SOURCES OF FUNDING FOR NON- PROFITS IN BC

UPCOMING SUBMISSION DEADLINES

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Canadian Heritage BC Office E-mailPCH.bro-wro.PCH@canada.ca	Canada Cultural Spaces Fund objectives are to promote: 1. improved physical conditions for professional arts and heritage related collaboration, creation, presentation, preservation, and exhibition; and 2. increased and improved access for Canadians to arts and culture.	50% of total eligible	Applications are accepted on a continuous basis.
	Information about eligibility and how to apply available at: Application Guidelines - Canada Cultural Spaces Fund - Canada.ca- Events — Community Support, Multiculturalism, and Anti-Racism Initiatives Program: provides funding to community-based events that promote	Up to a maximum of \$100,000.	Applications are accepted on a continuous basis.

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	intercultural or interfaith understanding, promote discussions on multiculturalism, diversity, racism and religious discrimination, or celebrate a community's history and culture such as heritage months recognized by Parliament. Application Guidelines: Application Guidelines — Events component - Canada.ca Information and Application: https://www.redcross.ca/how-we-help/current-e mergency-responses/covid-19-%e2%80%93-novel-coronavirus/strengthening-community-capacity-to-support-mental-health-and-wellbeing		
CIBC Foundation Donations and Sponsorship Fundinguidelines CIBC Contact: Mailbox.CommunityInvestment@cibc.com	access to education and employment outcomes for underserved communities, with a focus on	N/A	Requests are accepted year-round, but are reviewed annually between March and October.

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3 CIRA Net Good https://www.cira.ca/en/net-good/ Up to \$100.000 March 1- April 10, **CIRA grants:** funds community-led internet 2024 projects to build a resilient, trusted and secure Contact: grants@cira.ca internet for all Canadians. What is funded: https://www.cira.ca/en/what-we-fund/ How to prepare: https://www.cira.ca/en/grants/how-apply/#prep are How to Apply: https://www.cira.ca/en/grants?utm_source=char ityvillage&utm medium=paid-article&utm camp aign=grants2024 Indigenous People Resilience Fund: Any **Community Foundations of Canada** Ongoing https://communityfoundations.ca/initiatives/indigenou Indigenous-led organization or Indigenous-serving \$5,000 to \$30,000 s-peoples-resilience-fund/ organization working to foster resilience in Inuit, Contact: Wanda Brascoupe Email: info@iprfund.ca Metis and First Nations communities anywhere in Phone: 613 262 3089 Canada can apply for the resiliency fund. Victoria Grant Email: victoria@iprfund.ca Phone: 416 **Application Guide::** 999 1978 https://communityfoundations.ca/wp-content/upl oads/2019/04/IPRF-Application-Guidelines-FINAL-J un-19.docx.pdf **Department of Justice Canada** Access to Justice in Both Official Languages N/A Applications accepted https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/index.html **Support Fund:** is designed to provide resources to throughout the year.

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284 Wellington Street, 6th floor, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0H8 (613) 941-4193 E-mail: pb-dgp@justice.gc.ca	facilitate access to justice in both official languages through various means, such as the creation of legal and linguistic tools, workshops and., to support their delivery of training ing to bilingual lawyers and stakeholders of the justice system, the development of related training material and the provision of public legal education and information. How to Apply: https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/fund-fina/jsp-sjp/ol-lo/index.html Application Form: https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/fund-fina/f 02.html		
Hudson's Bay Foundation and the Gord Downie & Chanie Wenjack Fund Home - The Gord Downie & Chanie Wenjack Fund (downiewenjack.ca) E-mail: staff@downiewenjack.ca	Through two grant streams, The Blanket Fund will provide support for Indigenous cultural, artistic, and educational activities. Grassroots Indigenous communities and organisations, and Indigenous individuals undertaking related initiatives, are eligible for the fund. The Reconciliation Action grant stream will	\$1,500-\$15,000	Applications are accepted on a quarterly basis in April, July, October, and January.
	support community-level reconciliation activities, events, and initiatives that contribute to cultural revitalization; elevate Indigenous culture,	Up to \$175,000/year)	Application will open in 2024. <u>Stay</u>

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	languages, and traditions; increase understanding between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples; or other grassroots initiatives that move reconciliation forward Application Guidelines: .OW Reconciliation-Action-Grant-Application-Guidelines_July-2023.pdf (downiewenjack.ca)		connected to be notified of future opportunities.
Honda Canada Foundation http://hondacanadafoundation.ca	Supports people and organizations that focus on four pillars: Family, Environment, Engineering and Education. Can be granted to charitable groups with CRA status such as: Educational institutions (primary, secondary, college, university); Charitable non-profit or organizations, other, tax exempt, national institutions in the fields of family, environment, engineering and education http://hondacanadafoundation.ca/apply-for-funding	N/A	Ongoing
Keg Spirit Foundation https://kegsteakhouse.com/en/keg-spirit-foundation Contact: carolynt@kegrestaurants.com	The Keg Spirit Foundation will consider funding for both new and established projects based on the following criteria: The organization must hold, in good standing, a current charity registration number. The project	\$2,000 - \$5,000	Letters of Interest may be submitted throughout the year and are reviewed on an ongoing basis. If an

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	must relate to children or youth in some way. The program should contain a mentoring component. The application process consists of two-stages: an initial Letter of Interest, which if invited, is followed by a full proposal. LOI instructions are available at: https://kegsteakhouse.com/en/keg-spirit-foundation n		organization is chosen for further consideration, they will be invited to submit a full proposal. with a detailed application.
Letti and John Hecht Foundation https://www.hecht.org/ Contact: Angela Webster, Executive Direct 604.683.7575, info@hecht.org	TThe Foundation has two major objectives: investigation and support of complementary and alternative medicine, particularly in the treatment of cancer ,economic education that promotes the principles of a free market and its relationship to individual freedoms. The foundation has long recognized the importance of protecting and preserving its significant historical properties in Vancouver, BC, with the aim of commemorating the architectural and cultural significance for the benefit of the public. The foundation also provides support to organizations that provide essential services to the needy in British Columbia, as well as to a few existing charitable organizations that come to the Board's attention.	N/A	Applications will be accepted at any time.

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Max Bell Foundation https://maxbell.org/	 Max Bell Foundation provides two types of grants: Program Projects: support clearly defined activities designed to achieve a specific purpose that aligns with the Foundation's mission and criteria. Development Grants: support registered charities doing exploratory or developmental work while employing students or early career individuals. Additional information at: https://maxbell.org/our-work/granting/types-programs/ Application Process: Apply for a Grant (maxbell.org) Application site: Logon Page - Grant Lifecycle Manager (grantinterface.ca) 	\$10,000 up to \$200.000 Max Bell Foundation seldom provides 100% of the support required for any given project.	The Board of Directors, which makes decisions on project grants, meets three times each yea usually in May, September, and December.
MCConnell Foundation McConnell Foundation	The McConnell Foundation funds activities focused on at least one of our three focus areas: Climate, Reconciliation and Communities. Innoweave offers coaching support for organizations seeking to clarify their outcomes and improve their impact.	There is no maximum amount. (but a typical amount is in the range of 100,000-\$500,000)	There are no deadlines to apply

Information on how to apply for funding:

Funding - McConnell Foundation

Osprey Community Foundation https://ospreycommunityfoundation.ca/ Contacts: President Brad Howard at 250 354 1983 or bradhoward@telus.net Treasurer Dave Brown at 250 352 2975 or davelinbrown@shaw.ca	Friends of Nelson Elders in Care: Seniors' Grants: Osprey has partnered with FONE to support Nelson and area seniors. Osprey provides FONE with funds to administer a year-round granting program for projects and/or equipment used to enhance the lives and well-being of seniors in the Nelson area.	N/A	Ongoing
Pacific Blue Cross Foundation https://www.pac.bluecross.ca/company/community/h	whether they are in a facility or in their homes. Grant applications are available here: PDF or Word Partner Program: A "partnership" is a project or program that can actively include Pacific Blue Cross ' personal or be involved as a corporation.	Up to \$45,000	April 15, 2024
ealth-foundation/	Funding Criteria: https://www.pac.bluecross.ca/company/communi ty/health-foundation/health-foundation-funding-c riteria/		
	Major investment: Occasionally, the Pacific Blue Cross Health Foundation Board considers larger multi-year initiatives, most often including capital campaigns. Funding Criteria: https://www.pac.bluecross.ca/company/community/health-foundation/health-foundation-funding-c	Up to \$100,000	April 15, 2024

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	The Foundation assents applications from Consider		
Peter Gilgan Foundation https://petergilganfoundation.org/	The Foundation accepts applications from Canadian non profits for three types of grants:		Accepts expressions of interest on a
	 1 Project grants fund specific programs or activities. Most grants provided are single-year project grants. 2Capacity-building grants are discrete, specific investments to strengthen internal capabilities, knowledge and resources. 3General operating grants are typically only awarded to repeat grantees after a successful project or capacity-building grant, and to Indigenous-led organizations. Grantees may use these funds to cover any costs of running the organization and fulfilling the mission. How to Apply - Peter Gilgan Foundation https://petergilganfoundation.smapply.io/prog/grantprogram https://www.petergilganfoundation.org/grant-program/how-to-apply-2/ 	\$10,000 – \$100,000 per year.	rolling basis.

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Raise Meaningful Work Foundation Meaningful Work Foundation - Raise - Proactive full-service hiring partners (raiserecruiting.com) Contact: stewardship@raiserecruiting.com	Grant Application: If you are a Canadian non-profit organization that helps break down barriers to employment, we welcome you to apply. Information: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/8LRTFSW	\$5,000 to \$15,000	March 31st, 2024
Royal Bank of Canada Foundation	The RBC Youth Mental Well-being Project supports programs that help youth and families access the	Up to 50% of the project's budget	Applications are accepted year-round.
https://www.rbc.com/community-social-impac t/apply-for-funding/index.html	right care at the right time. There are two areas where the support can make the biggest difference: Navigation Programs Technology-based Solutions Guidelines and Eligibility: RBC Youth Mental Well-being Project Guidelines and Eligibility - RBC		
	Application form: RBC-Youth-Mental-Health-Application.pdf For questions related to your application or the RBC Youth Mental Well-being Project please contact: ymhproject@rbc.com		
	IDC-RBC Foundation Scholarship: If you are a board director or Executive Director of a registered charity whose purpose is to improve outcomes for the community the organization serves, then the ICD invites you to apply to the ICD-RBC Foundation	Scholarship value: \$2,500	Scholarships for the 2024 academic year are now available.

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	Scholarship. Preference is given to equity-seeking organizations that serve the underrepresented. Information: https://www.icd.ca/education/scholarships-and-grants/icd-rbc-foundation-scholarship This needs-based financial assistance will provide the opportunity to attend the ICD-Rotman Governance Essentials Program. Please visit Apply Online for current offerings.		
Sika Foundation https://sitkafoundation.org/ Contact: info@sitkafoundation.org	The Sitka Foundation granting program aims to support the following 4 key areas: 1. land, water, and ocean conservation 2. scientific research for nature and the environment 3. public engagement around the importance of a healthy environment 4. innovative conservation efforts in Canadian communities, at the local, provincial, and federal levels. The Sitka Foundation only grants qualified Canadian donees.	\$5,000 to \$350,0	Application by invitation.

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Scotiabank https://www.scotiabank.com	ScotiaRISE is a 10-year, \$500 million initiative to promote economic resilience among disadvantaged groups. Requests will be assessed based on your strategic alignment to our focus areas, employee engagement opportunities, financial health, governance and intended social impact. Information and Application available at: ScotiaRISE Funding Guidelines Scotiabank Canada	N/A	Applications are reviewed throughout the year
Teck https://www.teck.com/	Community Investment Program: Focus: improve the status of health and mental health in a community. This may include improved child and maternal health outcomes, access to healthcare and mental healthcare services, programs that foster well-being and connectedness, capacity-building, or reductions in disease prevalence, health-related disaster relief, and research in support of the above. How to Apply: https://www.teck.com/sustainability/sustainability-topics/communities-and-indigenous-peoples/community-investment Application Portal:Community Investment - Community Investment (teck.com)	N/A	Applications are accepted throughout the year

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Vancity Contact: communitypartnerships@vancity.com	Community Partnership Program: funded through their Shared Success program, welcomes opportunities to work with local not-for-profit organisations, social enterprises, co-operatives, labour unions, First Nation governments that align with our values.	Up to \$ 10,000	Ongoing throughout the year
	Eligibility and How to Apply:		
	ttps://www.vancity.com/AboutVancity/InvestingInC		
	ommunities/Grants/CommunityPartnershipProgram		
	/ Fund:		
	https://www.vancity.com/AboutVancity/InvestingIn		
	ommunities/Grants/enviroFund/PriorityAreaComm		
	unitySustainabilityProjects/index.jspThe Fund		
	supports organisations that are redefining the 'good		
	life' by focusing on wellbeing – happy, healthy lives		
	that support the things that move away from		
	materialism to the things that matter most – our		
	friends and family ties, our service to society and		
	civic engagement, our sense of trust, our capacity to		
	meet our basic needs, and our health		
	 Your project should generate quantifiable 		
	outcomes. Applicants will need to identify		
	and report on impact measures		

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	 Preferences are given to initiatives that acknowledge the injustice that is a result of over-consumption and seeks to rectify inequality as part of the project's mandate or mission. For Community Sustainability Initiatives the Application can be found at: https://www.vancity.com/SharedContent/documents/Grants/Vancity_enviroFund(TM)_Application.pdf Applications can be dropped off in person at your local branch, or submitted to envirofund@vancity.com 	Up to \$10,000	Ongoing throughout the year
Walmart Canada Community Giving walmartcanada.ca/purpose/community	Community Giving Areas of Focus: Hunger Relief, Food Access s and Healthy Eating, Disaster Preparedness and Relief, and Building Strong Communities. How to Apply: Apply for a Donation (walmartcanada.ca)	N/A	There is no deadline to apply; applications are reviewed on an ongoing basis.
Women and Gender Equality Canada https://women-gender-equality.canada.ca/en.html	Call for proposals to support projects for the 2SLGBTQ+ communties: With this funding, 2SLGBTQI+ organizations will be able to support community-informed initiatives that address barriers to equality, which includes projects that	Up to \$400,000 in total for projects with a local reach. Project activities cover one community, such as a	April 10, 2024, at 12:00 p.m. (noon) Pacific time

	facilitate systemic change, plus the development of knowledge, tools, and support for the community. Information and How to Apply: https://women-gender-equality.canada.ca/en/funding/funding-programs/2slgbtqi-projects-fund-2024/about.html#toc0	town, city, or regional municipality. Up to \$1,200,000 in total for projects with a regional, provincial or territorial, or pan Canadian reach	15
Work BC https://www.workbc.ca	Community-Employer Partnership Program/Job Creation Partnerships provide funding to organizations to assist with local projects that provide useful work experience and skill enhancement opportunities to eligible job seekers to help them obtain sustainable employment. Projects should benefit the job seeker, community and the local economy; however, the primary focus must be on helping the participant. Information available at:	N//A	Ongoing intake
	https://www.workbc.ca/Employment-Services/Community-and-Employer-Partnerships/Job-Creation-Partnerships.aspx		

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