboriginal community and address dimensions of seniors' vulnerability, including social isolation, poor mental and physical health, food insecurity and marginalized identities.
Vancouver Native Housing Society	10,000.00	Business Plan Development for the Skwachays Lodge	To provide technical assistance and financial support for business planning, start up and marketing of this new social enterprise.
Vancouver Out On Screen Film & Video Society	10,000.00	Out in Schools	To provide a program that engages youth in the promotion of safe and diverse learning environments, free from homophobia, racism and bullying.

Vancouver School Board	4,500.00	Feasibility Study for Growing Food on VBE Lands	To hire a contractor with experience in procurement and local food sourcing to consider a number of models for procuring local produce including growing food on school board lands to meet the cafeteria, meal and food program needs.
Vancouver Sun Children's Fund Society	1,000.00	Adopt-a-School project	To provide support to Adopt-a-School project.
Vancouver Tap Dance Society	7,500.00	VTDS Capacity Building Through Business Expansion	Organization is looking to review and expand their revenue and develop the building they purchased into a social purpose space. Funds are used to hire a consultant to support them and ensure that their ongoing social enterprise will generate revenue.
Vancouver Urban Farming Society	45,000.00	Growing Opportunity Best Practices -Urban Farming	To engage urban farmers in dialogue about best practices research needs and priorities and conduct research to develop best practices and make these available to urban farmers, government representatives and public.
Vancouver Urban Ministries	10,000.00	Therapeutic Tutoring and After School Program	To support an after school program providing one on one tutoring with the goal of improving the grades of low-income children with learning disabilities, or who are have English as a second language.
Various Members	956.16	Web of Change	Attendance at the Web of Change event.
Vedic Hindu Cultural Society	2,000.00	India Day Celebration Multicultural Event	To support the celebration of India's 65th anniversary of Independence.
Venture Connect Inc.	30,000.00	Venture Connect	To support this impact business.
Vibrant Abbotsford	10,000.00	Start Up! Living Wage Abbotsford	To support the work to develop a Living Wage Abbotsford campaign.
Victoria Downtown Public Market Society	4,000.00	Eat Here Now 2012 Event	A local food harvest festival organized by Victoria Downtown Public Market Society in support of the re-establishment of a year-round, indoor local food-centred public market for downtown Victoria.
Victoria Native Friendship Centre	7,000.00	VNFC Community Garden	To create a community garden and outside classroom for their community kitchen serving 4000 meals a year and to provide employment and training opportunities for volunteers.
Volunteer BC	10,000.00	Embedded Volunteer Mentor Program for Immigrants	To integrate new immigrants into volunteer programs to help them gain Canadian work experience and networks and improve their English in a work setting.
Warriors Against Violence Society	10,000.00	WAVS Stay in School	A program in partnership with a high school to provide a supportive environment that empowers Aboriginal youth to set goals, stay in school and achieve graduation while learning about Aboriginal history and culture.
West Abbotsford Community School Society	8,500.00	SCampER	To support this summer camp to deliver literacy and activity programs for at risk grade 1 to 3 students. The aim is to improve reading proficiency of children not meeting expectations at the end of the school year.
West Coast Domestic Workers' Association	10,000.00	Access to Human Rights for Live in Caregivers	A project to support foreign live-in caregivers to improve their access to human rights and equality, and their ability to live and work with dignity, through workshops and clinics that will improve their knowledge of legal rights and obligations.
West Coast Family Support Institute Society	15,000.00	Inclusive Institutions Project	Family Support Institute will convene a week long symposium in summer 2013 to look at best and promising practices in building inclusive institutions for people with disabilities.
Western Front Society	10,000.00	Pre-Development Funds	To hire an independent appraiser to evaluate building and facilitator to guide stakeholder decision making.
Whistler Farmers Market Society	8,000.00	Sea to Sky Corridor Farmers Market	To bring the expertise and infrastructure of the Whistler Farmers Market to the two other surrounding markets.

		Coordination	
White Rock Farmers Market Society	10,000.00	Special Events Staff Co-ordinator	To hire a special events co-ordinator to help organize events such as Kids Days, Music Days, Literacy Day, Library Live and on Tour, Dog Days which help attract more customers to the market.
WISH Drop-In Centre Society	5,000.00	Aboriginal Culture & Creativity Program	To provide a program for Aboriginal women in survival sex work that helps them reconnect to their culture through twice-weekly, workshops that provide hands-on instruction in cultural arts and crafts and traditional teachings and practices.
Women's Enterprise Centre	5,000.00	Peer Mentoring for Women	To fund two peer mentoring programs for women in business: for women in technology in Victoria and for the Nuu-chah-nulth Aboriginal BEST Program in Port Alberni.
WSANEC School Board	2,350.00	Feasting for Change	To support this group of interested parties working collaboratively to support Aboriginal communities in south Vancouver Island.
You Wear It Well ... Just for Grads	500.00	Employee Volunteer grant	
Young Agrarians	30,000.00	Young Agrarians Website Development & Networking	To support the organization to create a website that will feature an interactive on-line resource map and land access guide, providing resources to create successful businesses for young farmers.
YMCA of Vancouver	9,263.00	Alternative Suspension	To support this program which offers marginalized youth at risk academic and individualized support to stay in school.
YWCA	44,434.00	Single Mothers' Support Services	To support programs helping low-income single mothers achieve greater economic independence.
YWCA	7,500.00	YWCA Crabtree Housing	To provide transitional housing and support services for women with substance use issues who are pregnant, have given birth, are currently parenting or in the process of regaining custody.
Your Local Farmers Market Society	10,000.00	Growing Main St. Station Farmers Market	To support the development of targeted marketing, PR and on-site resources to increase shoppers & link Vancouver chefs to producers at Main St. Station Wednesday Farmers Market.
Your Local Farmers Market Society	67,000.00	New City Market: Phase 2 - Predevelopment Planning	To provide support for a year-round farmers market including supply aggregation and distribution.
Your Local Farmers Market Society	50,000.00	Burdock & Co. Restaurant Ltd.	To support the opening of this bistro to serve the needs of the community through affordable local food sourced from urban agriculture.
Your Local Farmers Market Society	3,000.00	Big Harvest	To support this annual awareness and fundraising event.
Your Local Farmers Market Society	50,000.00	New City Market	To support the establishment of a permanent New City Market for the farmers market.
Zajac Ranch Society	4,500.00	Admiral Seymour School Trip	To support Seymour school for their trip to the Zajac Ranch and allow children to engage in outdoor education and environmental program.
TOTAL	14,198,263.64		

Environmental Sustainability:

Organization Name	Grant amount	Name of Project	Project Summary
A Rocha Canada	10,000.00	Hatching Plans for Hens: Backyard Sustainability	To promote sustainable agriculture by providing a chicken hatching/raising demonstration project.
Agassiz Farm Fresh Market	7,000.00	The AFFM Marketing Initiative	To promote the market and increase customer awareness and market share.
Aldergrove Neighbourhood Services	10,000.00	Harvest Box	To continue and expand the existing Harvest Box Program, target new communities and develop additional marketing approaches.
Alouette River Management Society	10,000.00	Adopt-A-Stream Phase 2	To remove invasive plants and replant native species along streams near schools and to conduct school stewardship programs.
ASRI Research Society	21,000.00	The Alternative Solutions Resource	To build a technical manual that will offer comprehensive and regionally-appropriate information on alternative building materials and systems.
BC Association of Farmers' Markets	65,000.00	Strengthening Farmers Market	To support BC producers of agricultural products; promote farmers market; educate public to choose healthy BC grown agricultural products to ensure a secure food system and to reduce carbon footprint; advocate to industry, government, agencies.
BC Spaces for Nature Society	8,000.00	WildED's Outdoor Classroom School Program	To support a program that allows schoolchildren to reconnect to nature, including post-program action commitments to encourage concrete solutions for change through school-wide actions or personal actions at home.
BC Sustainable Energy Association	5,000.00	Climate and Energy Solutions Webinars 2013	To provide free monthly, lunchtime webinar series open to all on a variety of topics related to climate and energy solutions.
Be The Change Earth Alliance Society	8,000.00	Student Leadership in Sustainability	To support a program offering interactive workshops to inspire students to connect their personal values about sustainability with their every-day choices and behaviours and take personal action.
Better Environmentally Sound Transportation	8,000.00	Sustainable Food meets Sustainable Transportation	To provide bicycle valet service at four farmers markets in Vancouver.
BIG Green Island Transportation	6,000.00	Hollyhock Electric Vehicle Charger	To cover costs of installing electric vehicle Supply equipment at Hollyhock.
Bike to Work British Columbia Society	2,500.00	Bike to Work Week in the Fraser Valley	To support Bike to Work Week, promoting cycling to work as an alternative and environmentally friendly method of transportation.
Board of Change	2,500.00	Vert-ality 2	To provide sponsorship for this event.
Board of Change	15,000.00	Board of Change	To support the Board's work to engage business sectors to network, learn, and act individually and collectively to advance sustainable business values.
Britannia Community Services Centre Society	10,000.00	KickStand Two Wheeled Empowerment for Families	To provide workshops at two schools on bike skills and safety, basic maintenance and advanced bike mechanics.

British Columbia Women in Energy Network	5,000.00	BC Women in Energy Network Membership 2013	To support the work of this association working to strengthen the local economy by creating and strengthening relationships amongst small to medium sized enterprises.
Dogwood Initiative/ Salal Foundation	7,754.01	Salal Foundation costs	Grant is used to cover legal costs of this organization.
Burnaby Board of Trade	3,000.00	Sustainability Pledge Program	To support the Sustainability Pledge Program.
Burnaby Meals on Wheels Society	7,550.00	Food Security in Burnaby: Grow, Harvest, Preserve	To host workshops for immigrant and low income families on food preservation and local food security through learning and identifying common local , wild edible plants in the neighbourhood.
Burnaby Winter Club	5,000.00	2012 Fundraiser for Scholarships	To reach out to low income families going through financial hardships and to assist them financially to allow their children to participate in sports.
Burns Bog Conservation Society	10,000.00	Boardwalk Maintenance & Invasive Plant Removal	To maintain a healthy bog and remove the invasive species that have polluted the boardwalk part of the bog.
Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives	30,000.00	Climate Justice Report	To support the work of this project to identify and mitigate against the impacts of climate change on vulnerable and/or marginalized populations.
Canadian Ethical Restoration & Construction Cooperative	2,000.00	Bursary for the Imagine 2012 Int'l Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Canadian Society Promoting Environmental Conservation	8,000.00	Green 2 Go	A project that will engage 50 food service establishments and the public in a dialogue around reducing take-out container waste and assist businesses in the adoption of alternatives.
Capital Region Good Food Society	5,000.00	Good Food and You - outreach project	To expand their social enterprise and to support the development of an outreach program and expanded educational programming for the inner city schools, low income families and FN communities and to support new partnership agencies.
Capital Regional District	5,000.00	The New Business as Usual	To support this breakfast conference in which sustainability experts, politicians, and SME's will discuss the green economy and sustainability.
Catching the Spirit Youth Society	7,000.00	Catching the Spirit Environmental Stewardship Program	To support this program in developing leadership skills and social responsibility in youth through environmental stewardship, community service and outdoor recreation.
Check Your Head	8,500.00	Climate Justice Project	A project to engage and empower youth to build a more sustainable community by generating environmental actions, committing to changing their behaviours and initiating individual and community projects related to alternative transportation.
Chilliwack Society for Community Living	10,000.00	Sustainable Organic Local (SOL) Garden #1	To support a sustainable community garden and CSA program, including harvest boxes and educational workshops.
CityStudio	15,000.00	Business Model Development	Funds are used to hire a consultant to take their business model and core strategies and rework them for greater growth and impact.
Climate Smart Business Inc.	25,000.00	Climate Smart-Vancity Business & NFP Scholarships	
Climate Smart Business Inc.	20,000.00	Climate Smart - Storytelling Videos	To produce four digital storytelling video showcasing CS alumni and Vancity business members, suppliers or

			approved potential members.
Climate Smart Business Inc.	12,500.00	Quarterly Industry Briefs	To create four industry briefs focusing either on an individual sector or business "usage sector." Each brief will encompass a discussion and report-to-date of GHG-measurement trends and a list of best practices employed within the sector.
Columbia Institute	20,000.00	Green Jobs BC Conference Dinner	To sponsor this event.
Cowichan Biodiesel Cooperative	2,000.00	Bursary for the Imagine 2012 Int'l Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Cowichan Biodiesel Cooperative	5,000.00	Point of Sales (POS) System	To develop a point of sale system as an interface between the biofuel distribution system and members purchasing biofuel.
Cowichan Energy Alternatives Society	9,000.00	Community Carbon Marketplace	To develop the system to allow organizations to buy and sell carbon credits online, linking those groups operating and planning carbon offset projects with companies looking to reduce their carbon footprint.
Cowichan Energy Alternatives Society	5,000.00	Biofuel Distribution Technology & Infrastructure	To develop a system for biofuel distribution technology and infrastructure.
Cowichan Energy Alternatives Society	1,500.00	SVO Diesel Car Conversion Workshop	To support workshops on vehicle conversion to bio-diesel and educate participants about the emerging processes and distribution opportunities related to alternative fuels.
Cowichan Green Community Society	38,000.00	Youth Green Classroom	To engage youth in a community 'build' project where they will work with mentors to re-purpose and re-design a Youth Green Classroom from the existing building using 'green' technology including clay, raw and recycled materials.
Cowichan Station Area Association	10,000.00	Greening "The Hub" Community Centre	To transform a secured building with 40-year-lease into a vibrant multi-purpose community centre called "The Hub at Cowichan Station."
David Suzuki Foundation	50,000.00	Sustainable Seafood:local producer to local plate	To work with local seafood suppliers, distributors, retailers and the public to enhance both the supply of and demand for local sustainable seafood.
Delta Farmland & Wildlife Trust	2,500.00	Farmland Awareness	To deliver the 7th annual Day at the farm event which promotes public to meet with local farmers and increase awareness impacting local agriculture.
Douglas College Foundation	10,000.00	UNIBUG: User Network for Insect Biology	To engage community volunteers to monitor biological control insects in their gardens and develop alternatives to chemical pesticides in urban spaces.
Dream Rider Theatre Society	10,000.00	Keep Cool Climate Game	To pilot an interactive media classroom to motivate children to change their behaviour and reduce their carbon footprint through 8 curriculum lessons.
Earthvoice Strategies Inc.	1,680.00	BIA Sustainability Workshop-Future Proofing Org	To support a workshop about planning for peak oil and climate change, business sustainability, eco-innovation, and culture change.
Environmental Youth Alliance	35,000.00	Copley Community Orchard	To tend this orchard, including large communal trees and over 200 shrub plantings.
Evergreen	8,000.00	Seeding Healthy Communities	To provide a free educational series teaching the skills needed to grow food, and steward two garden site that provide donated produce to local community organizations and food insecure individuals.

FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	10,000.00	FoodPrint	An educational campaign to change the public's behavior regarding food waste in the home through raising awareness of buying and cooking habits that lead to food waste.
Food Roots Distributors Cooperative	5,000.00	Cinema in Season Food and Agriculture Film Series	To host a series of 3 food/agriculture film screenings and networking events to educate and inspire people to understand the economic impact of food choice and to recognize the Vancouver Island local sustainable food systems
Fraser Basin Council Society	35,000.00	Action on Energy and Emissions (CAEE) program	To increase community capacity to plan, secure funding for and manage energy improvement projects and identify existing and needed resources & tools to enable communities to implement energy improvement projects.
Fraser Basin Council Society	1,000.00	BuySmart - Vancity Business Member Scholarships	To support this program focusing on environmentally and locally sustainable purchasing.
Fraser Basin Council Society	10,000.00	BuySmart Network	To support this program focusing on environmentally and locally sustainable purchasing.
Fraser Basin Council Society	9,500.00	BuySmart Network (BSN)	To support this program focusing on environmentally and locally sustainable purchasing.
Fraser Valley Bald Eagle Festival c/o Mission Regional Chamber of Commerce	1,200.00	Fraser Valley Bald Eagle Festival	To support this event showcasing the natural environment, featuring educational programs that raise awareness of the importance of a healthy eco-system.
Fraser Valley Conservancy	10,000.00	Ryder Lake Amphibian Protection Project	To construct amphibian road crossings underneath road to protect natural migration of endangered toads and frogs.
Fraser Valley Invasive Plant Council Society	9,000.00	Keep BC Wild:Use Non-invasive Plants in the Garden	To deliver workshops to horticulture industry workers, including species identification, control methods and disposal practices for invasive plants.
Fraserside Community Services Society	10,000.00	Biggest Little Garden in Town	To deploy these apartment gardens to low income families and provide workshops to improve gardening skills.
Freshwater Fisheries Society of BC	10,000.00	Outreach Programs at Fraser Valley Trout Hatchery	To deliver outreach environmental education programs to diverse groups such as schools, youth, seniors and families.
Friends of Clayoquot Sound	6,600.00	Organizational Development FOCS	To support the work of this organization.
Galiano Conservancy Association	10,000.00	Living Landscapes	To enhance biodiversity through ecosystem restoration and improvement and to build the foundation for the future Restorative Learning Centre.
Gen Why Media	30,000.00	Gen Why Media, Bring Your Boomers	To engage an intergenerational audience to discuss and address issues and opportunities in the green economy.
Global Youth Education Network Society	2,500.00	Re:Generation	To support a workshop series bringing together participants from four generations to share stories and strategies in the areas of active transportation, access to green space, zero waste and sustainable food.
Grandview/Uuqinak'uuh Elementary School	5,000.00	Visions 180 Out-of-School Program	To support an after-school program for inner-city children that includes a bike mechanics course and an on-site community garden.
Greasecycle	30,000.00	Greasecycle Employee Share Acquisition Support	To enable their employees to become shareholders of the company. This employee investment is used as a source of working capital to support growth.

Great Bear Initiative Society	10,000.00	Conifer Essential Oils Project	To investigate the feasibility of building a regional First Nations' conifer essential oils business.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	50,000.00	Charitable Equity Investment	To support the development of fuel reduction & carbon offset programs.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Fund	20,000.00	Vancity Social Enterprise Bursaries	To provide financial support to social enterprise lenders and managers to attend learning events related to the development and management of their businesses.
Greater Victoria Bike to Work Society	3,000.00	2012 Greater Victoria Bike to Work Week	To support Bike to Work Week promoting bicycles as a viable means of transportation to and from work.
Green Timbers Heritage Society	10,000.00	Green Timbers wildlife habitat enhancement	To employ education team members to guide youth and immigrant community volunteers to support the restoration team work.
Groundswell Network Society	26,000.00	Community Greenhouse Upgrades and Education	Funds are used for the community greenhouse to enhance communications tools, programming, and outreach.
Habitat Acquisition Trust	10,000.00	Mt Newton Valley Good Neighbours	To support the restoration and protection of trout-bearing streams and fragile Garry Oak meadows through workshops, public presentations and landowner agreements to help manage the land and support the local environment
Haney Farmers Market Society	10,000.00	Haney Farmers Market Capacity Building	To provide public with direct access to food producers, stimulate and support the local economy, and provide opportunities to encourage environmental sustainability.
Holy Family Catholic Church	7,250.00	Feasibility Study for Geothermal Options	To support research, investigation and feasibility of the geothermal heating/cooling and solar resource development and energy system upgrade options.
Home is Where We Live	2,500.00	Community Sunflower Project	To grow vegetable starts for the Garden Creation and Growing Schools programs and to create a new outreach initiative providing sunflowers for sale.
Howe Sound Curling Club	25,000.00	Squamish Rec Facility Ice Plant Upgrade and CH&P	To support a combined heat and power project at a jointly operated community recreation facility complex.
Hub for Active School Travel	10,000.00	Cool Routes to School	To encourage and change schools transportation attitudes and commuting behaviours by supporting school travel planning and best route mapping.
Independent Media Producers Network Society	10,000.00	OPEN CINEMA	To coordinate 6 community café style documentary screenings in collaboration with non-profit orgs; each focusing on a local social justice/ environmental issue.
Indigenous Women's Studies Institute	10,000.00	Harmony Garden and Community Kitchen	To support the harmony community garden which further supports the community kitchen.
John Howard Society of Victoria	5,000.00	Feeding Ourselves and Others	To establish an organic training and food production garden for offenders/ex-offenders and to encourage linkages to community support, services and pre-employment training through mentoring and community volunteers working together to build opportunities.
Kirtan Vancouver Events Society	750.00	Kirtan Vancouver Event-Zero Waste Management	To support the Kirtan event which celebrates well-being, healthy living through yoga, healthy eating, and other mind-body wellness. This year event includes a "green marketplace" featuring local green businesses

			and engaged Vancity business members.
Kirtan Vancouver Events Society	500.00	Employee volunteer grant	
Kitsilano Neighbourhood House	8,123.00	Westside Community Food Markets	To support a farmer's market, creating affordable food access opportunities for vulnerable populations through a weekly market.
Langley Environmental Partners Society	10,000.00	Seed to Plate	To improve public awareness of local food issues through several initiatives, including a Sustainable Food Festival, Urban Agriculture Workshop Series, Seed to Plate Classroom Education Program, Harvest Project etc.
Light House Sustainable Building Centre	10,000.00	Market Insight Events	To support a series of four annual networking and learning sessions targeting the building and urban planning sector, particularly green buildings.
LoCo Business Network Society of BC	5,000.00	LOCO Membership Fee - Founding Member	To support this business association working to strengthen the local economy by creating and strengthening relationships amongst small to medium-sized enterprises.
Long-term Inmates Now in the Community	10,000.00	Growing, Gleaning & Storing Project	To expand the existing Soapbox Community Garden, adding a drip irrigation system, compostable toilet, more raised beds and gleaning program.
Mechanical Contractors Association of BC	2,500.00	Green Chamber Commerce BC Founders' Club Workshop	To provide a workshop, discussing topics related to sustainability and to find leaders willing to advocate and commit to promoting sustainable business efforts.
Metro Vancouver	5,000.00	Zero Waste Conference & Zero Waste Design	To support the conference, which examines impact of design on our waste and economy. Experts will discuss behavior change & product lifecycle design for organic & wood wastes linked to products/packaging.
Mission Adopt-A-Block Society	3,520.00	Community Spring & Fall Cleanups	To support a spring and fall environmental trash clean up of roadways, streams, creeks and trails.
MITACS Accelerate	15,000.00	City of Victoria Green Economy Project	To support research conducted on barriers and opportunities for building a local green economy.
Mount Pleasant Neighbourhood House	10,000.00	More Than Just Trash Talk-From Dialogue to Action	A project to engage multi-unit residential building residents to develop and implement accessible food scraps recycling programs.
Musqueam Indian Band	6,800.00	Promoting Sustainability Awareness in Musqueam	To help build a sustainable community by engaging Musqueam members in a shoreline cleanup and utilizing the city's food waste recycling program.
Nature Conservancy of Canada	7,000.00	Speaker Series Event	To support this speaker series events.
Neighbours Food Cooperative	4,500.00	Sustainable Local Food Box Program	Support for a program where consumers sign up for an average of 12 weeks to receive a weekly box of food from sustainable, local farmers and producers.
Nextwave Foundation	1,000.00	Hollyhock's LED Light	Contribute to Hollyhock's comprehensive plan to improve energy efficiency, sustainability and provide essential skill-building and demonstration solutions.
North Shore Neighbourhood House	70,000.00	Loutet Farm - Edible Garden Project	To operate an urban farm on public parkland in the region that supports environmental, community and economic health while also being a regional model of innovative land use practices.
North Shore Neighbourhood House	10,000.00	Edible Garden Project	To enhance and expand sharing gardens volunteer program and manage garden development for 4 childcare sites.

Northwest Wildlife Preservation Society	10,000.00	Nature Walks & Workshops	To deliver environmental and wildlife education by incorporating in-class and field work to change the behaviours of the inner city schools.
Pacific National Exhibition Society	50,000.00	2012 PNE - Green Scene	To support the PNE - Green Scene project.
Pacific Spirit Park Society	5,500.00	2012-2013 Invasive Species Removal Project	Groups of volunteers will remove invasive species, mostly holly and ivy which will allow native plants to regrow and provide food and cover for wildlife.
Parish of St. Alban-St. Dunstan	10,000.00	Garden-to-Table	Development of a community garden and community kitchen including pre-employment workshops, budgeting and food skills for low income adults and recent immigrants.
Pedal Energy Development Alternatives	10,000.00	Our Community Bike Club!	After school program that improves access to bikes and cycling through rides, mechanics workshops and opportunities for some students to build their own bike, with the goal of creating a generation of committed commuter cyclists.
Pender Community Transition Society	5,000.00	Energy, Food Growing, & Relocalization Projects	To help the community reduce oil dependency, carbon emissions and other damage to our earth and to transition towards resiliency and self-sufficiency by hosting eight key activities and workshops to build community knowledge and skills.
Projecting Change Film Festival	10,000.00	Projecting Change Film Festival	To support a forum for film and dialogue about social and environmental issues, bringing together environmentalists, film lovers, families, local businesses, and decision makers.
Real Estate Foundation of BC	5,000.00	2012 Land Awards	Funds will support the third annual Land Awards being presented by the Real Estate Foundation of BC, recognizing outstanding initiatives in sustainable land use and conservation.
Recycling Alternative	15,000.00	The Hub	Support for a shared space for multiple recyclers in Vancouver, including Recycling Alternative, United We Can, Pacific Mattress Recycling, Our Social Fabric, and possibly Scene Shop.
Recycling Alternative	5,000.00	Food Scraps Drop Spot	Collection area for food scraps for increased zero waste services operating at Vancouver farmers markets throughout the year.
Richmond Food Security Society	10,000.00	Good Food Access	To hire a coordinator to deliver out and support the food access programs for low income families.
Rocky Mountain Flatbread Education Society	10,000.00	EarthBites	An out of school program where educators will lead lessons and activities in four urban elementary schools and organize two youth-led pocket markets where students will sell locally grown produce including food from their own school garden.
Royal Roads University	5,000.00	Camas Mounds Demonstration-Use of Traditional Food	To support a project where camas and other traditional food plants will be planted to increase the supply of community food for feasting, good food boxes for elders and other FN celebrations, and creating opportunities for related social enterprises.
Seymour Salmonid Society	500.00	Employee volunteer grant	
Shift Delivery Co-op	2,000.00	Bursary for the Imagine 2012 Int'l Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Shifting Growth Garden Society	8,000.00	The Commercial Drive Community Garden	The creation of a new, temporary community garden using mobile garden beds on a vacant lot that will include other local food related activities such as CSA pickup for urban farmers, compost drop-off facilities

			and educational resources.
Sierra Club of BC Foundation	10,000.00	Going Wild! Education program	To deliver workshops and presentations about ecosystems, non-timber forest products, traditional ecological knowledge and regional entrepreneurship.
Simon Fraser University	6,720.00	GreenTech Exchange March 29th Forum	To sponsor a forum with an online portal plus networking events for accelerating clean technology innovation and deploying clean energy solutions.
Society for Organic Urban Land Care	30,000.00	SOUL Organic Land Care Standard Review	To review and update the SOUL Organic Land Care Standard.
Sooke Region Food CHI Society	7,000.00	Building Community - Sunriver Gardens	To engage low income citizens and marginalized adults to grow food communally , share in the harvesting, learn new ways to cook and prepare foods and distribute surplus food to those in need.
St. Mary's Catholic Church	7,000.00	Feasibility Study for Geothermal & Solar Options	Research, investigation and feasibility for replacing existing electric heating system to geothermal heating/cooling and upgrading overall energy system of the church.
Stanley Park Ecology Society	10,000.00	Forest De-fragmentation in Stanley Park	A project to restore the long-term health of remaining forest by conducting restoration and enhancement work in fragmented areas and rehabilitating unsanctioned trails.
Steveston Community Society	2,500.00	Steveston Salmon Festival	To support this festival event.
Sunshine Coast Salmonid Enhancement Society	5,000.00	Turbine Installation & Geothermal Installation	To install a geothermal system, which will be powered by a micro-hydro installation.
Surrey Parks, Recreation & Culture	5,000.00	Environmental Extravaganza	To support these month-long events.
Sustainability Solutions Group Workers Cooperative	2,000.00	Bursary for the Imagine 2012 Int'l Conference	Bursary to support cooperative partners to attend the Imagine 2012 International Conference on Co-operative Economics and the Quebec International 2012 Summit of Co-operatives.
Sustainable Infrastructure Society (SIS)	4,800.00	Water Loan Financing Program Pilot	To support the development of this program designed to support water program partnerships.
Sustainable Infrastructure Society (SIS)	5,000.00	Water Loan Financing Program Pilot	For ongoing program development in 2013.
Synergy Enterprises	2,000.00	Green Business Certification - R&D	To support the research and development phase of a regional green business certification to promote and recognize business sustainability.
Synergy Enterprises	5,000.00	Green Business Certification - Pilot Project	To support the pilot certification of 10-20 businesses of the regional business certification.
Take the Green Challenge	6,500.00	Green Challenge Waste Management	TO support the development of this impact business.
The Cascadia Society for Social Working	9,400.00	Community Trees and Sprouts	To expand community garden and support the teaching garden for adults with development disabilities.
The Galiano Club	10,000.00	Restoration after Devastation - A Pilot Project	To work with the community to pilot three treatment sites to restore access roads, thin forest, assess forest health and remove of invasive species.
The Sharing Farm Society	75,000.00	Sustainable Food System Centre	To create a centre to innovate in orchard permaculture, increase yields while reducing wasted crop, and save the seeds suited to the climate.
The Sharing Farm Society	10,000.00	Bees & Seeds	To purchase bee keeping materials and to preserve and protect seeds at the sharing farm.

The Tiffin Project Foundation	15,000.00	The Tiffin Project	To support restaurant partnership establishment, website completion, local produce logistics improvement, and product offering development.
Township of Langley	6,000.00	WaterWeeks 2012	To support these events.
Tri-City Transitions Society	10,000.00	Gardens for Good	To host a series of community kitchen workshops for women in transition, including local sustainable food production, permaculture gardening, food budgeting, preparation and nutrition.
Tsawout SNEPENEKS Cultural Society	10,000.00	Gathering Strength Community Garden	To create a sustainable community garden that engages youth and elders in a holistic environmental and community engagement program.
T'Sou-ke Nation	10,000.00	WUI,CIST CEN,TOL (teaching them together)	To teach youth, families and Elders to grow and prepare culturally appropriate foods that are locally produced and harvested, to share traditional knowledge and skills within the community.
UBC Faculty of Education	6,000.00	Intergenerational Landed Learning Project	Urban elementary school children work with adult volunteers to plant, tend, harvest, cook and eat organic crops at UBC Farm. Youth interns will build the gardening skills and knowledge needed to manage their own school garden projects.
University of British Columbia Net Impact	500.00	UBC Net Impact Conference & Sustainability Expo	Sponsoring 10th Annual UBC Net Impact Conference.
Upper Fraser Fisheries Conservation Alliance	5,000.00	Inland Salmon Producers -Fraser Native Fisheries	To revive the Fraser River Native Salmon Fisheries.
Vancity Community Foundation	60,000.00	Park Conservation Fund -City Urban Forest Plan	To support the City Urban Forest Plan.
Vancity Community Foundation	375,000.00	Cortes Island Initiative	
Vancity Community Foundation	50,000.00	Greenest City Fund	To support the PNE to green its operations.
Vancity Community Foundation	60,000.00	Enterprising Non Profits Program	To support the work of this collaborative.
Vancouver Area Cycling Coalition	7,000.00	Bike to Work Week	To coordinate the commuter bike stations during Bike to Work weeks throughout the year.
Vancouver Japanese Language School and Japanese Hall	20,000.00	Heritage Renovation Daycare Project	To renovate the 106 year-old building to create childcare centre, integrate greening structurally in the building and through green programming content in educational curriculum, and restore Japanese Canadian heritage.
Victoria Car Share Coop	2,500.00	EV Charging Station	To create one of two curbside charging stations and support the purchase of a third electric vehicle.
Victoria Downtown Public Market Society	59,000.00	Public Market and Community Kitchen	To provide a meeting place to introduce consumers to local farmers, food producers & businesses, and to expand the consumer base through education and public outreach.
Village of Granisle	30,000.00	Granisle Fire Hall Renovation	To renovate/retrofit the Granisle Fire Hall, a pre-engineered steel building that is currently responsible for a considerable amount of energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions.
WildBC c/o Habitat Conservation Trust Foundation	5,500.00	Leap into Action!	To implement and pilot a new sustainability program where students in grades 6-8 undertake environmental action projects that encourage leadership, build social responsibility, engaged citizenship and has positive impact on local communities and ecosystems.

Young Naturalists' Club of BC Society	10,000.00	Young Naturalists' Conservation Action Team	To empower youth by participating in creating a database of wildlife observations that contribute to preservation of grassland species and build awareness about the importance of the existing farmland to extend critical wildlife habitat.
TOTAL	2,280,647.01		

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