

2021 Shared Success Grants

Affordable Housing

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Catalyst Community Developments Society	\$200,000.00	Capacity Building for Project Generation	Through a three-year partnership with Vancity, Catalyst will grow its Project Generation and Financing teams in order to undertake a greater number of feasibility studies for climate ready affordable housing projects.
Social Innovation Canada	\$50,000.00	Financialization of Housing Social Innovation Lab	The Social Innovation Lab's goal is to understand how the housing finance system could be improved to support housing afford-ability for all Canadians. This project is advancing to it's prototyping phase.
Co: Here Foundation	\$50,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - CO:Here	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to CO:Here partnership
M'akola Housing Society	\$50,000.00	Feasibility Study - 1700 Block E Hastings	In partnership with other service providing non-profit societies, MHS is exploring the feasibility of acquisition and development of the 1700 Block of E Hastings (1706 – 1784 E Hastings) for affordable housing.
Co: Here Foundation	\$50,000.00	Create Affordable Housing	Co:Here is scaling up its operations to become an early-stage development consultant with a focus on unique services designed to help Faith-based ORGS overcome the initial hurdles to developing affordable housing.
Brightside Community Homes Foundation	\$40,000.00	Tenant Relocation Program	Brightside is collecting research on the impacts of relocation on resident well-being and the relocation process. This work will help inform and improve future resident relocation experiences for Brightside and the community housing sector in BC.

Pacifica Housing Advisory Association	\$32,000.00	Property Portfolio Review	Pacifica is developing a strategic real estate plan to help them identify priority properties for affordable housing development that can help them deliver on their key organizational objectives.
Emmanuel Mennonite Church	\$30,000.00	Feasibility Study - 32027 Peardonville Road	Completion of the Feasibility Study phase will determine if the site is suitable and financially viable for affordable housing redevelopment and if EMC should proceed to the Business Plan phase.
Sooke Region Community Health Network	\$30,000.00	Business Planning 6671 Wadams Way	The Sooke Region Communities Health Network (SRCHN) is seeking to develop a seniors' affordable housing project in Sooke, This grant will support business planning to determine and manage future funding and financing risks.
More Than a Roof Housing Society	\$28,000.00	Property Portfolio Review	More Than a Roof Housing Society is interested in becoming an affordable housing developer, and is undertaking a portfolio review of it's existing assets to understand it's organizational capacity to do this work.
QMUNITY	\$25,000.00	IDAHOT Breakfast and Capacity Building	Support for the International Day Against Homophobia and Transphobia and operational support for the development of affordable housing for LGBTQ2SIA+ refugees, and in-community banking.
Carnegie Community Action Project c/o Carnegie Community Centre Association	\$25,000.00	COVID Support	Annual support for CCAP to raise issues on housing policy in the DTES, particularly in support of the work they have continued to do throughout the pandemic around housing vulnerable populations
Options for Homes Non-Profit Corporation (Greater Toronto Area)	\$25,000.00	Social Impact Study	To support design and implementation of study on their affordable home ownership program.

The Bloom Group	\$22,500.00	Organizational Capacity Building	The Bloom Group is setting up the systems and processes required to complete their real-estate portfolio strategy planning & expansion, which includes building their team's capacity to implement recommendations.
The Kettle Friendship Society	\$22,000.00	Portfolio Review & Strategic Real Estate Plan	Kettle is undertaking an evaluation of its existing properties in the form of a Portfolio Review and Real Estate Plan, in order to assess how to leverage its assets to build a drop-in centre, and affordable housing.
Ottawa Community Land Trust	\$20,000.00	Organisational Support	To support the OCLT in its goal of preserving and developing affordable housing in Ottawa with a comprehensive portfolio application through CMHC's Federal Lands Initiatives and assisting staff capacity.
BC Nonprofit Housing Association	\$20,000.00	Housing Central Conference	Housing Central Conference is an event that offers three days of learning, networking and celebrating the successes of the community housing sector / affordable housing across BC.
Catalyst Community Developments Society	\$15,000.00	Multi-Year Strategic Planning	Catalyst Community Developments Society is undertaking the final steps to refine and implement their multi-year strategic plan that will enable the organization to enter its next phase of growth.
Mayne Island Housing Society	\$12,500.00	Business Planning Grant 375 Village Bay Road	MIHS is seeking to develop 10 units of affordable rental housing on Mayne Island in the CRD. The project has land secured, is undergoing a rezoning process, and is currently completing their business plan.
Gulf Islands Galisle Affordable Housing Rental Housing Society	\$12,500.00	Business Planning & Project Mangement	To support the 12 unit affordable housing project taking place on Galiano Island (located within the CRD) in progressing further business planning work to be completed to ensure project financial viability.

The Nest Housing Society	\$12,000.00	Feasibility Study	The Nest Housing Society (Nest), in partnership with North Shore Alliance Church (NSAC) and the Christian and Missionary Alliance, and Canadian Pacific District (CPD), are currently commencing a feasibility study for an affordable housing,
Real Estate Foundation of BC	\$10,000.00	Land Awards 2022	The Land Awards recognizes big ideas and bold leadership in land use, sustainability, and real estate across the Province of BC. Vancity is a presenting sponsor.
The Lower Mainland Purpose Society for Youth and Families	\$10,000.00	Friendly Landlord Forum	Develop a survey targeting landlords across New Westminster area as part of a needs assessment and consultation process. A forum will be held during Homelessness Action Week Oct. 11-17 where landlords will be recruited, supported and housing spaces secured.
Canadian Housing and Renewal Association	\$7,500.00	CHRA 2022 National Congress Sponsorship	CHRA's Congress on Housing and Homelessness unites leaders and professionals from across the housing and homelessness sector in Canada to meet and exchange learnings and ideas. Vancity is an Indigenous Caucus sponsor for the conference.
Canadian Housing and Renewal Association	\$7,500.00	CHRA 2021 National Congress Sponsorship	CHRA's Congress on Housing and Homelessness unites leaders and professionals from across the housing and homelessness sector in Canada to meet and exchange learnings and ideas.
Vancity Community Foundation	\$5,000.00	Social Purpose Real Estate Collaborative	Annual CORE Membership for SPRE - a group of funders and investors including government focused on improving the situation for non profits and social enterprises struggling in BC's real estate markets.

North Shore Disability Resource Centre	\$2,000.00	Assisted Living Program	Updating homes under Assisted Living Program.
BC Nonprofit Housing Association	\$1,500.00	BCNPHA - R.E.N.T Virtual	Vancity is the keynote sponsor of BCNPHA's virtual RENT event - a regional networking event focused on education tailored to the non-profit housing sector for leadership, operations and asset management.

COVID Relief

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Foundation	\$575,000.00	Covid Response Small Business & NFP Installment 2	Covid response funding for the Small Business and NFP Member Relief Fund, administered by Vancity, to support members who are struggling, relaunching, pivoting or winding down gracefully due to the effects of the Covid pandemic.
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Foundation	\$250,000.00	Covid Response Small Business & NFP Installment 1	Covid response funding for the Small Business and NFP Member Relief Fund, administered by Vancity, to support members who are struggling, relaunching, pivoting or winding down gracefully due to the effects of the Covid pandemic.
Potluck Café Society	\$135,000.00	Potluck Café Relocation and Expansion	Potluck's relocation and expansion to a new commercial kitchen facility in Vancouver's DTES enables continuation and growth of the social enterprise, including doubling production capacity for both meal programs and catering and increasing employment opportunities

Flood Relief Support	\$50,000.00	Flood Relief Support	Flood disaster relief funding to support organisations doing front-line work that do not qualify for the Humanitarian Fund.
Renewal Funds Management Company Ltd.	\$30,000.00	2021 Youth Impact Challenge	The 2021 Youth Impact Challenge encourages youth across Canada from all backgrounds and perspectives to submit a brief project plan that addresses a social and/or environmental issue.
Spring Activator Inc	\$15,750.00	Spring Business Resilience Program	Partnering to provide a 5-month pilot to help Vancity members (for-profits, co-operatives, NFP social enterprise) pivot where needed as a result of Covid-19 and the coming recession.
LOCO Business Network Society of BC	\$15,000.00	Digital Marketing Support Program	LOCO BC in partnership with Crisp Media will support 10 SMEs (Vancity members) to enhance their digital platforms and e-commerce to better leverage the digital marketplace, through coaching and technical support.
Pacific Post Partum Support Society	\$10,000.00	Covid Relief	The society will use the funds to increase part-time staff hours to meet increased demand throughout the province.
Progressive Intercultural Community Services Society	\$10,000.00	Intercultural Mindset for Youngpreneurs	Will provide 22 weeks of self-employment/entrepreneurship training to 36 eligible individuals impacted by COVID-19.
Vancouver Island Human Rights Coalition	\$10,000.00	Covid Relief	The society will use the funds to increase part-time staff hours to meet increased demand throughout the province.

West Broadway Business Improvement Association	\$10,000.00	PATIO Campaign	The Vancouver BIA partner PATIO campaign is to promote both permanent and temporary patios and add spotlight plazas across the city to increase direct spending with local businesses.
Canadian Iranian Foundation	\$5,000.00	Seniors Mental Health Support	Funds will used to assist new immigrants who are unable to communicate and are suffering from loneliness during the pandemic.
Eastside Culture Crawl Society	\$5,000.00	25th annual Eastside Culture Crawl	The Culture Crawl's Festival Program provides a range of opportunities for audiences to engage with the visual arts, along with building capacity for visual artists affected by COVID.
Greater Victoria Chamber of Commerce	\$5,000.00	Picnics and Patios	A campaign to increase patronage of local restaurants and food/beverage providers in the Greater Victoria Region in a manner approved by the PHO that requires no extra effort from staff/owners of those restaurants.
Langley Community Services Society	\$2,500.00	Intensive Case Management Team	This initiative provides housing stability and allows community members to practice COVID protocols while also being monitoring for overdoses.
The People's Pantry Food Recovery Society	\$2,500.00	Healthy Hampers	Aims to address COVID response and recovery by providing food hampers from rescued food on a weekly basis to seniors, single parents and homeless youth impacted by financial challenges, job loss and food insecurity issues in the Tri-Cities.

Energy & Climate

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Home Performance Stakeholder Council	\$200,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - Home Performance Stakeholder Council	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to Home Performance Stakeholder Council partnership
Pacific National Exhibition	\$160,000.00	PNE Sustainability Partnership	This is the last year of our three year commitment with the PNE. We are continuing work around waste diversion, green buildings, and green lifestyles, and ensuring there is a solid foundation for the future of sustainability at the PNE.
Sandown Centre for Regenerative Agriculture	\$100,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - Sandown Centre for Regenerative Agriculture	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to Sandown Centre for Regenerative Agriculture partnership
OPEN Regenerative Technologies, Inc.	\$91,927.50	Homeowner Energy Retrofit Journey Mapping	Through qualitative and quantitative research, this project will identify barriers to low-carbon home retrofits and surface key intervention points. This information will benefit many stakeholders working to accelerate the uptake of retrofits.
One Earth Initiative Society	\$83,935.00	Advancing Lighter Living	Three projects to engage individuals, neighbourhoods and businesses to adopt and continue to build a market for “lighter living” practices such as home energy retrofits, low-carbon transportation and the share and reuse of materials.
Home Performance Stakeholder Council Association	\$50,000.00	Home Performance Contractor Network	This multi-year partnership will help build industry capacity, ensure quality workmanship through training and accreditation, grow the market for retrofit-related sectors, and enable the low-carbon retrofit of single-family homes.

Simon Fraser University	\$50,000.00	Burnaby Urban Resilient Futures Initiative	The Urban Resilient Future Initiative will work with the City of Burnaby, residents (including Vancity members) and stakeholders to accelerate climate action for a low carbon future.
British Columbia Institute of Technology	\$50,000.00	Lighter Living App	The Lighter Living App will allow city residents, business employees and other groups to understand their ecological and carbon footprints, set goals to lighten their footprints and measure their progress.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	\$50,000.00	Climate Solutions in Food Systems	Climate Solutions in Food Systems has three programs to reduce GHG emissions: supporting farmers and ranchers, influencing policy, and engaging eaters.
Home Performance Stakeholder Council Association	\$50,000.00	Home Performance Contractors Network	This multi-year partnership will help build industry capacity, ensure quality workmanship through training and accreditation, grow the market for retrofit-related sectors, and enable the low-carbon retrofit of single-family homes.
City Green Solutions Society	\$49,250.00	Bring It Home 4 Climate	Bring It Home 4 Climate engages and supports homeowners to reduce the energy consumption and carbon footprint of their homes through virtual home energy check-ups, one-on-one coaching, and public education.
OPEN Regenerative Technologies, Inc.	\$40,000.00	Retrofit Concierge	Support the development of a web-based “Retrofit Concierge” that will help homeowners understand how best to reduce their home’s carbon emissions and energy consumption. This tool will help us to reach our regional, federal and international climate goals
BC Tech	\$30,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - BC Tech	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to BC Tech partnership

Cheakamus Foundation for Environmental Learning	\$25,000.00	Building for a Greener Future Together	A project-based building course designed for, and co-created with, Indigenous women and 2SLGBTQ+ people with an interest in pursuing leadership roles and careers in the high-performance building sector.
Ecotrust Canada	\$24,900.00	RDMW Efficiency Financing Study Proposal	Exploring the potential for an energy efficiency financing program in Alert Bay and the rest of the Regional District of Mount Waddington that could address energy poverty and reduce greenhouse gas emissions.
Beulah Garden Homes Society	\$20,416.00	Lighter Living and GHG Reduction	Support for engaging staff and senior residents in lighter living practices. This initiative is part of the organization's commitment to reduce its carbon emissions and overall environmental impact.
Gulf Islands Food Co-Op	\$20,000.00	Regenerative Agriculture for Healthy Island Soils	To increase the knowledge and skills in the practice of regenerative agriculture, specifically on soil health, which contributes to carbon sequestration and increases the environmental and economic viability of growing food on the Gulf Islands.
Accelerating Sustainability Events Management Inc.	\$18,375.00	GLOBE Capital Series	A GLOBE conference centered on financing resilient infrastructure, scaling clean innovation, and activating social finance.
One Earth Initiative Society	\$17,075.00	Lighter Living Neighbourhood Grants	A small grants program to support neighbourhood groups to carry out "lighter living" projects together and to promote practices such as home energy retrofits, low-carbon transportation and the share and reuse of materials.

Be The Change Earth Alliance	\$15,000.00	Youth for Climate Action	To amplify the voices and ideas of diverse youth, teach them crucial skill sets for ecological footprint reduction and climate action, and support them to navigate climate anxiety.
Association of Neighbourhood Houses BC	\$15,000.00	BioCYCLE Youth Leadership	BioCYCLE is an educational leadership and mentorship project for youth ages 13-20 that focuses on green transportation, waste management, supporting youth leaders in creating green-living passion projects and creating environmental work opportunities.
BCTECH Allocation	\$15,000.00	Climate Solutions Award	Bronze partnership for 2021 Technology Impact Awards and Presenting sponsor for 2022 BCTECH TIA "Gamechanger Climate Solutions" Award
Canada Green Building Council	\$15,000.00	Advancing Green Building Leadership	The Advancing Green Building Leadership Recognition in BC project will collaboratively advance leadership recognition in green building in BC as a driver of market transformation, and help expand the profile and market for green building.
OPEN Regenerative Technologies, Inc.	\$12,600.00	Homeowner Energy Retrofit Journey Mapping Phase 1	Qualitative and quantitative research that will help Vancity, community partners and other stakeholders working to accelerate the uptake of low-carbon energy retrofits to identify and address barriers facing homeowners.
Catalyst Community Developments Society	\$11,550.00	Embodied Carbon Life Cycle Analysis	This life cycle analysis will support optimizing and reducing embodied carbon emissions for an affordable housing project and developing experience in integrating low-embodied carbon design into this and future projects.

B Collective Homes	\$10,000.00	Building Offsite Sustainable Systems	Support for the development of open-source designs for two Passive House certified, low-carbon, lower-cost building types: single family/duplex and low-rise multi-family residential.
Catalyst Agri-Innovation Society	\$10,000.00	Cascade Utilization of Biomass	Address upstream and downstream Scope 1 and 3 Emissions for dairy and mushroom farms in the Fraser Valley.
Earth Day Canada	\$10,000.00	Earth Day Canada Tree Planting Campaign	VCIB is supporting Earth Day Canada's Giving Tuesday Campaign by providing a matching grant of \$10000. The proceeds will go toward the organization's science-based tree planting initiatives.
Islanders Working Against Violence Society	\$10,000.00	Solar Panels on Croftonbrook Affordable Housing	The addition of photovoltaic solar panels to an affordable housing development will support IWAV's efforts to green operations, help ensure affordability for residents, and build resilience to disrupted energy supply.
Victoria Compost and Conservation Education Society	\$10,000.00	The Ground Beneath Our Feet	Develop remediation plots at 4 different sites, support RRU student participation, test soil & plant samples, share free resources & workshops.
Refarmers Regenerative Agriculture Association	\$10,000.00	Vancouver Urban Food Forest (VUFF)	A VUFF at Burrard View Park will create accessible, climate-smart food choices, provide learning opportunities on the climate crisis, agricultural degradation, food security and equity.
Camp Fircom Society	\$10,000.00	Camp Fircom Solar PV Installation	The installation of solar photovoltaic panels at Camp Fircom will reduce the amount of carbon-intensive diesel fuel used to generate electricity, and significantly reduce the camp's fuel costs.

Canadian Association of Physicians for the Environment Foundation	\$10,000.00	Toward a Healthier Cycling Infrastructure	Toward a Healthier Cycling Infrastructure: Making Active Transportation Safer in Vancouver. A cycling study and map of high-risk areas and identification of infrastructure improvements needed to enable safer cycling in Vancouver.
Coquitlam River Watershed Society	\$10,000.00	Rain Gardens for Stormwater Management	To install a demonstration rain garden in Lions Park, Port Coquitlam as part of an outreach program to single family homeowners in the watershed (Tricities area).
Light House Sustainability Society	\$10,000.00	Zero Waste Construction Certification	Light House, Zero Waste Canada, and HSR Zero Waste will work together with Ledcor Construction to develop a Zero Waste Certification for Construction, the first of its kind in Canada.
Transition Salt Spring Society	\$10,000.00	Climate Action Coach Program	Support for a new program designed to help homeowners understand the benefits of energy efficiency upgrades and to increase uptake of available incentives and rebates.
Brightside Community Homes Foundation	\$6,825.00	Pathway to Net Zero	Supporting an energy study to identify how a non-profit housing residence can be retrofitted to achieve net-zero operations. This pilot will inform how non-profit housing organizations might approach deep retrofits across their portfolios.
Kitsilano War Memorial Community Centre	\$6,000.00	Cool 'Hood Champs	The Cool 'Hood Champs project will empower Kitsilano's community members to take climate actions in their neighbourhoods and build resilience to climate risk.
Business Council of British Columbia	\$5,000.00	ESG Series 2021 - Investor Sponsorship	BCBC will launch a five-part series consisting of events, publications, and policy discussions with global, national, and local experts.

HUB Cycling	\$5,000.00	Cycling Maps	HUB completed a project in 2019 to GIS map the regional cycling network to a quality far superior to previous data. Funding will support the distribution of maps.
Accelerating Sustainability Events Management Inc.	\$2,625.00	GLOBE DNZ Energy and Transportation Days	The first of a three part series culminating in the GLOBE Conference which focuses on the importance of moving from ambition to action and the process of arriving to a net-zero future.
Greater Victoria Harbour Authority	\$1,500.00	Sea Bin	The Sea Bin will be installed on dock edge of the most polluted harbour in BC, Victoria Harbour. It will collect floating marine debris (~20-30 kg / day) from the harbour.

Financial Resilience & Equity

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Create Vancouver Society	\$70,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds: Create Vancouver Society	Holding funds for multi-year partnership with Vancouver Mural Festival's Black Strathcona Resurgence Project
Megaphone Magazine, c/o Hope in Shadows	\$50,000.00	Hope in Shadows - Economic Inclusion	This renews our annual and longstanding support to Megaphone Magazine for costs associated with the calendar production and other activities, all in support of supporting individuals to engage in the survival/secondary economy with dignity.
Catherine White Holman Society	\$45,000.00	Mutli-Year - Catherine White Holman Society	Holding funds for multi-year partnership with Catherine White Holman Society
Living Wage for Families Campaign, c/o First Call	\$36,000.00	Living Wage for Families Annual Campaign Support	This annual renewing grant provides core operating support to the campaign. Vancity staff serve on the employers advisory and the employee steering committee to elevate the work of the campaign.
Create Vancouver Society	\$31,500.00	Black Strathcona Resurgence Project	Vancouver Mural Festival is partnering with local Black artists, curators, businesses & communities on a multi-year project centered on bringing Black stories, voices, & history to the forefront through public murals & community programming
BC Poverty Reduction Coalition, c/o VCF	\$30,000.00	BC Poverty Reduction Coalition – Operating Support	This annual renewing grant provides core operating support of the campaign.

Coalition of Child Care Advocates of BC	\$25,000.00	\$10aDay Plan	\$10aDay Plan continue to be the central advocate for affordable, quality childcare in British Columbia and provide critical advice to the province.
Burnaby Neighbourhood House	\$15,000.00	Support for the Afghan Community in BC	The funds will be used to support the local Afghan community to support mental health services, including trauma informed counseling in first language, one to one counselling and group therapy, as well as a pool of interpreters.
Kambo Energy Group Inc.	\$10,477.44	Empower Me: Energy 101 Workshops	Empower Me will run four workshops with Iranian immigrants based in Vancouver. These workshops will provide Vancouver's Farsi-speaking population with the knowhow to make energy efficient decisions.
Chimo Community Services	\$10,000.00	Reducing Isolation for Newcomers Program	Funds will be used to support the isolation of many newcomer women who do not have the opportunity to have the physical space to make a phone call. CPP funding will allow the organization to hire an individual to run the program.
Atira Women's Resource Society	\$10,000.00	SisterSpace Peer Support Workers	Increase access to safe and meaningful economic opportunities for marginalized women as a result of violence / trauma, substance use, addiction, and/or mental wellness
Aunt Leah's Independent Lifeskills Socie	\$10,000.00	Supporting Education for Foster Youth	To address systemic barriers faced by youth in and from care, SEFFY provides tutoring, housing subsidies, transportation, childcare, technology and employment readiness.
Foundation for a Path Forward	\$10,000.00	Anti-Racism Events and Podcasts	The Islam Unravelled Anti-Racism Podcast brings a voice to racialized and religions communities by interviewing inspirational community advocates, politicians, thinkers, and leaders not only from those communities, but also from across Canada.

Catherine White Holman Wellness Society	\$10,000.00	Catherine White Holman Society Legal Clinic	The CWHS provides low-barrier legal services to trans, Two-Spirit and gender diverse people access safe health care, adequate housing, social connection, and employment.
Chrysalis Drug and Alcohol Abuse Recovery Society	\$10,000.00	Financial Management Training	To provide financial literacy and employment training for women in recovery in Vancouver. Job skills training, such as Food Safe, First Aid, WHMIS and Mental Health Certification will be provided to assist in acquiring entry level work.
Community Social Planning Council	\$10,000.00	Targeted Universality	The objective of the Targeted Universality project is to develop and test best practices for ensuring access for low income individuals to programs and services in a way that is low barrier and non-stigmatizing.
Kambo Energy Group Inc.	\$10,000.00	Energy Workshop - Tagalong	Empower Me Energy conservation and energy efficiency program to help reduce participants' energy use, increase awareness, comfort and safety of their homes, and lower their carbon footprint.
Makeway Charitable Society - Binner's Project	\$10,000.00	Social Enterprise Program	Increase the capacity of Binner's Project's social enterprise operations by formalizing HR systems and creating a more comprehensive scheduling process.
Mennonite Central Committee BC	\$10,000.00	New Foundations	A poverty reduction initiative targeted at single parent newcomers. Participants are welcomed into community, gain life skills, improve financial literacy, learn about community resources and grow in employment readiness during 17 sessions over 9 months.

Progressive Intercultural Community Services Society	\$10,000.00	Financial and Environmental Awareness	Increase financial and environmental awareness for economic well-being and opportunity among underserved in Surrey/Delta. Provides education in finance management, available funds to update education, job search skills and live environmentally friendly.
Vancity Community Foundation	\$10,000.00	First Call & BCPRC Transition	Financial support for the transition of First Call Child and Youth Advocacy and BC Poverty Reduction Coalition becoming their own entities, no longer housed under Vancity Community Foundation.
Voices of Muslim Women	\$7,500.00	Expansion and funding of leadership program	Expanding initiatives for women's leadership, professional development, and support. Voices of Muslim Women hosts events, workshops, programs, and working committees centered around leadership, mentorship, and networking.
Africa-Canada Education Foundation	\$7,500.00	AfriNet Digital Literacy Training & Resource Centre	ADLTRC is a praxis-oriented, hands-on project that will train African-Canadians in the use of digital technologies, digital platforms, and digital devices. The ADLTRC is designed to train participants to become self-employed and business owners.
Afro Van Connect Society	\$7,500.00	Black Spaces Symposium	The Black spaces Symposium is an exhibition that engages industry leaders, artists, activists, educators, practitioners and community members using a Hip-Hop cultural approach.
Collingwood Neighbourhood House Society	\$6,000.00	Joyce Street Action Network	Funds will go towards hiring a program manager to develop and oversee the Joyce St. Action Network.

Aphotic Theatre Society	\$5,000.00	Art Connects	Art Connects is a partnership between the Aphotic Theatre and two senior homes North Vancouver with the aim to create a bridge between professional LGBTQ2S artists and selected residents through an artistic collaboration.
ACCESS Youth Outreach Services	\$5,000.00	Financial Empowerment	Youth peer mentor employment training program to build financial independence for at-risk youth.
African Women Empowerment Society	\$5,000.00	Disability Entrepreneurship Training	Train persons with disabilities, suffering from depression, anxiety and poverty during COVID pandemic. Employment training will build emotional stability and self-esteem while developing skills to engage in sole entrepreneurship in different kinds of jobs.
Fraser Academy Association	\$5,000.00	Financial Aid and Bursaries	Provide bursaries to students with dyslexia and language-based learning differences at Fraser Academy to help to alleviate financial pressures faced by families impacted by COVID-19 pandemic and assist youth to remain in their specialized programs.
Immigrant Link Centre Society	\$5,000.00	From Pollution To Solution	This project provides over 800,000 kg of free food for 2700 less fortunate people and also helps prevents 1,500,000 kg of CO2 annual emissions in Metro Vancouver by diverting food waste.
Langley Meals on Wheels Services Society	\$5,000.00	Aldergrove Neighbourhood Hub	Monthly financial literacy education. Provide workshops, virtual platforms, networking and mentorship programs, personal budgeting, managing credit cards, fraud and financial abuse protection and includes food support.

MAMAS For Mamas Vancouver	\$5,000.00	At Risk Comprehensive Support Program	Mamas for Mamas is there for Low income parents who need help navigating eligible resources, applying for social supports, and getting direct intake support while joining a community that truly looks after each other.
Family Services of Greater Vancouver	\$3,700.00	FSGV Income Boosting Clinics	This initiative is directly related to building financial empowerment for low-income households, newcomers, and ESL residents of Richmond
Change the World Foundation	\$3,500.00	Pathway to Hope	Provides customized support to at-risk individuals and families in their journey back to wholeness and away from the threat of poverty.
Communitas Supportive Care Society	\$3,000.00	Christmas Fundraiser	This campaign will be used in 40 programs including Matthew's House providing care in communities across BC to those living with disabilities. Programs range from 24-hour residential care to skills-based day programs to respite care.
Alzahra Cultural & Sport Association	\$3,000.00	Social integration of women refugees	Funds will be used to create a website and application to introduce the works of art and handicrafts of newcomer and refugee women in Canada.
Future of Good Media Inc.	\$2,825.00	Black Leadership in Social Impact Summit	Host a half day event to celebrate the achievements of Black leaders in social impact and build an anti-racist social impact sector.

Archway Community Services	\$2,500.00	Fraser Valley Cultural Diversity Awards	Fund will go towards sponsorship of the Fraser Valley Cultural Diversity Awards.
Ghanaian-Canadian Association	\$2,500.00	GhanaFest'21	To celebrate the diversity in culture and music of African community in Surrey.
Great Lakes Networking Society of BC	\$2,500.00	Harambecouver Festival	An annual community-focused cultural festival to celebrate the diversity in food, culture and music of African community in Vancouver.
Kara-Kata Afrobeat Society of Canada	\$2,500.00	Felabrate 2021	The Felebrate celebrates the local African community, to share African culture with all people of the Lower Mainland.
Umoja Operation Compassion Society	\$2,500.00	Virtual Foundraising Gala	Funds will be used towards Umoja's annual Gala to help raise funds for programs offerd to immigrants and to bring awareness to the needs of newcomers and refugees.
Hua Foundation	\$2,290.00	Charity Law	The Charity was formed to ensure the equitable distribution and access to resources, including funding, that we hope the charity will be able to challenge and close the gap in these inequities moving forward.
BC Young Leaders	\$2,000.00	BCYL Leadership Conference	The annual BCYL conference is designed to improve leadership performance, expand perspectives and engage participants in system change.

Immigrant Services Society of BC	\$1,000.00	FOREIGN CREDENTIAL RECOGNITION PROGRAM	Provide assistance to meet the needs of applicants living out of the service areas for Vancity, such as Prince George and Kelowna while intake period is active.
Progressive Intercultural Community Services Society	\$1,000.00	FOREIGN CREDENTIAL RECOGNITION PROGRAM	Foreign Credential Recognition Program (FCR) helps Internationally trained professionals to get back into their professional field or an alternative related career field.
Pigeon Park Savings	\$800.00	Staff Appreciation	Support to provide holiday cheer to the staff at Pigeon Park Savings

Indigenous Communities

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Greater Vancouver Community Assistance Foundation	\$125,000.00	Kwikwetlem First Nation FNMHF Loan Pool	Backstop the retail home loans of Kwikwetlem First Nation members, should the Nation not be able to meet its financial obligations as a guarantor, as per the First Nations Market Housing Fund (FNMHF).
KPU Indigenous Food Systems	\$100,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - KPU Indigenous Food Systems	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to KPU Indigenous Food Systems partnership
Skowkale First Nation	\$90,000.00	SAY Community Impact Project	Skowkale, Aitchelitz and Yaweakwioose (SAY) First Nations are building of a health and admin building that reflects their culture through pieces commissioned by local artists.
Kwantlen Polytechnic University Foundation	\$50,000.00	Indigenous Outreach Facilitator	Vancity will fund the Indigenous Foodways Outreach Initiative which includes the recruitment of an Indigenous Foodways Community Outreach Facilitator position.
Nawalakw Healing Society	\$50,000.00	Nawalakw Cultural Camps	Two camps for youth to strengthen their identities and connect deeply to their roots through their traditional language and the land. Each week, 24 campers, their teachers and support staff will immerse themselves in Kwak'wala – an endangered language.
Umista Cultural Society	\$40,000.00	Tawe'gila (gaining strength)	The 'N̓amgis Nation is preparing for the dig at the St. Michaels Indian Residential School in Alert Bay. 605 Kwakwaka'wakw students have grandparents or relative who were former students and may be impacted.

Stewards of Sc'ianew	\$30,600.00	Stewards of Sc'ianew Indigenous Plant Nursery	The development of an indigenous plant nursery and landscaping crew will provide skills training opportunities for members of the community.
SN Womens Gathering 2018	\$30,000.00	Sto:lo Women's Network	Vancity will fund further development of the Sto:lo Women's Network, which includes the recruitment of a coordinator to advance the work of engaging over 700 Sto:lo women.
South Island Prosperity Partnership	\$30,000.00	Indigenous Prosperity Centre	An initiative to create sustainable capacity to grow outcomes for employment support, SME development, collaboration and job creation for South Island First Nations, by developing the Indigenous Prosperity Centre
Canadian Roots Exchange	\$25,000.00	CREation Community Grants Program	CREation is a multi-level funding program that aims to support Indigenous youth to take ownership over the wellness of their peers and communities.
Carrier Sekani Family Services	\$25,000.00	Launch of film For Love	The film shows how Indigenous communities are overcoming the impacts of residential school by taking back jurisdictional control of their children and strengthening their culture and traditions.
Indigenous Clean Energy	\$25,000.00	Bringing it Home	Convening a national conversation and collaborative process on financing solutions to support energy efficiency in Indigenous communities.
Community Foundations of Canada	\$25,000.00	Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund	The Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund (IPRF) is an Indigenous-led effort to respond to urgent community needs while taking a long-term view on building community resilience

First Nations Technology Council	\$25,000.00	Indigenous Technology Entrepreneurship Education	In Fall 2021, the Institute will refine and further develop their pilot entrepreneurship curriculum and curate additional modules focused on financial literacy and growth stage acceleration.
The Corporation of the Village of Alert Bay	\$25,000.00	Tides of Change	Economic Development Strategy - Harbour Development Plan in Village of Alert Bay
UBC Sauder School of Business	\$25,000.00	CH'NOOK INDIGENOUS BUSINESS EDUCATION	The Ch'nook Indigenous Business Education Initiative builds business knowledge, management and leadership capacity in Indigenous communities to contribute to Indigenous business success.
Herowork Program Society	\$20,000.00	Indigenous Perspectives Society Office Building	The redesign of Indigenous Perspective Society offices to enable program expansion in a culturally appropriate setting with newly configured spaces that accommodate trainings and workshops for up to 50 participants, including new breakout rooms.
Indigenomics Institute	\$20,000.00	Taking a Seat at the Economic Table	The 2021 Indigenomics By Design - Taking a Seat at the Economic table forum to demonstrate emerging strength in the 100 billion dollar Indigenous economy.
Working Group on Indigenous Food Sovereignty	\$20,000.00	Working Group on Indigenous	Working Group on Indigenous Food Sovereignty. Vancity is entering a year of learning with WGIFS while supporting of the work of the Indigenous Food and Freedom School.

Canadian Shareholder Association for Research and Education (SHARE)	\$15,000.00	Reconciliation Responsible Investment Initiative	The Reconciliation and Responsible Investment Initiative is a shared aim to work collaboratively to build capital markets that integrate and better align with Indigenous values and ways of knowing.
Full Circle: First Nations' Performance Society	\$15,000.00	2021 Talking Stick Festival	In it's 20th year, the Talking Stick Festival is a citywide celebration of Indigenous performance and art featuring a mix of theatre, Ab-original Cabaret, live music, dance, spoken word, traditional Powwow, workshops, artist talks and more.
Sto:lo Community Futures Corporation	\$15,000.00	Get Set and Growth Focus Workshops	Stó:lō Community Futures is offering the Get Set and Growth Focus workshops in the Fall and in early 2022. Funding is required for the facilitator, marketing and potentially a venue/meals.
Victoria Native Friendship Centre	\$15,000.00	Business Coaching for Indigenous Entrepreneurs	Experience has shown us that ongoing mentoring is one of the most critical factors that can contribute to the success of Indigenous entrepreneurs, and ongoing support is key.
Canadian Centre for Aboriginal Entrepreneurship Inc.	\$10,000.00	Aboriginal BEST Bella Bella	Provide Aboriginal Business and Entrepreneurship Skills Training (BEST) and Financial Literacy to residents of Bella Bella at request of Heiltsuk EDC.
Indigenous LIFT Collective Inc.	\$10,000.00	Decolonizing Business Wikipedia Page	SFU Venture Labs, Women Entrepreneurship Knowledge Hub - National Indigenous Hub and the Indigenous LIFT Collective have partnered together to host a Wiki edit party to create a Wikipedia page on decolonizing business.

NEC Native Education College	\$10,000.00	Essentials: Skills, Culture, Knowledge	This program aims to develop, test and evaluate innovative training models that support Canadians in improving their Literacy and Essential Skill, with the aim to help them obtain and keep a job, as well as to adapt and succeed at work.
Nisga'a Ts'amiks Vancouver Society	\$10,000.00	Ts'amiks - Financial Health and Literacy	Support high school aged urban Indigenous members and Indigenous Elders with with supportive coaching and tutoring in financial literacy and budgeting. This includes Access to Technology and the training use for tech in Banking and communication
South Island Prosperity Partnership	\$10,000.00	Annual Membership	The South Island Prosperity Partnership is a not-for-profit economic development agency serving Southern Vancouver Island. Vancity is an active member of the network, supporting their Indigenous Economic work.
Steps Together Foundation	\$10,000.00	Riverside College Mission for Education	Bursaries for Indigenous Students from School District 65 to complete their trades education at Riverside College and receive employment support from Steps Together Foundation after completing 1st year courses.
UBC, Peter A. Allard School of Law	\$10,000.00	Steven Point Indigenous Student Support Fund	To support the students support fund in honor of the Honorable Steven Point, and all that he does for all people. To give back to him in the charity of choice for his work in Reconciliation.
BC Achievement Foundation	\$10,000.00	BC Achievement Indigenous Business Award	The BC Achievement Foundation, an independent foundation established and endowed by the Province of BC in 2003 to celebrate excellence and achievement in BC, presents the BC Indigenous Business Award.

Ecotrust Canada	\$10,000.00	Indigenous Homelands	The Innovations in Indigenous Land Tenure project aims to expand the range of options for residential and commercial land tenure development within First Nations communities and territories.
Immigrant Services Society of BC	\$10,000.00	Welcome to Our Homeland - multilingual version	To expand the accessibility of the Welcome to Our Homeland video and study guide among newcomer populations to increase their awareness of Canada's Indigenous Peoples through targeted messages.
Junior Achievement of British Columbia	\$10,000.00	Bright Futures for BC's Indigenous Youth	Indigenous Initiative which aims to expand Junior Achievement programs to Indigenous schools and organizations in the community.
Orange Shirt Society	\$10,000.00	Kamloops Indian Residential School Survivors	The funds will provide Orange Shirt Day Society the ability to distribute orange shirts to the Indian residential school survivors, their families and communities in Kamloops after the recent discoveries of the remains of 215 children.
Seven Sacred Fires Society	\$10,000.00	SSFS Culture & Wellness Project	Twenty community gatherings will welcome up to 16 participants at an outdoor location in Surrey.
Vancouver Community College Foundation	\$10,000.00	Basic Education Program for Indigenous Women	Vancouver Community College has developed a new Basic Education program for female Indigenous learners who face multiple barriers in accessing education.
Victoria Native Friendship Centre	\$10,000.00	Career Employment and Education Resources	The CEER program objective is to find meaningful employment for all urban Indigenous clients including those who wish to return to school to upgrade their educational resources.

Cowichan Green Community Society	\$6,150.00	Cob Oven Culinary Project Youth Employment	The Cob Oven Culinary Project is a one year entrepreneurial culinary project that will engage with Indigenous and at-risk youth who wish to learn skills related to creating a social enterprise in the Cowichan Valley.
Michif Language Revitalization Circle Society	\$5,000.00	Michif Language Revitalization Project	To restore the self-identity of Métis people by revitalizing the Michif Language and Culture, while following traditional Michif values, beliefs, and practices, and integrating the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Report's four guiding principles.
Vanwiche	\$5,000.00	Training Food Truck for Indigenous Youth	Indigenous students will gain knowledge of the food industry preparing for catering events, food prep assembly, and delivery food rotation.
Canadian Council for Aboriginal Business	\$5,000.00	CCAB 2021 Membership Business Member Plus	Annual membership to this organization that aims to build bridges between Indigenous and non Indigenous peoples, businesses and communities.
Nation Skate Youth Society	\$5,000.00	SKATE FOR CHANGE 2021	Nations Skate Youth has partnered with I Dream Library and Takeover Skateboarding, both BIPOC groups making change within the city and beyond. The festival is from June 19-21 and includes outreach to indigenous communities to empower Indigenous youth.
Outside Looking In	\$5,000.00	Entrepreneurship Bootcamp	Provide aspiring Indigenous individuals/groups the entrepreneurial skills and knowledge to start or grow their business ideas and to provide a funding opportunity to take their business to the next level.

Single Mothers' Alliance of BC Society	\$5,000.00	No Baby Left Behind: Healing & Action Initiative	No Baby Left Behind - Indigenous Lone-Mothers Healing & Action Circle Initiative Towards Sustainable Equity for Indigenous Kids in BC is a community-based healing/advocacy initiative to impact the Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples' Act
Western Canada Community Projects Society	\$5,000.00	Canoe Cultures Exhibition	Canoe Cultures Exhibition. The exhibition honours the strong cultural connections the canoe has to the lands and waters.
Startup Vancouver	\$4,000.00	#CanStartupStories	#CanStartupStories " Celebrating Indigenous Entrepreneurs Speaker Event will showcase five diverse Indigenous speakers for our national audience, giving them a voice to share their personal and entrepreneurial story.
Nation Talk Inc.	\$3,955.00	Indigenous Leaders Building an Inclusive Economy	An initiative to bring together the private sector and the indigenous community to discuss and collaborate on economic activities.
Minerva Foundation for BC Women	\$2,500.00	Influential Women in Business Awards	Support for the Michelle Pockey leadership award which is given to an Indigenous woman (first priority) or a young woman pursuing law, justice, Indigenous, or environmental studies.
Fraser Region Aboriginal Friendship Centre Association	\$2,500.00	National Indigenous People's Day Event	Hosted by the Local Land Based Nations, Semiahmoo, Kwantlen and Katzie First Nations, Surrey's National Indigenous Peoples Day is an opportunity to acknowledge and show respect and admiration for Indigenous Peoples past, present and future.

Holy Crow Arts Society	\$2,500.00	SO DAMN PROUD — A world premiere play	A play that weaves elements of conventional and nonlinear drama with dance and Coast Salish traditional knowledge to tell the story of two biracial Squamish siblings.
Magic Canoe	\$2,500.00	Festival of What Works	The objective is to break down the divisions of jurisdictional boundaries, identity, ethnicity and political affiliations, and focus on knowledge sharing and collaborations that all people can get behind
Metro Vancouver Aboriginal Executive Council Society	\$2,500.00	National Indigenous People's Day	This is a community based, full day of events that showcase and celebrate the diversity of Aboriginal people from across Canada. First Nations, Metis and Inuit peoples gather to share their spirit, experiences and stories.
Royal Roads University	\$2,500.00	National Indigenous Peoples Day 2021	Royal Roads will host a virtual National Indigenous People's Day celebration from June 1 - 21, 2021, in partnership with several local Nations and organizations from Southern Vancouver Island.
BIV Media Limited Partnership dba Business in Vancouver Media Group	\$2,000.00	10 Big Ideas for Economic Reconciliation	BIV and 10 prominent Indigenous leaders engage in virtual discussion on economic reconciliation. The event marks National Indigenous Peoples Day and celebrates the launch of BIV's inaugural Indigenous business magazine, Mákok pi Sélim.
BC Nonprofit Housing Association	\$1,500.00	BCNPHA Education Seminar	BCNPHA will offer a series of webinar events from April 2021 to April 2022 for the community housing sector in BC on important topics such as governance, the development process, operations management etc.

Indigenous Physical Activity and Cultural Circle Association	\$1,000.00	National Indigenous Conference	8th Annual National Indigenous Physical Activity and Wellness promotes the health and wellness within our Indigenous communities by encouraging all forms of physical activity - traditional activities and recreation.
Vancouver Native Housing Society	\$500.00	Affordable Housing	Vancity's Board of Directors had an education session with Armine Yalnizyan on a sustainable and equitable recovery. In lieu of a speaker's fee, Armine has asked that we make a donation to Vancouver Native Housing Society.

Sustainable Business & Coops

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Scale Collaborative	\$250,000.00	Scale Collaborative Thrive Impact Fund	Thrive Impact Fund (TIF) is an impact-first fund that provides flexible and patient capital to the organizations and impact businesses.
Common Wealth Pension Services Inc.	\$100,000.00	Portable Benefits Market Development	We are supporting this initiative, to test the development and market for a portable benefits plan for the NFP sector and undeserved sectors. This in the second year of a four year commitment to test the uptake for this product which launched in 2021.
Solid State Community Society	\$100,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - Solid State Community Society	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to Solid State Community Society partnership
Womens Enterprise Centre	\$100,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds: Womens Enterprise Centre	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to Womens Enterprise Centre partnership
Hollyhock	\$100,000.00	Social Venture Institutes	Hollyhock delivers a curated collection of gatherings and exchanges that support the social venture ecosystem in BC, and Vancity has been the title partner for 20+ years.
Synergy Sustainability Foundation	\$80,000.00	Project Zero & VIGBC Programs Year 3	Supporting Project Zero and the Vancouver Island Green Business Collective. Project Zero is a circular economy business incubator and VIBGC provides a certification program to help businesses reduce their environmental impact.

Young Agrarians	\$50,500.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds - Young Agrarians	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to Young Agrarians partnership
Canada British Columbia Business Services Society	\$50,000.00	Partnership with Small Business BC	Renewed support for SBBC. Continued collaboration on microloans and workshops. New initiatives being explored include new online approach to awards through business profile videos, online learning and regional market place.
Circular Farm and Food Society: Vancouver Island	\$50,000.00	Sandown Center - Farmpreneur Program and Soil Lab	The Farmpreneur program trains the next generation of regenerative farmers. The Soil Lab will help the farming community understand the carbon impact of regenerative agriculture.
Cooperative Development Foundation of Canada	\$50,000.00	Build a Better World	This annual support of the CDF represents Vancity's only proactive commitment to international co-op development, reflecting co-op principle #6: cooperation among cooperatives.
Solid State Community Society	\$50,000.00	Co-op Development Capacity Building	Solid State Community Society supports the creation of workers' cooperatives among newcomer and BIPOC youth in Surrey, BC. The first installment of a multi-year partnership to bolster Solid State's in-house capacity to support additional & viable new co-ops
University of British Columbia	\$50,000.00	BC Food Web	BC Food Web supports farmers in achieving a range of improved environmental outcomes including transition to organic, low-input production practices, nutrient management, and on farm biodiversity enhancement.

Women's Enterprise Centre	\$50,000.00	Unity Women Entrepreneurs Program	Partnering with Women's Enterprise Centre to address unique needs of women entrepreneurs through accessible financing and wraparound support including mentorship, advisory services, and workshops.
Think Local First	\$45,000.00	Support Local BC	Supporting local BC businesses affected by COVID-19, we are launching an online marketplace selling gift cards to help business owners with cash flow and is free for businesses to register.
Agrarians Foundation	\$40,250.00	Business Mentorship Network	BMN coordinates mentorship between new farms in start-up and experienced farm business and production mentors to build financial confidence of new farmers.
University of Victoria	\$35,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds: University of Victoria	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to University of Victoria partnership
Youth Excellence Society (YES)	\$33,750.00	YES Camps	Resources support co-op education and awareness benefiting Vancity staff's children, as well as Indigenous and Newcomer Youth.
BC Eco Seed Co-op	\$30,000.00	BC Grown Seeds for BC Growers	This project will expand co-op seed rack presence across BC to triple the number of retail partners, and increase profile of BC grown seed.
FABCYCLE Ltd	\$30,000.00	Research on Business Model Scalability	Fabcycle will conduct research on the scalability of their business model - to divert waste from apparel manufacturers and re-sell to local consumers and businesses.

Ocean Ambassadors Canada	\$30,000.00	Zero Waste Coaching for Small Businesses	The program will support small businesses to decrease their use of single-use items, analyze recycling systems in their municipality, increase recycling and food scraps diversion and move towards zero waste.
Corporate Knights Inc.	\$26,250.00	Corporate Knights Membership	Membership in Corporate Knights as a supporter of the continued work in measuring social and environmental performance of different companies.
Embed Sustainability Inc.	\$26,250.00	Peer to Peer Network	Convening companies who are working to embed sustainability into their operations (P2P Partner Companies) to engage in facilitated knowledge sharing and peer to peer learning (P2P Meetings).
Society Promoting Environmental Conservation	\$25,000.00	Textile Lab for Circularity	This social innovation lab will foster innovation and build capacity for a circular textiles economy in Greater Vancouver, connecting unlikely allies across the textile and apparel industry and beyond.
British Columbia Co-operative Association	\$25,000.00	Sustaining membership	Vancity's sustaining membership in the BC Co-operative Association.
Futurpreneur Canada	\$25,000.00	Digital Growth Accelerator	Futurpreneur's Digital Growth Accelerator is a program for an exclusive segment of growth-oriented entrepreneurs across Canada, helping provide them with the coaching and support needed to scale their business.
Regenerative Waste Labs Inc.	\$25,000.00	Think Ahead Workshops & Member Portal	Think Ahead teaches businesses and gives them a solid foundation to design, procure and manage the best sustainable products and packages for their business.

United Nations Environment Program	\$22,081.75	UNEP FI Inclusive Banking Stream	Our participation in the global sustainable finance community to build a critical mass of banks committed to responsible banking and collaboratively help develop approaches to implementing the PRB through participation in UN-convened working groups.
International Co-Operative Alliance	\$21,599.05	ICETT Membership Contribution	Vancity is joining the International Cooperative Entrepreneurship Think Tank, members provide a financial contribution of 15,000 EUR per year to join, covering 12 months. Part of it helps fund the World Cooperative Monitor - annual study.
Makeway Charitable Society	\$21,590.00	SHIFTing Consumer Behaviour	Share Reuse Repair Initiative. Supports dissemination of findings from the SHIFTing Consumer Behaviour pilot program to help businesses craft messaging for better uptake of circular products and services and “lighter living” practices.
Ocean Wise Conservation Association	\$20,000.00	Plastic Wise	Project work will focus on educating and supporting businesses to take actions on the plastic pollution problem and to stop plastics entering our oceans.
Table of Impact Investment Practioners	\$20,000.00	Staffing support	TIIP is a nonprofit community of practice that focuses on capacity building for the social finance sector. This grant will be used to support the organization in growing their team and maintaining operations during a time of transition.
Commissary Connect Innovations Inc	\$20,000.00	Expert in Residence Program	Commissary Connect's experts in residence provide added value to members, alongside Vancity's 'banker' in residence.

University of Saskatchewan	\$16,667.67	Centre for the Study of Cooperatives	As part of its own strategy to support local cooperative enterprises, Vancity is continuing a multi-year relationship to support the Centre for Cooperative Studies at the University of Saskatchewan.
HUB Cycling	\$16,500.00	Bike to Work Week, Bike to Shop Days	Bike to Shop event series will continue to support bike friendly businesses and work to improve conditions for people to bike and shop local. Bike to Work Week is a behaviour change campaign with celebration stations.
Flavours of Hope Society	\$15,000.00	Dream Cuisines- 2022	Building on the 2021 Dream Cuisines program, Flavours of Hope will once again offer accessible space and equitable opportunity for a cohort of 3-5 newcomer women entrepreneurs.
Cooperative Management Education Cooperative	\$15,000.00	Environmental and Social Sustainability Research	Funding support for CMEC enabling teaching staff to undertake research on environmental and social sustainability; this informs the St. Mary's University's Sobey School co-op curriculum.
Good to Grow Natural Products Coaching Inc.	\$15,000.00	From the Ground Up Cohort, Conference, Trade Show	Vancity sponsorship reduces barriers to entry and increases accessibility for food businesses to grow their companies.
West Broadway Business Improvement Association	\$15,000.00	Buy Local - Shop the Line	BIAs throughout Vancouver are partnering with LOCO BC for Buy Local Week. They will be wrapping a bus with Buy Local Week promotions from November 29 through Christmas to encourage shopping local.
Climate Smart Businesses Inc.	\$15,000.00	Training and Certification Scholarships	Providing scholarships for Vancity business members to participate in the Climate Smart training and certification program, which supports businesses and organizations to measure and reduce their carbon emissions.

East End Storefront Co-operative	\$15,000.00	Community Member Loans	The East End Storefront Cooperative is embarking on a member loans campaign to support the establishment of a new store and improvements to its Commercial Drive location .
Unionized Cooperative Initiative	\$15,000.00	Unionized Cooperative Initiative	A new cooperative incubator that identifies opportunities, develops structures, and supports unionized cooperatives to scale and grow.
Civic Economics	\$13,464.59	Local Business Study	An investigation of the local economic impact of products purchased from local businesses in comparison to those purchased from large international retailers.
BizBiz Global, Inc.	\$13,125.00	BizBiz BC	Support to grow the network of businesses participating in a digital marketplace to exchange equipment, materials and other resources, thereby reducing their ecological footprints while also reducing costs.
Civic Economics	\$12,961.24	Local Business Study	An investigation of the local economic impact of products purchased from local businesses in comparison to those purchased from large international retailers.
Light House Sustainable Building Centre	\$10,500.00	BizBiz BC	Support to grow the network of businesses participating in a digital marketplace to exchange equipment, materials and other resources, thereby reducing their ecological footprints while also reducing costs.
Good to Grow Natural Products Coaching Inc.	\$10,050.00	Grow Your Food Business 1-day Workshops 2022	Three sessions to educate 20 food businesses with the fundamental requirements of putting their food or beverage product on the market.

Second Harvest	\$10,000.00	No Waste, No Hunger	Second Harvest will onboard 55 new agency partners and 60 new food donors to their food rescue network in Southwest BC.
Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives	\$10,000.00	CCPA 2021 Gala	Vancity is proud to be a presenting sponsor for the virtual 2021 CCPA-BC Annual Fundraiser featuring Hayden King - Executive Director of the Yellowhead Institute.
Commissary Connect Innovations Inc	\$10,000.00	Expert in Residence Program	Commissary Connect's experts in residence provide added value to members, alongside Vancity's 'banker' in residence. This is a pilot extension.
Shareholder Association for Research and Education	\$10,000.00	SHARE Investors Summit	The summit will include educational sessions for pension trustees, foundations and Indigenous trusts on key issues including: the climate crisis and just transition, inequality, the future of work and reconciliation.
Thingery Sharing Inc.	\$10,000.00	Service Improvements for Regional Growth	The Thingery operates community-owned equipment libraries. Adding in-person engagement, completing a mobile app for better member experience, and upgrading solar systems at existing sites will help ready the organization for regional expansion.
Black Business Association of BC	\$10,000.00	Road to Recovery	The project combine a series of curated workshops, marketplace pop-up shops, upskilling training, and supply chain diversity readiness; designed to support the recovery of Black owned businesses as we transition out of the pandemic.

Black Entrepreneurs & Businesses of Canada Society	\$10,000.00	BEP Loan: Wrap-around service test run	In preparation for the BEP loans program starting in May 2021, 20 businesses have been select to test run BEBC wrap-around services. Services include, loan/investment readiness, tax filing and financial literacy.
Flavours of Hope Society	\$10,000.00	Dream Cuisines	Flavours of Hope co-creates a food business pilot project with refugee newcomer women to move from an informal home food business toward a formal launch of their food businesses in the public mainstream.
British Columbia Co-operative Association	\$10,000.00	Cooperate Now	Cooperate Now is an intensive education program for communities of interest seeking to establish a cooperative enterprise.
Capital Region Food & Agriculture Initiatives Roundtable	\$10,000.00	Closing the Supply Gap	Develop integrated food distribution system that supports increased local production, processing, & wild harvesting, to meet increasing local demand.
Cascadia Seaweed Corp	\$10,000.00	Seaweed Days Festival	Seaweed Days Festival builds the capacity of the emerging seaweed sector which has significant social and environmental impact in our local communities.
Responsible Investment Association	\$10,000.00	2021 RIA Virtual Conference	5 day virtual conference delivering leading edge insights and dialoge on key issues in responsible investment, including net-zero, stewardship, impact, and retail advising.
Susgrainable Health Foods	\$10,000.00	Circular Economy Learning Program	Susgrainable will host circular economy and sustainability workshops for high school students that outline the differences between a linear and circular economy model and have activities to generate creative solutions to waste.

Think Local First	\$9,500.00	Think Local First 2021-2022	Think Local First is a local business network and strong advocate of the local economy in Greater Victoria. For 2021-2022, Vancity will continue to be the presenting sponsor of Think Local First.
Rise Helps	\$9,000.00	Rise Helps Holiday Campaign	Rise provides Canadians with mental health and addiction challenges a path toward sustained self-employment or small business ownership through training, mentorship, & micro-loans.
Black Entrepreneurs & Businesses of Canada Society	\$8,500.00	Black Businesses Research & Website Update	Conduct large-scale qualitative and quantitative research on Black entrepreneurship in Canada. Help realize the full potential of the Black businesses by providing stronger information, research and statistics. As well as website development.
Good to Grow Natural Products Coaching Inc.	\$8,000.00	Grow Your Food Business 1-day Workshop	To educate 15 in person and unlimited online participants with the fundamental requirements of putting their food or beverage product on the market.
Vancouver Economic Commission	\$5,500.00	Convening Emerging Circular Economy Businesses	Supports a series of web-based convenings to support the network of emerging circular economy businesses in Greater Vancouver.
LOCO Business Network Society of BC	\$5,250.00	Local Business Study	LOCO will compile and write an investigation of the GHG footprint and economic benefits of products purchased from local businesses in comparison to those purchased from large international retailers.

Table of Impact Investment Practioners	\$5,250.00	Membership	Members coming together to stand up and organize to advance progress of impact investing intermediaries.
The Sustainability Institute of Canada	\$5,000.00	Vision 2030 - Phase 2	Supporting the convening of environmental NGOs, particularly the inclusion of those led by youth, black, Indigenous and people of colour, and smaller organizations, in mapping a vision for and capacity challenges facing the sector in the coming decade.
Circular Solutions, Inc.	\$5,000.00	East of Seymour Reusable Take-out	A community-wide container and cup-share system to tackle the problem of single-use takeout waste and help establish a circular economy.
Kwantlen Polytechnic University Foundation	\$5,000.00	Thrive Bowen	Determine the viability of community-owned, commercial greenhouses on Bowen Island to help address food security, resiliency, sovereignty, production, and consumption.
Quadra Village Community Centre	\$5,000.00	Food Skills for Youth	Food Skills for Youth (FSY) aims to connect Indigenous/BIPOC, LGBTQIA2S+, and youth at risk with employment and business skills by learning basic culinary and entrepreneur skills for running our summer food kart.
Downtown Chilliwack Community Market Society	\$5,000.00	Downtown Chilliwack Community Market	To provide an inclusive, sustainable market that facilitates food education, recognizes cultural diversity, honours reconciliation, and provides supports for food insecure families and individuals.

Greater Vancouver Board of Trade	\$5,000.00	Sustainability Series - ESG Session	This session focused on the importance of environmental, social, and governance factors as a critical aspect of business strategy for addressing our most pressing issues.
Nulla Project Container Program	\$5,000.00	Scaling Cup Sharing	Nulla is improving the to-go culture on Vancouver Island with a reusable cup sharing program at coffee shops and beyond. An estimated 9000 single-use cups have been avoided within a year of their pilot launch.
SHARE	\$5,000.00	SHARE Investor Summit 2021	The Summit will bring together investment decision-makers and leaders to identify ways of working together to address the challenges of the social and economic impacts of COVID-19, escalating wealth inequality, systemic racism and climate crisis.
SVX	\$5,000.00	Impact United	Movement Leader sponsorship of the Impact United initiative. SVX works with many impact enterprises, organizations, and funds with positive social and/or environmental impact alongside the potential for positive financial return.
Vantage Point	\$5,000.00	BOSS Virtual Conference	The conference focus is for dialogue, collaboration, and the development of game-changing tactics to strengthen our province through partnerships and investments with the NFP sector.
Makeway Charitable Society - SRRI	\$4,775.00	Convening Emerging Circular Economy Businesses	Supports a series of web-based convenings to support the network of emerging circular economy businesses in Greater Vancouver.

University of Saskatchewan	\$4,599.17	Centre for the Study of Cooperatives	In coordination with a number of large cooperative enterprises, Vancity has a multi-year agreement to support the Centre for Cooperative Studies at the University of Saskatchewan.
Inclusive Excellence Strategy Solutions Inc.	\$4,200.00	Community Workshop: How to Be An Ally	VCIB offered a diversity, equity, and inclusion focused workshop to clients and community. Aiming to include smaller organizations who may not have the resources to bring in an expert, the event was a success with 175 attendees.
Habitat for Humanity Soc of Grt Vancouve	\$3,000.00	Sustainability Build Week	The event will educate the public about how Habitat for Humanity diverts thousands of tonnes of material from landfills and builds for energy efficiency and engage individuals and businesses to do the same.
Canadian Worker Co-op Federation	\$3,000.00	Parcours Co-op Incubation Pilot	The Canadian Worker Co-op Federation is partnering with Quebec's Réseau COOP to pilot the delivery of the latter's worker co-op business incubation program to a national audience in an online format.
InCommon Cooperative c/o Zoë Creighton	\$2,940.00	InCommon Cooperative	The group development and incorporation of InCommon, a new cooperative of consultants providing business support and development services.
Threading Change Foundation	\$2,780.00	#ClothesBusters Campaign	A youth-led organization envisioning a future where fashion is ethical and circular, rooted in justice with climate, gender, and racial equity is at the forefront. The #ClothesBusters campaign focuses on demystifying fashion misconceptions.
Climate Smart Businesses Inc.	\$2,572.50	Business Guide for Climate Action	Climate Smart Business will create a Business Guide for Climate Action for Vancity members.

Black Business Association of BC	\$2,500.00	Business Excellence Awards	The Black Business Association of BC will be showcase and celebrate small business and entrepreneurs at their inaugural Business Excellence Awards ceremony in September 2022.
Melanie Conn	\$2,500.00	Language Partners BC	Support to transition the previously unincorporated Language Partners BC into a community service cooperative.
BC Association of Farmers' Markets	\$2,000.00	BCAFM Conference	The BCAFM conference builds the capacity of individual markets and vendors by offering professional workshops, presentations, networking and community building.
Offsetters Clean Technology Inc.	\$1,959.04	Local Business Study	An investigation of the GHG footprint of products purchased from local businesses in comparison to those purchased from large international retailers.
HUB Cycling	\$1,750.00	Bike to Work Week, Bike to Shop Days	Bike to Shop event series will continue to support bike friendly businesses and work to improve conditions for people to bike and shop local. Bike to Work Week is a behaviour change campaign with celebration stations.
Turning Times Research & Consulting	\$1,575.00	Read Island Co-op	Read Island is a sparsely populated community between Quadra and Cortes islands; the community is forming a cooperative to support its local economic development.
Good to Grow Natural Products Coaching Inc.	\$1,265.00	From the Ground Up Trade Show	Vancity will support the From the Ground Up Trade show by providing 10 Vancity branded tents for use at the show.

Environment Funders Canada	\$1,130.00	Environment Funders Canada Membership	Environment Funders Canada is a national network of philanthropic foundations and other organizations that support efforts to transition toward a more sustainable world. Vancity's membership supports the work of EFC.
Canadian Worker Co-op Federation	\$1,000.00	Worker Academy Mentorship Program	The Canadian Worker Co-op Federation's Worker Co-op Academy supports groups to collaboratively to develop their start-up worker co-op enterprises.
E-B Strategy	\$750.00	Empower YOUth	Support for the incorporation of the Empower YOUth Workers Co-op.
UBC Farm	\$600.00	Feeding Growth Bursaries	Vancity members receive \$100 off their registration for the Scale Your Progressive Food Business workshop series.

Sustainable Jobs

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
Worker Solidarity Network	\$80,000.00	Labour Climate Project	A one year, proof of concept research project within our trade region on the feasibility of transforming local precarious jobs into the current and emerging green jobs that pay liveable wages.
IBEW Local 230	\$60,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds: IBEW Local 230	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to IBEW Local 230 partnership
Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives	\$50,000.00	Climate Justice Project & Annual Membership	Annual renewal of our support for the Climate Justice Project, as well as our annual membership with CCPA.
IBEW Local 230 Training Fund	\$30,000.00	BEW Level 1 Apprentice Training - Green Tech	Funding for career access to provide wrap-around supports to youth, women, newcomer and Indigenous apprentices to develop the skills required to maintain green energy infrastructure.
Electrical Joint Training Committee	\$20,000.00	Battery Energy Storage Systems Training Program	A two year project for the EJTC to build on Vancity's past grant to help them develop and expand their solar storage and EV charging installation and maintenance training program for first year electrician apprentices
Electrical Joint Training Committee	\$20,000.00	Multi-Year Partnership Funds: Electrical Joint Training Committee	Funds in holding for multi-year commitment to Electrical Joint Training Committee partnership

Worker Solidarity Network	\$20,000.00	Worker Action Centre	The WSN is a non-profit that helps precarious workers. This project will support the establishing BC's first Worker Action Centre to help workers navigate and fight for their employment rights.
Ethos Lab Educational Society	\$15,000.00	Black Futures Month - Program Funding	To increase the number of Black youth and Girls in STEM fields by providing new and innovative ways to access learning experiences.
Columbia Institute	\$13,500.00	High Ground Forum 2021: Be Bold!	Now in its sixteenth edition, High Ground inspires, informs, and connects local electees who seek to build inclusive, equitable, and sustainable communities in B.C. and across Canada.
Collective Bunch Society	\$10,000.00	Emerging Talent Initiatives	Design and implement ways to collect member data through qualitative and quantitative methods, to inform program design and advocacy with all levels of government and industry leaders
Mackie's Place	\$10,000.00	Job Skills Program	Our job skills programs work to expand at-risk youth employment or pre-employment training and skills development for marginalized youth (ages 14-18).
Richmond Multicultural Community Service	\$10,000.00	Customer Service Training for Newcomers	Funds will be used to increase employability of newcomer clients by helping them learn new skills
School District No. 36 (Surrey)	\$10,000.00	REACH	Funds will be used in 7 inner-city high schools in Surrey, 170 youth between the ages of 15-18 will gain essential pre-employment certifications that will help them secure employment and develop skills, which will allow them to build their resumes.

BC Centre for Women in the Trades	\$10,000.00	Be More Than a Bystander	The "Be More Than a Bystander" train the trainer program is hosted by the BC Centre for Women in the Trades and supports allies to identify and stop sexism and harassment in the workplace.
Collective Bunch Consulting Inc	\$10,000.00	Emerging Talent Initiatives	Collective Bunch is an above and below the line industry-wide community of culturally diverse (IBPOC) crew and creatives working in screen-based industries. Our mission is to foster employment opportunities, build relationships and share knowledge.
Communitas Supportive Care Society	\$10,000.00	Supporting Inclusive Employment	To provide a self-sustaining, inclusive training & development platform for people of diverse abilities. To support 6-10 people per year towards ongoing employment by providing skills that translate into community-based employment opportunities.
Raven's Moon Resource Society	\$10,000.00	Living 4 Change	The project is an educational and employment initiative for the residents of Raven's Moon who are Indigenous, Black, People of Colour, New Comers, Women, People with Disabilities and people living in poverty.
Disability Foundation	\$10,000.00	Youth Leadership Initiative	Youth Leadership Initiative is to empower post-secondary youth with disabilities to lead a national initiative that identifies and articulates barriers to transitioning from studies to the workplace.

ElevATE Society A Culinary Social Enterprise	\$10,000.00	CultivATE by ElevATE	ElevATE's mission is to provide a living wage opportunity for those facing barriers to employment. The CultivATE food truck will circulate between local hospitals and healthcare facilities and provide plant based and vegetarian forward meals.
Encompass Support Services Society	\$10,000.00	STRIVE Program	Youth employment program in Langley to build skills for independence, vocation and employment. Facilitate employment skills development workshops, such as resume writing, interview, first aid, WHMIS abd FoodSafe.
EYA Environmental Youth Alliance Society	\$10,000.00	Nature Stewards: Environmental Job	Engage 200 youth facing barriers to develop green job skills while contributing to low carbon communities through 26 hands-on training programs.
Makeway Charitable Society - SRRI	\$10,000.00	Just Circular Recovery and Transition	To catalyze a just circular economy in Metro Vancouver with inclusive local jobs & affordable goods and services that reduces waste, resource and carbon inputs, enhances regional resilience and empowers marginalized communities to lead in its development.
The Kettle Friendship Society	\$10,000.00	Skills Esteem Employment Development (SEED)	To provide low barrier employment opportunities, ongoing support and income to individuals living with chronic mental health and substance use issues.
Together We Can Drug & Alcohol Recovery & Education Society	\$10,000.00	Prospects Volunteer Certification	Funds will go towards the Volunteer Certification Program. The purpose of this program is to provide meaningful professional and personal development opportunities for clients that face employment barriers due to their substance use disorder.

Union Gospel Mission	\$10,000.00	Repair to Wear Program	Repair to Wear (R2W) is a social enterprise program that teaches and offers flexible work for women in recovery from challenges like homelessness, poverty and addiction.
Young Women's Christian Association	\$10,000.00	YWCA Employment Navigator	The YWCA Employment Navigator will support single mothers across all YWCA programs and housing communities to create a strategic plan toward meaningful and financially sustainable employment.
Great Light Healing Community Services Society	\$9,920.00	Great Light Healing Community Services Society	Educational program to foster environmental awareness and leadership among immigrant children and youth.
Terminal City Glass Cooperative	\$9,790.00	Learning Fire	This program is specifically designed to take a Hands Together approach, working with underserved BIPOC youth to provide them with skills an art form and a trade
Mission Possible Compassionate Ministries Society	\$8,500.00	Employment Readiness Program	Addresses barriers to employment by providing supportive, transitional employment for those who are ready to enter or re-enter the workforce. Includes Employment Readiness Workshop series and one-on-one coaching.
Take a Hike Youth at Risk Foundation	\$7,500.00	Take a Hike: Alumni Edition	Take a Hike: Alumni Edition will provide targeted pre-employment and employment skills development that empower youth facing barriers with the expertise needed to secure meaningful paid work experience
McCreary Centre Society	\$7,500.00	Youth Research Academy	Funds will go towards employee skills for youth in and from government care facing barriers to employment.

Canadian Labour Congress	\$7,000.00	CLC Winter School	Vancity is proud be a sponsor of the Canadian Labour Congress's Annual Winter Education School. The school is an opportunity for union activists to receive important skills training in advocacy and workers' rights
Peter Chapman	\$6,300.00	Portable Provincial Pension Program Research Paper	A foundational document for members of the BC Federation of Labour's "precarious work working group" on how to contribute to the development of a provincial portable pension plan for the precariously employed.
Diverter Foundation	\$6,000.00	Diverter Community Pick-Ups & Membership Building	Creates economic opportunities for Diverters and supports a clean environment. Coordinates with residents of three Victoria neighbourhoods to arrange for a Diverter to retrieve returnables/refundables for recycling and earn income from refunds.
Youth Alliance for Intersectional Justice	\$5,500.00	Youth Entrepreneur Internship	The project aims to create sustainable ways in which Black and Indigenous youth with disabilities are provided with viable options for safe and meaningful employment
Shareholder Association for Research and Education (SHARE)	\$5,250.00	Portable Provincial Pension Program Research Paper	A foundational document for members of the BC Federation of Labour's "precarious work working group" on how to contribute to the development of a provincial portable pension plan for the precariously employed.
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Pacific Community Resources Society	\$5,000.00	BYRC Cafe & Skills Development Program	The program will provide participants with self efficacy skills, confidence and the ability to become employed in other retail opportunities and develop entrepreneurial skills.
The Inclusion Project	\$5,000.00	REDI-based Workplace Scorecard	To create a Workplace Equity Scorecard that will benchmark the diversity of their current workforce and co-develop pathways for engaging talents to address long-standing issues of systemic racism and gender inequalities in the workplace.
Arts Amplifier, Arts Co-op Office at University of British Columbia	\$5,000.00	Entrepreneurship Training and Work Experience	Arts Amplifier UBC runs different programs that offer arts graduate students paid work experience, as many of them earn wages below the poverty line and otherwise couldn't access career development options.
Cultivate Canada	\$5,000.00	Sole Food Street Farm	The Urban Farm Social Employment Program equips Sole food farm staff obtain agricultural training.
Dress for Success Vancouver Society	\$5,000.00	Professional Women's Group	Professional Women's Group addresses systemic inequities by democratizing networking using a gender-centric and user-informed design approach (program goal) so that all women, regardless of socioeconomic position
Environmental Youth Alliance	\$5,000.00	Nature Stewards Job Skills Training	Nature Stewards is a free 10-week land-based job skills training program for youth facing barriers ages 14-18.
Garth Homer Society	\$5,000.00	LifeStreams High School Work Experience	LifeStreams High School Work Experience Project aims to provide employment support for vulnerable youth at risk of falling through the cracks of post-secondary employment services.

Hives for Humanity Society	\$5,000.00	Women's Beginner Beekeeping and Gardening	Grant will be used 6-week workshop series on the sustainable management of honeybees and pollinator sensitive gardens at Astoria Urban Farm, enrolling 6 new women experiencing marginalization and poverty.
Vancouver and District Labour Council	\$5,000.00	Labour Day Celebration	Hosted by the Vancouver and District Labour Council and the New Westminster and District Labour Council, Labour Day is an annual event that celebrates the history and accomplishments of working people.
Working Gear Clothing Society	\$5,000.00	Safety Gear the Last Barrier	Help vulnerable and marginalized individuals return to the workforce with proper fitting and safe construction work gear.
Columbia Institute	\$4,500.00	Co-op Climate Needs Assessment	An assessment of cooperative enterprises to determine needs, actions taken to date, impediments to any or further action to address climate change or transition to a greener operations.
BC Federation of Labour	\$4,000.00	Supporting Decent Work Paid Sick Leave	As part of our commitment to support a living wage for all workers, Vancity supports our community partners' work to advocate for paid sick leave via public education and advocacy.
Cowichan Valley Intercultural & Immigrant Aid Society	\$3,000.00	Green Opportunities Workshops	To provide the training, resources & individual support that participants need to pursue green opportunities in industry and agriculture.

The Inclusion Project Society	\$2,500.00	Employment Equity Partnership Round Table	Employment Equity Partnership (EEP) Round Table brings together prominent stakeholders and partners to deep dive into the exploration of equitable employment practices and the importance of diversity at the workplace within key sectors.
CPA Canada	\$1,566.88	CPA NFP Virtual Forum	The NFP forum brings together CPAs and financial professionals in the sector who want to make a difference. They'll learn that their purpose driven organization can be supported by a values based financial institution.
United Way of the Lower Mainland	\$750.00	Labour Appreciation Night	The United Way, the Vancouver & District Labour Council and New Westminster & District Labour Council are hosting the 28th Annual Labour Appreciation Night.

Other

Organisation	Amount	Project Name	Project Synopsis
ISSofBC	\$38,360.00	Community Room at Welcome Centre Guildford	Our annual contribution for this space. Lease runs to December 31, 2024.
University of Victoria	\$35,000.00	Victoria Forum	Victoria Forum is an inclusive space for evidence-based conversations to stimulate creative thinking and develop innovative and actionable solutions to environmental, economic, and social challenges.
Corporation of the District of Saanich	\$25,000.00	One Planet Saanich	Continued support for the growth and enhancement of the One Planet Saanich program to engage local businesses and organizations in lighter living practices.
United Way of the Lower Mainland	\$22,500.00	Period Promise Campaign	United Way British Columbia would like to run a three-year low-cost project which will focus on increasing access to reusable menstrual products among targeted vulnerable populations.
EarthBites Society	\$10,000.00	Vancouver School Gardens	Water Conservation and Food Sovereignty for Vancouver School Gardens - Conserve water (up to 80%) while continuing to have food secure school gardens & by extension, local communities.
Kickstand Community Bikes Society	\$10,000.00	The Re-Cyclers	This project aims to divert unusable bicycles and bicycle parts from the waste stream by engaging local commercial bike shops in an accessible, community recycling program.

FED Urban Agriculture Society	\$10,000.00	My FED Farm	Providing ~500 gardens kits to Greater Victoria residents facing barriers to healthy, affordable food. In a time of continuing isolation and mental health challenges, we are addressing the urgent need for connection alongside the need for food security.
Food Stash Foundation	\$10,000.00	Rescued Food Market Pilot	To expand arescued food redistribution program in a more accessible, public-facing way all while reducing food waste and food insecurity.
Foundation for Environmental Stewardship	\$10,000.00	SDGs Launch	SDGs Launch uses the SDG framework to inspire youth in advancing sustainability in their communities. The online event includes 7 training sessions, keynote speakers from the UN, and action plan development.
Fresh Roots Urban Farm Society	\$10,000.00	SOYL: Growing Youth Leaders for Lighter Living	SOYL is a youth training program that helps youth build critical food literacy skills all while cultivating a new, more sustainable food system. Youth learn to manage 3 schoolyard farms in Vancouver, Delta & Coquitlam.
GreenPAC Future Fund	\$10,000.00	GreenPAC Sponsorship 2021	Sponsorship of GreenPAC Future Fund to build environmental leadership and government action on the environment. Help to identify, elect and support environmental leaders, to drive environmental progress and make Canada a leader on the environment.
Synergy Executive & Boards Consulting Group	\$10,000.00	Board Governance with Green Lens	To ensure that those who serve on boards or in senior executive roles know that being on such roles is an effective way to advance climate governance initiatives.

Social Asset Measurement, Inc.	\$8,787.50	Impact Measurement	Online impact measurement tool “Sametrica” to support Vancity’s refreshed CI strategy and/ or new Climate strategy.
Kulea Cultural Society	\$6,000.00	Cross Culinary Lessons	Preparing meals and cooking has always been a way to transmit tradition, knowledge and skills as well as a way of nurturing. We fight discrimination and prejudice by building relationships and giving people the opportunity to learn about other cultures.
ITSAZOO Productions	\$5,000.00	Immersive Community Storytelling	A series of short plays that incorporate a broad range of age, gender, orientation, heritage, language, socio-economic status and lived experience that highlight the work of BIPOC and LGBTQ2S artists.
Simon Fraser University	\$5,000.00	SFU Surrey Presidents Gala	A signature event that's taken place at SFU’s Surrey campus since 2008, designed to bring together regional business, government, academic and community leaders to connect, celebrate and learn about growth and development of SFU
Disabled Independent Gardeners Association	\$5,000.00	DIGA - Home Gardens	Disabled Independent Gardeners Association (DIGA) will build, deliver and set up 50 portable garden planters, customized for people with limited mobility including those reliant on a wheelchair.
FarmFolk/CityFolk Society	\$5,000.00	Feast of Fields	All proceeds raised at Feast of Fields go back into the local food economy to support local farmers and food producers.

Fresh Roots Urban Farm Society	\$5,000.00	Schoolyard Harvest Dinner	The Schoolyard Harvest Dinner is a fundraising event for Fresh Roots which transforms urban spaces to create thriving neighbourhood gathering places for learning, sharing and connecting.
West Coast LEAF Association	\$4,000.00	Annual Equality Breakfast	We are renewing our annual support for this signature women's equality event.
Ecology Action Centre	\$2,500.00	Sustainability Ally Contribution	VCIB is partnering up with Ecology Action Centre as an ally to promote the values and mission of their work