



SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, April 23, 2026

3:00 pm

Council Chambers, Langley City Hall

20399 Douglas Crescent

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1. **LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The land on which we gather is on the traditional unceded territory of the Katzie, Kwantlen, Matsqui and Semiahmoo First Nations.

2. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the April 23, 2026 special meeting agenda be adopted as circulated.

3. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

A Committee of the Whole meeting provides Council a greater opportunity to speak to and debate specific agenda items.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Council commence Committee of the Whole.

3.a **2026 Community Grants**

Report dated: April 17, 2026

From: Director of Financial Services

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Council receive the April 17, 2026, Report to Council titled "2026 Community Grants" from the Director of Financial Services for information.

4. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - RISE AND REPORT**
RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Committee of the Whole rise and report.

5. **BUSINESS ARISING FROM COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Ratification of recommendations as required.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the following recommendation from the Committee of the Whole be ratified:

6. **ADJOURNMENT**

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the meeting adjourn.



REPORT TO COUNCIL

To: **Mayor and Councillors**

Subject: 2026 Community Grants

File #: 1850.00

Doc #:

From: Alex Chang, CPA, CA, CISA
Director Financial Services

Date: April 17, 2026

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Council receive the April 17, 2026, Report to Council titled “2026 Community Grants” from the Director Financial Services for information.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the report is to provide Council with the listing of 2026 community grant applications to support Council’s consideration and allocation of the first intake of 2026 Community Grants.

POLICY:

Community Grant Policy CO-51

COMMENTS/ANALYSIS:

City Council allocated \$168,000 in the 2026 Financial Plan to provide community grants to organizations whose work benefits residents and contributes to the general interest and advantage of the City.

The attached list is a summary of the 2026 community grant applications. Staff recommendations have been included for organizations that are automatically included as per the Community Grant Policy. For the remaining applications, staff have included previously awarded grant amounts for the last three years, for information and consideration. All allocations are at the discretion of Council.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

The 2026 Financial Plan has \$168,000 allocated for Community Grants funded by casino proceeds.

SUMMARY:

Applications received total \$344,211.99 including financial and in-kind requests. The maximum amount of funding available for community grants in 2026 is \$168,000.

ALTERNATIVES:

Council may choose to allocate the entire community grant allocation of \$168,000 similar to 2025, or reserve some funding for allocation later in the year.

Respectfully Submitted,



Alex Chang, CPA, CA, CISA
Director Financial Services

Attachments:


1. 2026 Community Grant Listing
2. 2026 Community Grant Applications
3. Community Grant Policy, CO-51

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S COMMENTS:

I support the recommendation.



Francis Cheung, P. Eng.
Chief Administrative Officer

	Title: Community Grants	Policy No: CO-51
	Category: Council Policy	Classification: Finance

1. Purpose:

To formulate a policy to foster consistency in the awarding of community grants to non-profit groups or Organizations whose benefits and services are enjoyed by the residents of the City.

2. Scope:

The awarding of grants is solely within Council’s discretion; Council may deny any and all grant requests.

Community Grants are funded from revenue received through the Province of BC’s Host Financial Assistance Agreement, benefiting local governments that host casinos or community gaming centres. This policy is in effect subject to the continuance of ongoing funding as identified in the annual Financial Plan.

3. Policy Statement:

The City supports the enhancement of a positive quality of life for all its residents. One means of achieving this goal is through Community Grants which supports not-for-profit, community-based Organizations that are based in, and/or serving City of Langley residents. The intent of the Community Grants is to build community by providing funds for Events, Projects, Capital expenditures, and new initiatives that align with the City’s strategic goals.

4. Eligibility for Grants:

- a. **Financial Awards - Registered Charities or BC Societies** - Each year, the City will consider financial community grants up to \$10,000 to Organizations for the purpose of funding an Event, Project, or Capital expenditure. An Organization must meet the following criteria in order to qualify for a grant:
 - i. The Organization must be Community Based and provide services within the City of Langley and/or to City of Langley residents.
 - ii. The grant will not be used as “seed” money for a Project or Capital Expenditure, but rather, to supplement the Organization’s existing funding sources.
 - iii. The Organization must be a charity registered with the Canada Revenue Agency or Registered Society in the Province of BC.
 - iv. The Organization shall show evidence that it has fully explored all other viable sources of financial support.

- v. The Organization must extend its service to the general public, and must not exclude anyone by reason of race, religion, or ethnic background.
- vi. The Organization must not act as a general fund-raiser for, or make grants to, various other groups or Organizations.
- vii. The Organization must agree to submit an evaluation of the use of the grant at the end of the Capital Expenditure/Project/Event, or by December 31st, whichever occurs sooner.
- viii. The Organization must not view the grant as an automatic ongoing source of funding.
- ix. In addition to Financial Awards, applicants can also apply for In-Kind Services.

b. **Financial Awards – Neighbourhood Groups** - Each year, the City will consider financial community grants up to \$500 to Neighbourhood Groups for the purpose of funding an Event. The grants help residents of any age, experience, or background take part in building and strengthening community. The grants are available for individuals or groups with ideas to help connect and engage residents in their neighbourhood. A group must meet the following criteria in order to qualify for a grant:

- i. The Grant can cover basic supply costs and related expenses. The activity that is being provided must be free and inclusive. Grants are available for City residents, the grants are not intended for businesses, associations, Registered Charities or Societies.
- ii. The Neighbourhood Group must be Community Based and provide services within the City of Langley and to City of Langley residents.
- iii. The Neighbourhood Group must extend its service to the general public, and must not exclude anyone by reason of race, religion, or ethnic background.
- iv. The Neighbourhood Group must not act as a general fund-raiser for, or make grants to, various other groups or Organizations.
- v. The Neighbourhood Group will be reimbursed up to the value of the grant upon completion of the event, submission of receipts and proof of payment and final attendee count.
- vi. The Neighbourhood Group must not view the grant as an automatic ongoing source of funding.
- vii. In addition to Financial Awards, applicants can also apply for In-Kind Services.

- c. **Standing Grants** - Notwithstanding Sections 4) a), and b), and Section 5), each year, the City will award community grants to the following Organizations without those Organizations having to submit an application:
- i. Six \$750 bursaries to graduating students from a secondary school in the Langley School District, who reside in the City of Langley, that will be continuing on to post-secondary education and can demonstrate financial need.
 - ii. Support for secondary school students to participate in the Youth Parliament in Victoria event up to an amount totaling \$1,000.
 - iii. A \$500 grant awarded for Dry Grad celebrations to Langley secondary schools with catchment areas covering City of Langley residences.
 - iv. The Langley Senior Resources Society will be awarded \$20,000 per year to be used to subsidize the membership package for low-income seniors living in the City of Langley and for maintenance or upgrades to the facility.
 - v. The Langley 4H Centennial Trophy (\$150) awarded to the top senior member in the Langley District.
 - vi. The Langley Royal Canadian Legion to provide City owned facilities in support of the Remembrance Day ceremony.
 - vii. In addition to Financial Awards, applicants can also apply for In-Kind Services.
- d. **In-Kind Services** - Each year, the City will consider community grants providing in-kind services for the purpose of supporting an Event, Project or Capital Expenditure. City spaces are available for use to the general public at already subsidized rates. An Organization must meet the following criteria in order to qualify for additional subsidy through the Community Grant Policy:
- i. The Organization must be Community Based and provide services within the City of Langley and/or to City of Langley residents.
 - ii. The Organization must be a Registered Charity with the Canada Revenue Agency, a Registered Society in the Province of BC, or a Neighbourhood Group.
 - iii. The Organization must extend its service to the general public, and must not exclude anyone by reason of race, religion, or ethnic background.
 - iv. The Organization must agree to submit an evaluation of the use of the grant at the end of the Capital Expenditure/Project/Event, or by December 31st, whichever occurs sooner.
 - v. The Organization must not view the grant as an automatic ongoing source of funding.

- e. **Ineligible Requests** - The request will be denied if the grant:
- i. Is used to fund ongoing operating costs (including staffing costs, rent payments, etc.).
 - ii. Is for retroactive funding, to cover a prior deficit or debt repayment.
 - iii. Is to be used for administrative office equipment or office furniture (including office computers).

5. Application Process

- a. An Organization that wishes to be considered for a community grant must submit an Application through the City's website.
- b. The Organization must submit the Application by the listed deadline to be considered. An Application received after the Application Deadline, but up to two weeks prior to the Council meeting where the community grants are being considered, will be marked as "late" and will not be considered for funding unless there are still monies available after the consideration of all other Applications.
- c. The Organization must submit the following documents which form the Application to apply for a grant:
 - i. Completed application form;
 - ii. The most recent set of annual Financial Statements or Annual Report if a Registered Charity or BC Society;
 - iii. Confirmation of registered society status, if applicable;
 - iv. Organizations proposed budget for the fiscal year; and
 - v. Detailed budget for requested Community Grant.

6. Council Consideration

- a. In evaluating each application for funding, the following will be the basis for assessment of your application. Please be sure to address these in your application:
 - i. Evidence of Community need for the Event, Project or Capital Expenditure.
 - ii. Number of City of Langley residents served.
 - iii. Quality of management (established track record, proposal well thought out and clear, etc.).
 - iv. Evidence of clear goals and expected outcomes.

- v. Uniqueness of service (does not duplicate but may complement an existing service).
- vi. Number of local volunteers.
- vii. Evidence of financial need for a City of Langley Community Grant.
- viii. Inclusion and access. Breaking down the layered and intersecting physical, social, and perceived barriers that can deter people from accessing services and programs. These include varying mobility, cognitive, and accessibility needs, sense of safety, attitudes and discrimination, how welcoming and inclusive programs feel, cost considerations, wayfinding and communication needs and other obstacles.
- ix. Indicated involvement from other community partners.
- x. The extent to which the profile and history of the Organization and its accomplishments and Organization's goals and objectives are supportive of, or align with the City's Strategic Directions;
- xi. The extent to which the Organization has obtained other sources of funding (e.g. Federal or Provincial Government funding, corporate sponsorships, fundraising campaigns, etc.) whether financial or In-Kind.

7. City Recognition

- a. The Organization will provide the following acknowledgement regarding the City of Langley's grant support:
 - i. Langley City logo placement on the Organization's website, and/or applicable marketing materials including advertisements, posters, and brochures (logo to be provided by the City of Langley);
 - ii. In addition to logo use, the City of Langley is to be recognized in printed products (e.g. programs, posters), advertisements, signage, and correspondence where applicable;
 - iii. Recognition in earned media including event listings, media releases, and other community listings as applicable;
 - iv. Publicly during a community gathering, performance, or celebration;
 - v. Electronically through newsletters, bulletins, blogs, and social media; and
 - vi. Other recognition items if/when applicable and agreed on by both parties.
- b. The City of Langley reserves the right to use materials relating to its promotional and advertising campaigns.

8. Definitions:

Application means the documents listed in Section 5) c).

Application Deadline means the community grant application deadline posted on the City's website.

Capital Expenditure means providing an asset in the City of Langley that is significant and is of lasting benefit which does not require ongoing capital investment to be sustained.

City means the City of Langley.

Community Based means a non-restricted membership group or Organization:

- (a) whose practices are consistent with the City's Strategic Directions; and
- (b) who provide Projects or Events which positively and directly impact the City or its residents.

Event means an organized activity or gathering that occurs at a specific time and place, designed for a particular purpose such as celebration, education, or engagement.

In-Kind means services or rentals supplied by the City of Langley instead of direct financial contributions.

Neighbourhood Group means an informal group of City of Langley residents not including businesses, associations, Registered Charities or Societies.

Organization means a Registered Charity, Registered Society, Neighbourhood group, and groups listed under Section 4)c) of this policy

Operating Budget means annual administrative costs like salaries, rent and general office supplies but does not include temporary costs to provide support for the project or event.

Project means a one-time program which is not part of an ongoing operating budget.

Registered Charity means a charity registered with the Canada Revenue Agency. Under the Income Tax Act, registered charities are a type of qualified donee that are allowed to issue official donation receipts. They are established and operated for exclusively charitable purposes.

Registered Society is a non-profit Organization registered as a Society in the Province of BC. Societies are governed the Societies Act, SBC 2015, c 18. The Societies Act sets out the rules and procedures for incorporating, managing, and dissolving a non-profit society in British Columbia.

Resident means an individual who resides in the City.

9. References:

Policy Number:	CO-51
Policy Owner:	Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Endorsed by:	Senior Management Team
Final Approval:	Council
Date Approved:	November 2, 2020
Revision Date:	September 8, 2025, January 12, 2026
Amendments:	Updated policy in 2026 replaces original policy adopted in 2020 – includes various amendments to reflect current best practices and provide clearer direction regarding eligibility for grants for both applicants and to help support City Councils decision making process.
Related Policies:	
Related Publications:	

2026 Community Grant Application Listings

Annual Allocation 168,000.00
 Allocation 27,100.00
 Remaining **140,900.00**

Organization	Organization Type	Location of Event	Confirmation	Comments	2023 Grant Awarded	2024 Grant Awarded	2025 Grant Awarded	2026 Grant Requested	2026 In-Kind Requested	2026 Grant Awarded
Langley School District Foundation				Policy (ci)	4,500.00	4,950.00	4,950.00	4,950.00	-	4,950.00
Youth Parliament				Policy (cii)	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	-	1,000.00
Brookwood Dry Grad	Neighbourhood Group	George Preston Recreation Center	023A835C	Policy (ciii)			-	500.00	-	500.00
Langley Secondary School Dry Grad Committee	Neighbourhood Group	Langley Secondary School, with event being held at Central City Fun Park.	023C0CBD	Policy (cii)	-	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Langley Senior Resources Society				Policy (civ)	15,000.00	34,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	-	20,000.00
Langley District 4-H Senior Council				Policy (cv)	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00	-	150.00
198A Street Neighbours	Neighbourhood Group	this is put on in the front yards 5302 & 5310 - 198A Street	023D39D2				-	500.00	-	-
Alice Brown Pac	Neighbourhood Group	Alice Brown elementary school	023B1CE2				-	500.00	-	-
Bandits Community Foundation	Charity / Society	Various schools across City of Langley, Township of Langley, including Langley Events Centre.	023FAE0C				-	10,000.00	-	-
Bard in the Valley Society	Charity / Society	Douglas Park - Spirit Square Stage HD Stafford Middle School - Youth Theatre camp	023AB63B		14,000.00	15,000.00	22,584.98	4,500.00	4,000.00	-
BGC South Coast BC (formerly Boys and Girls Clubs of South Coast BC)	Charity / Society	Langley BGC Club, 5409A - 206th Street, Langley, BC V3A 2C5	023EC5B6		4,500.00	4,000.00	2,260.00	3,500.00	-	-
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley	Charity / Society	Schools through the City of Langley, including Nicomekl, Douglas Park, Alice Brown and HD Stafford.	023ADD85		5,000.00	2,500.00	4,000.00	5,000.00	-	-
Community Gardens Everywhere	Neighbourhood Group	1090 248th Street Aldergrove BC V4W 2B8 Canada	0240FAB7				-	500.00	-	-
Douglas Park Charity Pickleball Tournament	Charity / Society	Douglas Park	023BEF01		5,000.00	5,000.00	6,126.25	7,350.00	2,500.00	-
Douglas Park Community School	Neighbourhood Group	Douglas Park Community School Read-A-Thon fundraiser.	0240914D				-	500.00	-	-
Douglas Park Community School Society	Charity / Society	Langley Community Days	023FADC7				2,305.00	1,741.60	-	-
Downtown Langley Business Association - Arts Alive Festival	Charity / Society	The festival takes place along the Fraser Highway One-Way between 204th and 206th Street, including McBurney Plaza, using public spaces and pedestrian areas to create a safe, accessible, and immersive festival environment.	023B2F11				-	10,000.00	6,935.00	-
Encompass Support Servs (Best Babies)	Charity / Society	This project is delivered within spaces located in the City of Langley. Currently program is being offered at The Willows, with an anticipated change of venue later in 2026.	023EC0CF		1,160.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,600.00	-	-
Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation	Charity / Society	Our Thrift Shoppe is located at 27540 Fraser Hwy., Aldergrove.	023AF491		2,755.78	-	1,050.00	640.39	-	-
Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives	Charity / Society	Langley, BC	023AE94E		1,000.00	-	1,000.00	2,000.00	-	-
Good Ground Harvest Network	Charity / Society	The project will serve Langley City residents through a resource hub located in the Fraser Valley, with plans to expand into a City of Langley facility along the Langley Bypass for long-term storage, sorting, and kit assembly. Hygiene kits and essential supplies will be distributed to residents via partnerships with Langley City churches, shelters, and community agencies. This approach allows us to grow our capacity while ensuring accessibility and direct support for residents.	023F4FDD				-	10,000.00	-	-
Inclusion Langley - Langley Pride	Charity / Society	#103 20689 Fraser Highway, Langley, BC	023F7374		-	-	-	10,000.00	-	-
Kat Moon Band	Neighbourhood Group	Spirit Square at Douglas Park	023AB8CE				551.25	400.00	750.00	-
Kidsport	Charity / Society	Langley City and Township of Langley	023F1667		-	-	4,000.00	4,000.00	-	-
Langley Animal Protection Society	Charity / Society	26220 - 56th Avenue, Langley, BC V4W 1J7	023E7E1D		5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	6,000.00	-	-
Langley Arts Council	Charity / Society	Timms Community Centre, and Douglas Recreation Centre.	023F09F5		4,666.00	-	2,500.00	5,595.00	-	-
Langley Community Farmers Market	Charity / Society	Douglas Park	02412371		2,500.00	3,000.00	2,700.00	2,000.00	600.00	-
Langley Community Services Society (Best Babies)	Charity / Society	Project takes place at main site of Langley community Services Society - 5339 207th street Langley BC V3A 2E6	023C83C1		5,000.00	-	-	5,000.00	-	-
Langley Community Services Society (Global Fest)	Charity / Society	Willoughby Community Park.	023D52DC		4,475.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	10,000.00	-	-
Langley Dance Connections	Charity / Society	Langley Seniors Resources Society	02406326				-	4,100.00	-	-
Langley District 4-H Senior Council (additional)	Charity / Society	Langley	023FAE22				-	2,500.00	-	-

Langley Environmental Partners Society	Charity / Society	The workshops will be offered to School District 35 schools that are located within the boundaries of the City of Langley- specifically: Uplands Blacklock HD Stafford Simonds Nicomekl Douglas Park	023AAE8B					-	3,000.00	-	-
Langley Fastball Association	Charity / Society	Noel Booth Community Park - 20302 36 Ave, Langley, BC	023ED087		5,000.00	-	2,500.00		3,000.00	-	-
Langley Field Naturalists	Charity / Society	N/A	023AB963		2,500.00	-	2,000.00		2,500.00	-	-
Langley Fine Arts School Dry Grad	Neighbourhood Group	The evening starts at Newlands Golf and Country Club and then the students will be bused to The Koop	023A7590				500.00		500.00	-	-
Langley Flippers Swim Club	Charity / Society	Al Anderson Pool (for Langley Swim Meet), Fraser Valley region swim meets	023FC716		1,000.00	4,500.00	-		2,500.00	-	-
Langley Lawn Bowling Club	Charity / Society	Langley Lawn Bowling Club	023BA713		2,500.00	1,760.00	1,400.00		3,400.00	-	-
Langley Literacy Association	Charity / Society	The location of the event is determined by the Langley Christmas Bureau and for 2026, we expect the location to be at the Annex in the City of Langley as it did for 2025.	023C97F2		2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00		2,750.00	-	-
Langley Pride Society	Charity / Society	Creekside Hall (Langley Senior Resources Society) 20605 51b Ave, Langley, BC V3A 9H1	023C75E8				-		10,000.00	5,000.00	-
Langley Rotary Club (RibFest)	Charity / Society	McLeod Athletic Park	023B8ABC		5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		10,000.00	-	-
Langley Ukulele Association (new)	Charity / Society	Fort Langley venues primarily including salishan Place on the River, Fort Langley Community Hall, and Chief Sepass Theatre.	023F7C1A				-		5,000.00	-	-
Langley Ukulele Association (staffing and room rental)	Charity / Society	Spring & Summer Ukulele Camps are typically always held at Langley School District locations. In past years, we have regularly been able to use Yorkson Creek Middle School.	023F45FB		2,500.00	2,500.00	-		2,500.00	-	-
Langley Volunteer Bureau	Charity / Society	Various locations throughout the City of Langley.	023B0EAE		1,650.00	-	-		2,500.00	250.00	-
Latincoover Cultural & Business Society	Charity / Society	Douglas Park, Langley, BC V3A 4B4	023F447A				-		10,000.00	-	-
Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society	Charity / Society	The location of our event will be held within Langley City, at Simons Elementary School.	023B31AD		5,400.00	1,000.00	2,500.00		3,000.00	-	-
LuckeLife Society	Charity / Society	Proposed Location: City of Langley	023F0852				-		10,000.00	-	-
Men's Shed Langley Society	Charity / Society	Restoration and maintenance work will be undertaken by Men's Shed Langley members at multiple historic sites located within the City of Langley and neighbouring areas. https://langleyheritage.ca/restored-buildings/	023DE67C				-		9,700.00	-	-
Nicholas Park Neighbourhood BBQ	Neighbourhood Group	Nicholas Park	023F4CD7				-		500.00	-	-
One Caring Human Society	Charity / Society	Langley senior's center, municipal hall (if possible), and several Langley city seniors care homes, independent, assisted living, and palliative facilities.	023D1707				-		10,000.00	-	-
PLEA Community Services Society	Charity / Society	In Langley City schools.	023AA1D7				1,000.00		1,000.00	-	-
Refugee Talk	Charity / Society	City of Langley community spaces and public venues	023B90D7				-		10,000.00	-	-
Ron Cares Society	Charity / Society	Langley City	023D233E		-	1,750.00	2,170.00		5,000.00	500.00	-
Run for Sobriety Association	Charity / Society	Noel Booth Elementary School and Noel Booth Community Park 20202 35 Ave Langley, BC, V3A 0N1	023F9A64		-	1,500.00	1,920.00		7,500.00	500.00	-
SASSY - a subgroup of the 4 Rotary Clubs that operate in the Langleys	Charity / Society	The two primary event venues integral to the SASSY Awards process are: (1) James Hill Elementary School, which hosts the Top 21 Judging Day and finalist videography sessions (April 11, 2026), and (2) Chief Sepass Theatre at Fort Langley Secondary School, where the Red-Carpet Event and Awards Show will be held May 20, 2026.	023D37FC				-		2,000.00	-	-
Scouts Canada - Camp McLean	Charity / Society	Camp McLean - 20315-16th Avenue, Langley	023E8404				-		3,000.00	-	-
Seamus Gee Legacy Project Foundation	Charity / Society	The Langley Rugby Club 21280 Crush Crescent.	023F1339				-		1,000.00	-	-
stlaw Arts and Cultural Society	Charity / Society	Langley Events Centre, 7888 200 St, Langley, BC V2Y 3J4	023CEC03		-	4,725.00	4,750.00		10,000.00	-	-
TeamUp Canada	Charity / Society	Douglas Park School, HD Stafford, Nicomekl and other schools who would benefit	0240DA8C				-		5,000.00	-	-
Terry Fox Run - Langley City	Neighbourhood Group	Douglas Park, Langley City	023F642F		3,035.00	1,300.00	1,670.00		500.00	1,200.00	-
The Centre for Child Development	Charity / Society	Langley City Coast Hotel and Convention Centre	023FDF1E				-		2,500.00	-	-
The Harmony Kids Foundation	Charity / Society	Simonds Elementary School Strong Start 20190 48 Avenue, Langley City Nicomekl Elementary School Strong Start 20050 53 Avenue, Langley City Douglas Park Elementary School Strong Start 5409 206 Street, Langley City	023C90E6				-		4,000.00	-	-

Valley Therapeutic Equestrian Association	Charity / Society	3330 - 256 Street, Langley, BC V4W 1Y4	023E315A		4,250.00	-	-	5,000.00	-	-
VANCOUVER CHAMBER PLAYERS SOCIETY	Charity / Society	The proposed location for the concert series is Magnolia Gardens, a Bria Seniors Community, 5840 Glover Road in Langley.	023E3659				-	5,400.00	-	-
VASUDAIVA KUTUMBKAM	Charity / Society	community hall, library space, or approved public venue	023C0CDB				-	10,000.00	-	-
VAYA Youth Arts Society	Charity / Society	1. St. Andrews Anglican Church: 20955 Old Yale Rd, Langley, BC V3A 7P8 2. Douglas Park Spirit Square / The Venue for the Sounds of Summer	023E6EEF				3,000.00	4,000.00	2,000.00	-
VISAFF South Asian Film Festival Society	Charity / Society	Martini Film Studios and Lumiere Film Studios	023C9991				-	6,700.00	-	-
Volunteer Cancer Drivers Society	Charity / Society	Our program is available to cancer patients residing in Langley City. They are picked up and returned to their homes, but as mentioned above, most require transportation outside the city to access their cancer treatment.	023F66BA		1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	-	-
Waceya Metis Society	Charity / Society	Various accessible venues and parks within the City of Langley	023F9F0D		-	10,240.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	-	-
We Africans Cultural Association of British Columbia	Charity / Society	The program will be delivered in city of Langley, British Columbia, at a local community Centre or public facility accessible to youth participants and families. Specific venue details will be confirmed upon program approval and scheduling.	023AC2FA				-	10,000.00	-	-
Yorkson-Willoughby Neighborhood Group	Neighbourhood Group	Lynn Fripps Community Park	023BE301				-	500.00	-	-
YWCA British Columbia (formerly YWCA Metro Vancouver)	Charity / Society	YWCA Baby and Me Langley Community Services Society 5339 207 Street Langley, BC V3A 2E6 YWCA Single Mothers' Support Group Heritage House at Willoughby Elementary 20766 80 Ave, Langley Twp, BC V2Y 1X6 YWCA Single Mothers' Support Services – by phone or email	023DE15C				-	5,000.00	-	-
Zajac Ranch Society	Charity / Society	Although Zajac Ranch is nestled along the shores of Stave Lake in Mission, BC, our campers join us from every corner of the province—from Southern and Northern BC to the Okanagan, the Interior, and across the Lower Mainland.	023FC5C3		5,600.00	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,600.00	-	-
Connect'd Men	Neighbourhood Group	TBD looking for help on a venue	023C41BA						1,512.00	

Brookwood Dry Grad - Neighbourhood Group [023A835C]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

To support our graduates in their fundraising efforts, we will be hosting various fundraisers such as pub nights, bottle drives, raffle draws and more! We understand that these are challenging times for families and businesses and recognize that your generous grant contribution can play a significant role in helping our Dry Grad committee host the best event possible. We appreciate all donations, sponsorships and grants, they will go a long way in helping our Grads reach their fundraising goals and celebrate this milestone.

Thank you in advance from the Dry Grad 2026 parent committee for considering supporting the BSS Dry Grad Class of 2026!"

Service Provided to the Community:

We are actively working to ensure that these students enjoy a safe, fun-filled, drug and alcohol-free Dry Grad event, and that they leave BSS with memories of their high school years that will last a lifetime.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Dry Grad is an annual tradition to celebrate the success and completion of thirteen years of education. It is a rite of passage for our kids as they become contributing members of the community. This year's Dry Grad party will take place in June 2026, and will be held at George Preston Recreation Centre.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Our overall budget is upwards of \$30,000. Venue, busing, entertainment, food.

Purpose of the grant:

Help minimize costs to students to promote attendance, this year students will pay \$40 to attend.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

This grant will help ensure that these students enjoy a safe, fun-filled, drug and alcohol-free Dry Grad event, and that they leave BSS with memories of their high school years that will last a lifetime.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Hard to know the exact number but I would say a substantial number of city residents are safer when Dry Grad events are available to students.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Volunteers for this event is upwards of 100+

Location of project or event:

George Preston Recreation Center

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Township \$3,500

Other varied donations and fundraising. Happy to provide an excel file that shows our revenue and expenses to date.

Brookwood Dry Grad - *Neighbourhood Group [023A835C]***Submission Details**

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	No

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The goal is to secure enough funding to lower attendance ticket cost to students for our annual Dry Grad celebration. The objective is to provide a safe environment for any student wishing to attend, and ensuring that those with financial barriers are provided for and this obstacle is removed. Our organization activities are run by the parents with as much community engagement as possible. Our event will be held at Central City Fun Park.

Service Provided to the Community:

We provide the community with events they can attend, such as markets and food trucks and other fundraising opportunities within the community. We provide help to graduating students, from Langley City specifically, to enjoy an evening of celebration with financial help towards their ticket purchases. We also plan to shop from our local business as much as possible.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Dry Grad celebrations have been a tradition since about 1989. Dry Grad Committee are parents/guardians that come together to provide a celebration that is safe, alcohol free, no drugs/vaping, and no need to drive or succumb to peer pressure. The only pressure is to have fun! Each year parents are faced with a huge financial burden in order to host the event, and are at the mercy of the community and general public for support.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$500	\$500

Proposed allocation of funding:

- Transportation estimated \$2000.
- Venue cost \$13,500
- Food/Beverages estimated cost \$1400
- Decorations estimated cost \$500
- Gifts for grads estimated cost \$1500

Purpose of the grant:

To help pay for the costs and ultimately lower the amount left over, which will be incurred as a ticket cost to students.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Supporting all graduating students who primarily with in the City of Langley.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 326 graduating students

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Location of project or event:

Langley Secondary School, with event being held at Central City Fun Park.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Township of Langley grant, and the parent community with small fundraisers.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	No

198A Street Neighbours - Neighbourhood Group [023D39D2]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

To foster a sense of community and togetherness & make friendships within our neighbourhood

Service Provided to the Community:

We put on a summer block party & bbq for all residents to attend and to meet their fellow neighbours

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Our group has been organizing and putting on this block party for the past 10+ years

Grant Request

Organization Type:

Neighbourhood Group

Amount Requested:

\$500

In-Kind Requested:

\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Funding would go towards the purchase of food & supplies for the bbq

Purpose of the grant:

To offset some of the costs of putting on a neighbour block party / bbq

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

For neighbours new and old to gather

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

50

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

10

Location of project or event:

this is put on in the front yards 5302 & 5310 - 198A Street

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: No

Registered Society Systems: No

Alice Brown Pac - Neighbourhood Group [023B1CE2]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

We are hosting a community fun night for the Langley city community May 29th
We will have police, fire, Langley river man, face painting, balloon twisting, games, bouncing houses and more.

Service Provided to the Community:

We will offer free games, food, fun, and a great over all community togetherness , everyone is welcome from all walks of life. This is a great family event. We would love to have the Langley city represented at our event. Total community inclusion, and fun for all!

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Alice brown school community has been around for 30 years, it has deep roots in Langley, the Alice brown PAC is constantly looking for ways to support our community, providing meals, activities, to help all, our events are long standing and support all causes.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Our total budget for the evening is \$4500
We are requesting 500 towards our over all event to help reduce cost for the entire community.

Purpose of the grant:

We will use these fund in order to reduce cost and make sure all kids/families get to have the best night and leave with memories that last forever

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Langley city will be recognized for their investment into the event, even be on site is they wish to show the community their want to support our local area Alice brown which falls into the Langley city catchment. It will help allow all families to participate at a reduced cost. It is a wonderful event which provides community togetherness, inclusion which is our constant aim with every event we run.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

500+

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

35

Location of project or event:

Alice Brown elementary school

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	No

Bandits Community Foundation - Charity / Society [023FAE0C]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Jr. All-Native basketball tournament is the annual provincial championship for First Nation youth. This event is about more than just a competition – it's a celebration of culture, community and upholding our youth.

The Junior All-Native comes to Langley March 2026, the 50th anniversary and it will drive major economic power to the region, already selling out hotels across Langley.

Service Provided to the Community:

Major economic driver with nearly 10,000 travellers including players (1,800), coaches (350), and families/fans (remaining amount). We secured 33 hotels, selling out the Langley hotels that committed to the group booking process, with hotels also being secured from Burnaby to Abbotsford.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Largest First Nations sporting event in the country, with 130 teams from U13 and U17 boys and girls, all teams are from British Columbia.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The Junior All-Native Tournament mandates we can only charge teams \$300 to participate when in reality it costs \$1,500 per team to run the tournament. We rely on community partners to support the significant event. We have gym rental costs, officiating, elder honorariums, cultural fees, minor officials, food, opening ceremonies, Championship event, award prizing, security and more. A detailed budget is available for review.

Purpose of the grant:

We will use the funds to employ locals from City of Langley, Kwantlen First Nation and the greater community, as well as help with rental costs which include facilities in City of Langley such as HD Stafford Middle School, and the heavily City of Langley populated Langley Secondary School. Funds allow us to ensure the tournament is accessible for all youth and community members.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The grant will support the City's goal of truth and reconciliation through one of the largest First Nation sporting events in the country, and allow the event to support City of Langley residents and businesses.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

All City of Langley hotels are being used, the casino will be heavily visited, we are hiring City of Langley residents for minor official roles and supervisors, and the businesses of City of Langley will be heavily visited including grocery, restaurants and others. It is hard to put a definitive number on this but it will be significant.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Same as above.

Location of project or event:

Various schools across City of Langley, Township of Langley, including Langley Events Centre.

Bandits Community Foundation - Charity / Society [023FAE0C]**Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:**

We have the support of various businesses and hotels from the community.

Submission Details**Recent Financial Statements:** Yes**List of Executive Members:** Yes**Recent AGM:** Yes**Registered Society Systems:** Yes

Bard in the Valley - Charity / Society [023AB63B]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Bard in the Valley is a charitable theatre company based in the Fraser Valley, dedicated to bringing Shakespeare to life through two annual productions. In addition to showcasing the works of the Bard, we support and promote local performing artists by providing them with opportunities to perform on our stage.

Committed to fostering the next generation of theatre enthusiasts, we also host a no-barrier youth theatre camp each year, ensuring that young performers of all backgrounds have access to the arts.

Service Provided to the Community:

Our service to the community is providing a cultural community activities in the means of theatre and theatre camps. We provide a space for education of the arts to the community. We provide a place for new and local talent to be produced and promoted.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Bard in the Valley has operated for 17 years. In that time we have grown from a grassroots vision to a reliable and trusted community organization. Over the last 7 years we have transformed Bard in the Valley to be multi-seasoned and multi-programmed. In the last two years we have expanded our programming to include new Langley local playwrights and international performers. We now have 4 staff on our payroll and we continue to strategically align with other community and municipal groups.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$4500	\$4000

Proposed allocation of funding:

4 Wireless microphones - Total cost \$8200.00

In-Kind - To support us with our summer event we ask for the rental of the Spirit Stage and adjacent area to build the theatre in the park.

We also ask for the installation of our banners in the down town city streets.

We estimate these two in-kind cost at \$4000.

Purpose of the grant:

We are looking to purchase 4 more wireless microphones to expand abilities to stage different groups. Immediately this will impact our youth theatre program and new playwrights as we bring them to the Spirit Square Stage. Both groups this year require more wireless microphones than we currently have.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

If approved, this grant will allow Bard in the Valley to purchase wireless microphones that will significantly expand access to our programming and improve the quality of community arts experiences in the City of Langley. Enhanced sound amplification ensures that audiences of all ages and abilities—including seniors, people with hearing challenges, and first-time theatre attendees—can fully engage with live performances.

The addition of wireless microphones will enable Bard in the Valley to broaden its community offerings, including youth theatre programs, school matinees, workshops, and inclusive performances that require clear and consistent sound in both indoor and outdoor settings. Improved audio accessibility reduces barriers to participation for performers and audiences alike, supporting equity-deserving community members and emerging local artists.

This investment directly supports the City of Langley's goals of fostering a vibrant, inclusive, and culturally rich community by strengthening local arts infrastructure, increasing public access to the

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performing arts, and activating shared public spaces. By improving production capacity, Bard in the Valley will be able to serve more residents, partner with additional community organizations, and deliver higher-quality cultural experiences that enhance community connection and civic pride.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Each summer we have an estimated 2030 in audience numbers. Each year this purchase will benefit up to 45 performers. Year over year this will increase Bard in the Valley's ability to host more local artist in Langley City.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Each season we have between 40 - 50 volunteers. Our annual volunteer hours are over 1500hrs.

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park - Spirit Square Stage
HD Stafford Middle School - Youth Theatre camp

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

This year we will be asking all the rotaries for this capital purchase.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

BGC South Coast BC (formerly Boys and Girls Clubs of South Coast BC) - Charity / Society [023EC5B6]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The mission of BGC South Coast BC (BGC) is to provide a safe, supportive place where children and youth can experience new opportunities, overcome barriers, build positive relationships, and develop confidence and skills for life. In all our work, we are guided by the core values of belonging, respect, encouragement and support, working together, and speaking out.

Service Provided to the Community:

Our clubs and programs focus on promoting the healthy physical, educational, and social development of children and youth. Our work is proactive in nature – in a word, it is “prevention.” As a society, we collectively worry about kids going off track, and our work is the antidote for that. When kids belong to BGC and are seen and heard, the likelihood of gang and crime involvement, dropping out of school, accidental injuries, substance use/abuse, and social isolation is dramatically reduced because virtually everything that kids need during the critical out-of-school hours happens here. In addition to our 10 neighbourhood-based clubs, we offer a wilderness summer camp (Camp Potlatch), substance use services for youth, youth and family counselling, youth employment services, and parent support and early years programs.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

BGC has been serving young people and their families in BC’s Lower Mainland since 1938, when the Vancouver Boys’ Club Association was established. BGC of South Coast BC was formed in 2011, as a result of growth, evolution, and several strategic mergers that brought together Delta Youth Services, Boys and Girls Clubs Community Services of Delta/Richmond, and Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Vancouver.

With the support of countless private and corporate donors, we continue to be successful in our efforts to serve more kids and families each year. We remain committed to sustaining that growth, but to do that requires that we continue to reach out to community members who share our commitment to investing in vulnerable children.

In 2022, as part of a national rebranding across the country, we official became “BGC South Coast BC.” We open our doors to all kids and teens, and we believe that our brand should reflect that, so every kid and youth can feel that they belong here. Removing gender from our name modernizes the BGC brand and echoes the inclusive practices we’re known for, without straying too far from our history. It also embraces the fact that we serve young people of all ages, backgrounds, and identities. At our Langley club, the programming continues to reach hundreds of children, youth, and families in the Douglas Park neighbourhood. The club currently has 260 members with an average of 75 kids attending each day after school.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$3500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

We would like to purchase the following for our Langley Club:

- 1 x Curt 85" Genuine Leather Sofa with Button Tufting – Black (\$1,099.95 + \$142.79 tax + \$89.99 delivery) = \$1,332.69

<https://www.thebrick.com/products/curt-genuine-leather-sofa-black>

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- 20 x National Public Seating Heavy Duty Steel Stools, 18 Inch Seat Height, Vinyl Padded Inset (\$1,493.20 + \$232.94 tax + \$447.96 shipping) = \$2,174.10
<https://www.schoolspecialty.ca/national-public-seating-heavy-duty-steel-stool-18-inch-seat-height-vinyl-padded-inset-4002602>
 Grand total: \$3,506.79

Purpose of the grant:

As our membership is increasing, we need a replacement sofa and additional seating in our games room. This new couch and stools will revitalize the area and provide plenty of seating for our programming and various events.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Much of our Langley club's furniture is aging and we continue to serve a large number of kids in the neighbourhood. In particular, the evening programs are extremely popular among the preteen and teen participants, often seeing up to 40 youth per night. It's essential that we provide enough seating for everyone to provide high quality programming, such as our Teen Nights and Learn On academic enhancement sessions, and that the equipment and furniture is in good repair.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

260

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

25

Location of project or event:

Langley BGC Club, 5409A - 206th Street, Langley, BC V3A 2C5

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

This capital expenditure is outside the annual operating budget for the club, and BGC does not have other support or sponsorship allocated to the project.

Overall, BGC has a diverse funding base. Only 15% of the \$4 million required to operate our clubs comes from government sources. We have ongoing financial support from numerous corporate partners (e.g., RBC, Best Buy Canada, Jumpstart, the United Way, the Rotary Club, and countless private donors. The Langley Club has also been directly supported through a variety of program grants from BGC Canada and PC Children's Charity.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile
Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley (BBBSL) is dedicated to ensuring all young people realize their full potential through the power of life-changing mentoring relationships. Our mission is to enable and ignite the potential of children and youth by matching them with caring mentors who provide guidance, friendship, and support. BBBSL focuses on serving children at risk of not reaching their full potential by offering community- and school-based programming that fosters resilience and personal growth. Our core programs include Community-Based Mentoring, In-School Mentoring, and After-School Group Mentoring, each designed to meet the developmental needs of young people. Programs such as “Game On,” “Go Girls,” and “Explorations” promote healthy lifestyles, self-esteem, and skill development, while summer camp programming offers a safe and fun space for youth during school breaks. Through these mentoring programs, BBBSL helps young people build confidence, develop positive relationships, and acquire tools for a successful future, strengthening both individuals and the community as a whole.

Service Provided to the Community:

For over 50 years, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley has served as a vital support network for children and youth across the City of Langley, helping them thrive at school, at home, and within the community. Our organization creates and sustains mentoring relationships that build resilience for children facing challenges such as mental health concerns, family instability, or socioeconomic barriers. BBBSL engages caring community volunteers who act as mentors, providing children with positive role models who encourage healthy behaviors, coping strategies, and social connection. Through partnerships with local elementary schools, including Alice Brown, Nicomekl, Douglas Park, Belmont, Noel Booth, and HD Stafford middle school, and partnering with Brookwood and Langley Secondary Schools for our teen mentoring program, our school-based programs support both mentees and student mentors. We also collaborate with community organizations to ensure families receive holistic support. Our mentoring programs are evidence-based and designed to foster positive youth development, strengthen community bonds, and empower the next generation to become engaged, confident, and resilient citizens.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Founded in 1974, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley has been championing mentoring as a proven intervention that enhances children’s well-being and success. Originally established as a Big Brothers organization, the Society expanded to include girls in 1992, ensuring equitable access to mentorship for all youth. Over time, BBBSL has continuously evolved to meet community needs, launching the In-School Mentoring Program in 1996, Teen Mentoring in 2006, and the “Go Girls” and “Game On” group programs in 2012. The “Explorations” program followed in 2017, offering creative, interest-based mentoring opportunities, and in 2022, BBBSL introduced six weeks of summer camp programming, providing enriching experiences for children across Langley. As a member of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Canada, BBBSL’s achievements reflect a long-standing commitment to quality mentorship, innovation, and inclusion. In 2025, our agency served 400 children and youth, continuing our commitment of empowering young people to realize their full potential and strengthening the Langley community. In 2026, we look at expanding our programming, with the goal of increasing our service and support to reach 500 children served.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$5000	\$Nil

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley - Charity / Society [023ADD85]

Proposed allocation of funding:

The total annual budget for our school-based mentoring programs is \$199,500. This reflects the full cost of delivering in-school mentoring, after-school group mentoring, and spring and summer break programming.

Direct program expenses related to supplies and participant supports are as follows:

School-year programming: \$5,000

(Includes activity bins for in-school mentoring, group program materials, and healthy snacks.)

Summer break programming: \$6,000

(Includes supplies for week-long camps such as sports equipment, cooking and art materials, and daily healthy snacks.)

The requested \$5,000 grant will directly support the school-year and summer break programming costs taking place at schools within the City of Langley, helping offset the expenses associated with activity supplies and healthy snacks that are essential to delivering safe, engaging, and accessible programs for local youth.

The remaining program costs, including staffing required to coordinate and deliver programming, volunteer screening and training, case management and oversight, and administrative support, are funded through agency fundraising initiatives, corporate donations, and additional grant sources. These funds ensure proper supervision, program quality, and long-term sustainability.

This grant will directly reduce barriers to participation and strengthen access to mentoring opportunities for children and youth in the City of Langley.

Purpose of the grant:

This grant request is to support the delivery of our school-based mentoring programs serving children in the City of Langley. Funding will directly enhance our in-school mentoring, after-school group mentoring, and spring and summer break programming, ensuring students have access to consistent, supportive relationships and structured activities throughout the year.

Our in-school mentoring program matches students with adult or teen mentors who meet weekly during the school day. Each participating school is equipped with an activity bin containing games, crafts, books, and recreational supplies that support meaningful engagement during mentoring visits. These resources help build trust, strengthen social skills, and create positive developmental experiences that form the foundation of a strong mentoring relationship.

Our after-school group mentoring programs provide structured, strengths-based programming focused on building confidence, positive peer connections, healthy lifestyles, and emotional well-being. Grant funds will support program resource materials, activity supplies, and weekly healthy snacks. Providing snacks reduces barriers to participation and ensures youth feel welcomed and supported.

During spring and summer breaks, we offer week-long camps that provide full-time support for participating youth at free or low cost to families. These camps reduce isolation, support working parents, and maintain positive peer and mentor connections outside the school year. Funding will support sports equipment, cooking and art supplies, program materials, and healthy snacks.

Through this funding, we anticipate supporting approximately 40 students during the school year and an additional 40 youth through our spring and summer camp programming, strengthening protective factors for youth in the City of Langley.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

At Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley, we create, invest in, and empower life-changing relationships for children facing adversity. A recent internal study found that 73% of mentees in our programs have experienced three or more forms of adversity, including divorce, death of a parent, mental health challenges, bullying, poverty, and substance use in the home. Research in neuroscience shows that consistent, supportive relationships are critical in buffering the effects of toxic stress.

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Funding from the City of Langley Community Grant will strengthen access to these developmental relationships through our school-based mentoring programs.

Group Mentoring Programs help youth build confidence, develop healthy lifestyle habits, and form positive peer connections. Participants report improved self-esteem, stronger friendships, and a greater appreciation of their own strengths. Structured curriculum modules promote lifelong skills, reinforce personal growth, and encourage ongoing physical activity during key developmental years.

In-School Mentoring enhances academic engagement, attendance, and social-emotional development. Students gain confidence, improve communication skills, and develop a more positive outlook on their future. Schools view the program as an effective preventative strategy. 98% of school staff report it is valuable for the child, and 100% say students look forward to mentor visits.

Summer Camp Programming mitigates learning loss while fostering connection, exploration, and healthy recreation. Camps integrate science, nature, cooking, arts, and physical activity. Notably, 100% of surveyed parents reported that camp better prepared their child to return to school.

When children are supported to succeed, the entire community benefits through stronger, healthier, and more resilient young people.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

80

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

15

Location of project or event:

Schools through the City of Langley, including Nicomekl, Douglas Park, Alice Brown and HD Stafford.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

CIBC (In School mentoring) - \$4000

United Way School's Out Funding (after school group mentoring) - \$60,000

Hamber Foundation (In School mentoring) - \$2500

Chris Spencer Foundation (Group mentoring) - \$5000

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Community Gardens Everywhere - Neighbourhood Group [0240FAB7]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Community Gardens Everywhere exists to strengthen community connection, food security, and environmental stewardship through accessible community gardening. Our goal is to create welcoming spaces where people of all ages and backgrounds can learn to grow food, share skills, and build meaningful relationships.

Our objectives include:

Expanding access to community gardens for local residents

Teaching sustainable gardening practices and food-growing skills

Encouraging intergenerational learning and volunteerism

Promoting local food production and healthy eating

Creating inclusive spaces where newcomers, families, and seniors can connect

Our activities include organizing and maintaining community garden spaces, coordinating volunteers, offering informal gardening education, sharing seeds and plants, hosting community planting days, and facilitating opportunities for neighbours to gather and grow food together.

Service Provided to the Community:

Community Gardens Everywhere provides accessible opportunities for residents to grow fresh food, learn practical gardening skills, and connect with others in their neighbourhood.

Our gardens help address food insecurity by enabling individuals and families to grow their own produce while also encouraging healthy lifestyles and outdoor activity. The gardens also serve as gathering places where people can build friendships, share knowledge, strengthen community ties and support our local foodbank.

In addition, our initiative supports environmental awareness through sustainable gardening practices such as composting, seed saving, pollinator-friendly planting, local food production, preparing healthy meals and preserving the harvested produce. By making gardening accessible and welcoming, we help foster a stronger, more resilient community.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Community Gardens Everywhere is a grassroots initiative launched in 2026 with a vision to strengthen community connection, improve local food security, and create opportunities for people to learn how to grow their own food.

In its inaugural year, the project has been made possible through the generous support of a local farmer who has provided a quarter-acre of land to establish the first community garden site. This garden will serve as a shared space where residents can work together to grow fresh produce, develop practical gardening skills, and build meaningful relationships through cooperative stewardship of the land.

Although the initiative is new, there has already been strong interest from community members who are eager to participate, volunteer, and contribute their time and knowledge. Community Gardens Everywhere aims to build on this momentum by expanding to additional garden spaces as land becomes available and community interest grows.

The long-term vision is to cultivate a network of community gardens that not only increase access to healthy, locally grown food but also strengthen neighbourhood resilience, environmental stewardship, and a culture of sharing and collaboration within the community.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$500	\$Nil

Community Gardens Everywhere - Neighbourhood Group [0240FAB7]

Proposed allocation of funding:

Proposed Budget Allocation

Item	Description	Estimated Cost
Soil amendments & compost	Bulk compost, soil improvements, and organic fertilizers to prepare garden beds	\$800
Seeds & starter plants	Vegetable seeds, herb seeds, and starter plants for community plots	\$300
Garden tools	Shared tools such as shovels, rakes, hoes, hand tools, watering cans	\$600
Irrigation supplies	Hoses, watering systems, connectors, and timers	\$500
Lumber & materials	Materials for raised beds, garden borders, and simple infrastructure	\$900
Fencing & protection	Basic fencing or materials to protect crops from animals	\$600
Educational signage & supplies	Garden signage, plant markers, and educational materials	\$200
Community work days	Refreshments and supplies for volunteer garden workdays	\$100
Total Estimated Budget:		\$4,000

Purpose of the grant:

This grant will support the launch of the first Community Gardens Everywhere site on a quarter-acre of donated farmland. Funding will provide essential start-up supplies and infrastructure needed to establish a community garden that increases access to fresh food, builds community connections, and creates opportunities for residents to learn and grow food together.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

This project will increase access to fresh food, strengthen community connections, and provide opportunities for residents to learn sustainable gardening skills. A portion of the harvest will also be donated to the local food bank, helping support individuals and families experiencing food insecurity while promoting environmental stewardship and community well-being.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

6-10

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

12

Location of project or event:

1090 248th Street
Aldergrove BC V4W 2B8
Canada

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	No

Douglas Park Pickleball - Charity / Society [023BEF01]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Douglas Park Pickleball is a non-profit, organized group of Langley-area pickleball players. Though we do not charge dues to our 'members', we are an Affiliated Club with Pickleball Canada. Each year we run a Sanctioned pickleball tournament with the aim of using all the money we raise to support the Douglas Park Community School next door to the courts, via the Douglas Park Community School Society (DPCSS), which has been a registered charity for over 30 years. They use our donation to provide autism assessments for kids at that school who otherwise could not afford to have private assessments. Providing these assessments allows kids to get the timely help they need which will benefit their education, increase productivity and self esteem, and set them on a path to success in school and in life. Additionally, the supports that become available to their families once the children are assessed, make a life-changing impact and have positive effects throughout the entire community.

Service Provided to the Community:

As stated above, our annual donation provides autism assessments and other vital supports for kids at DP Community School who otherwise could not afford to have private assessments. As stated by the DPCSS Chair: "A donation of this significance literally changes the trajectory of the lives of at least 12 children, who will now be able to be assessed for learning challenges. With proper assessments they are given a proper educational plan, are more motivated to do well in school and as a result, they have more self esteem and are more engaged in the community."

Additionally, our Tournament offers a chance for pickleball players throughout Langley and the Lower Mainland to come together to make a difference, and enjoy a weekend of fun, sportsmanship and comraderie.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

More than 6 years ago, a group of players at Douglas Park saw a need at the school, and decided to hold a small tournament to raise money for the kids. Since then, DP Pickleball's volunteers have grown the tournament, and our annual donation, to continue this support. We have raised almost \$100,000 and have directly helped more than 30 children and families, with the impacts reaching much further. DP has a great reputation for holding a successful tournament, which players anxiously await - registration fills within a day! Each year our Committee works hard to improve our event to attract more players and increase our donation to the School. The dedication of our group to support this event has been unwavering, and exemplifies the nature of this sport: fun, inclusive, community-building.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$7350	\$2500

Proposed allocation of funding:

Hopefully there's a spot to add an attachment to this application - I have a detailed sheet.

Overview of costs we'll use the grant to help cover: medals, facility rental, referee fees, tournament software fees, misc supplies and printing/signage, tents - total of \$7350 (est) costs.

In-kind support will cover use of pickleball courts for the 4-day tournament, plus garbage bins, tents and nets.

Purpose of the grant:

Because Douglas Park Pickleball (DPP) is a not-for-profit 'Club' (we don't charge dues to our players), we have no revenue stream to use to run our annual Tournament. Putting on a large, sanctioned event

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such as ours has many costs. We rely strictly on our volunteers to manage the paperwork and technical aspects of running the event, as well as the fundraising and logistics. We could not put this event together without the City's in-kind support (use of courts, etc) as well as the financial support offered by this grant. Every dollar we don't have to spend on printing, supplies, etc, is one more dollar we can donate to the School Society for kids in need.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Providing assessments allows kids to get the timely help they need which will benefit their education, increase productivity and self esteem, and set them on a path to success in school and in life.

Additionally, the supports that become available to their families once the children are assessed, make a life-changing impact and have positive effects throughout the entire community.

Pickleball as a whole is an incredibly popular sport, and the number of players is growing exponentially each year - we hear of it happening, but see proof at DP, as each week we find new faces on our courts. As Langley rapidly grows, and more people are learning to play, the opportunities for competitive play as well as recreational play is in increasing demand. Our tournament attracts approximately 270 players from around Langley and the Lower Mainland. Our event attracts folks to our local restaurants and shops, and other area amenities.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

400+

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

40-60

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Because we ourselves are not a Registered Charity, DP does not qualify for government grants, etc. We have been given support by Discover Langley City in the previous 3 years, and always appreciate the contributions of many local business owners. As a group, we hold a few social events throughout each year for our players that have a small fundraising component, which helps to build our overall donation for that year's Tournament.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: No

Douglas Park Community School - Neighbourhood Group [0240914D]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Douglas Park Community School library is fundraising for new books for our school. Our goal is to fundraise \$5000 total for new items for our library, but whatever donation amount would be appreciated.

Service Provided to the Community:

We have 374 students from Kindergarten to Grade 5 who attend our inner-city school who access our school library. We are currently hosting a Read-A-Thon fundraiser to encourage literacy at our school and raise money for our school library.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Here is a donation link:

https://www.read-a-thon.com/school/_70927

Grant Request

Organization Type:

Neighbourhood Group

Amount Requested:

\$500

In-Kind Requested:

\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Purchase new high-interest low-vocabulary books for our school library. I would also like to purchase LGBTQ2+, Indigenous, and New to Canada books so our students see themselves reflected in the books in our school library.

Purpose of the grant:

To purchase new books that the students will enjoy reading, replace old books, and to purchase diverse books for students to enjoy.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Increase literacy with inner-city students.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

374 students and their families will enjoy these books this year and for years to come.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Teacher Librarian Kylie King.

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park Community School Read-A-Thon fundraiser.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Langley Literacy Network, 2024 recipient of Indigo Adopt A School Fundraiser, Douglas Park society

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: No

Registered Society Systems: No

Organization Profile
Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Our organization's objectives are centred around empowering educational experiences, fostering inclusivity, and providing long-term support within the Douglas Park community. We aim to empower students by providing enriching learning materials and addressing learning disabilities at an early stage, fostering an environment where every child can explore their potential. We actively participate in city events by organizing and operating a concession stand and parking services, where proceeds directly contribute to our initiatives.

Service Provided to the Community:

We allocate funds at the start of each academic year to enrich the classroom experience, providing materials that amplify student learning. Moreover, their dedication extends to identifying and addressing learning disabilities in children, ensuring timely assessments and tailored education plans that accompany the child from early stages through to graduation, securing a comprehensive educational journey.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Comprised of passionate community members, our society organizes fundraising initiatives that cater to diverse needs, from providing student assessments to funding field trips, school supplies, playground equipment, musical instruments, and even supporting breakfast programs for students. Unlike traditional Parent Advisory Councils, our society emerged in 1999 to fill a void, serving as an active force in fundraising for extracurricular activities, ensuring no family is left behind due to financial constraints. Douglas Park stands out as a community school, not just offering education but also providing daycare services, fostering an environment where inclusivity thrives. The presence of a vibrant Boys' and Girls' Club on-site further solidifies our commitment to creating a cohesive community. What sets us apart is our collaborative approach. We engage with various community members, organizing events that not only fund raise but also enhance classroom experiences. By channelling funds at the beginning of the year for enriching learning materials, we empower the students to explore their potential. Most importantly, our mission goes beyond immediate support—it's about identifying and addressing learning disabilities early on, crafting tailored education plans that accompany the child throughout their educational journey, ensuring their success until graduation

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$1741.5999999999999	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Gildan Sweaters (x15)
 \$32 base + \$15 transfer = \$47 per sweater
 15 × \$47 = \$705.00 (before tax)
 12% tax = \$84.60
 Total for sweaters = \$789.60
 T-Shirts (15)
 \$10 base + \$15 transfer = \$25 per shirt
 15 × \$25 = \$375.00 (before tax)
 12% tax = \$45.00
 Total for T-shirts = \$420.00
 Baseball Caps (10)

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\$25 each (transfer included)
 $10 \times \$25 = \250.00 (before tax)
 12% tax = \$30.00
 Total for caps = \$280.00
 Stickers (100)
 \$1 each
 $100 \times \$1 = \100.00 (before tax)
 12% tax = \$12.00
 Total for stickers = \$112.00
 Lanyards (25)
 \$5 each
 $25 \times \$5 = \125.00 (before tax)
 12% tax = \$15.00
 Total for lanyards = \$140.00
 Total
 Sweaters: \$789.60
 T-shirts: \$420.00
 Caps: \$280.00
 Stickers: \$112.00
 Lanyards: \$140.00
 Before tax subtotal: \$1,555.00
 Total tax (12%): \$186.60
 Grand Total = \$1,741.60

Purpose of the grant:

Branded merchandise increases our visibility by making our society consistently present in everyday community spaces. When our name and logo are seen in schools, events, local businesses, and public spaces, it builds familiarity and trust. Increased visibility helps community members recognize who we are, understand our mandate, and feel more comfortable reaching out. Greater awareness leads to more inquiries, new volunteers, and stronger community engagement. As more people learn about our work, more families can access our programs and supports. This visibility directly contributes to growing our society and expanding our impact in the community.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

At the core of our mission lies the unwavering commitment to strengthen our community through fundraising efforts. By actively participating and increasing our presence in community events, we create a robust network of support. This heightened engagement enables us to reach more children and their families, providing essential resources, educational opportunities, and assistance that they might otherwise lack. Through our collective efforts, we fortify the bonds within our community, fostering an environment where every child can thrive, empowering families, and ensuring a brighter future for all.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

We directly support approximately 20–30 families annually through assessments and therapeutic services, impacting an estimated 60–120 residents. In addition, our annual classroom stipends support 18 classrooms at Douglas Park Elementary, benefiting approximately 540 students. In total, we estimate that 600–660 City of Langley residents benefit from our programs each year.

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Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

15

Location of project or event:

Langley Community Days

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Pickleball Charity Tournament

Langley Cruise In

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Downtown Langley Business Association - Arts Alive

Festival - Charity / Society [023B2F11]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Downtown Langley Business Association (DLBA) was established more than 30 years ago to promote, enhance, and advocate for Downtown Langley. In 1994, Langley City Council formally created the Langley City Business Improvement Area (BIA), providing a framework for coordinated investment in downtown economic development and community-building initiatives.

The DLBA is a non-profit organization governed by an elected Board of Directors and supported by a professional staff team led by a full-time Executive Director. The organization works in partnership with the City of Langley, local businesses, community organizations, and volunteers to deliver programs and events that strengthen the downtown core.

Funding for the BIA is generated through an annual levy paid by all commercially zoned properties within the designated area. These funds are collected by the City and reinvested locally through initiatives focused on business recruitment and retention, marketing and promotion, economic development, placemaking, public art, community engagement, and special events.

A key objective of the DLBA is to create a vibrant and economically resilient downtown by encouraging foot traffic, supporting local businesses, and fostering opportunities for residents and visitors to connect. To achieve this, the DLBA develops and delivers annual initiatives that animate public spaces and celebrate local culture.

Signature events such as Arts Alive, the McBurney Plaza Summer Concert Series, the Fork & Finger Foodie Event, and It's Christmas Time in the City contribute to community pride and the long-term vitality of Downtown Langley.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Downtown Langley Business Association (DLBA) delivers programs and events that strengthen community connection, support local businesses, and celebrate the cultural vibrancy of Langley City. This application supports the Arts Alive Festival, one of the community's longest-running and most recognized cultural events.

Now approaching its 30th anniversary, Arts Alive is a free, family-friendly festival that transforms Downtown Langley into an accessible arts and culture experience. The event attracts thousands of attendees annually and showcases over 200 visual and performing artists from across British Columbia, including Metro Vancouver, Vancouver Island, the Interior, and the Pacific Northwest. Arts Alive features a main performance stage offering live entertainment throughout the day, complemented by additional music, roaming and interactive performers, and creative programming woven throughout the festival footprint. The event also includes engaging children's and family-friendly activities such as face painting, caricature drawing, interactive art experiences, and photo booth activations. Together, these elements encourage youth participation in the arts while creating a welcoming environment for attendees of all ages.

The festival provides meaningful economic and community benefits. All businesses within the Business Improvement Area are invited to participate at no cost, encouraging increased customer traffic and exposure. Arts Alive attracts residents and visitors to Downtown Langley, supporting local retailers, restaurants, and service providers while fostering civic pride.

Through Arts Alive, the DLBA creates opportunities for artists, families, and the broader community to come together to celebrate creativity and culture.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Downtown Langley Business Association (DLBA) works to strengthen the economic, cultural, and social vitality of Downtown Langley through business support, marketing initiatives, community partnerships, and signature events. For more than three decades, the organization has collaborated

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closely with the City of Langley, community organizations, and local businesses to enhance the downtown experience for residents and visitors.

The DLBA maintains strong involvement with a wide range of community and advisory groups, supporting initiatives related to arts and culture, accessibility, social services, community safety, and economic development. This ongoing engagement allows the organization to respond effectively to business needs while contributing to broader community goals.

The DLBA has led or partnered on numerous initiatives that have enhanced Downtown Langley's identity and livability, including public art and mural programs, downtown beautification projects, business façade improvement grants, public space enhancements, and destination marketing through Discover Langley City. Since 2017, the DLBA has also managed Discover Langley City, supporting tourism development and city-wide promotion.

The organization has received multiple provincial and industry awards recognizing excellence in marketing, programming, partnerships, accessibility initiatives, and economic development. Signature programs such as the Downtown Dollar initiative, the Mural Walk and Augmented Reality experiences, and award-winning community events including Arts Alive and Fork & Finger reflect the DLBA's commitment to innovation and community impact.

Through business recruitment and retention efforts, strong municipal partnerships, and ongoing investment in arts and culture, the DLBA continues to play a key role in fostering a welcoming, vibrant, and resilient downtown.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$6935

Proposed allocation of funding:

The requested grant funding of \$10,000, along with anticipated in-kind support from the City of Langley estimated at \$6,935 plus applicable taxes, will be used exclusively for the Arts Alive Festival.

The in-kind estimate was provided by City staff and reflects a high-level, comprehensive estimate intended to capture all potential services, permits, and support that may be required to deliver the event. City staff have advised that not all items or staff hours included in this estimate may ultimately be required. Any in-kind services not utilized will result in no cost to the City.

Cash grant funds will be allocated to essential event infrastructure and logistics, including:

- Rental of tents, tables, and chairs
- Washroom and hand wash stations
- Audio and sound equipment
- Temporary fencing and barricades
- General festival supplies and operations

Planned in-kind support from the City may include:

- Special event application and fees
- Banner permits and installation
- Highway use permits and inspections
- City staff time and coordination support
- Signage and wayfinding
- Use of City events equipment and space rentals
- Other logistical support as required

This combination of cash and in-kind support helps ensure the festival remains high-quality, safe, and accessible, while using City resources efficiently and only as needed.

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Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to maintain Arts Alive as a high-quality, professionally produced, family-friendly festival. Funding will support essential logistics, infrastructure, and advertising to ensure the festival continues to attract artists, families, and visitors from across the Fraser Valley and beyond.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Arts Alive is a long-standing, free, and accessible festival that provides significant cultural, economic, and social benefits to Langley City.

- Community benefit: Thousands of residents and visitors experience a family-oriented, high-quality arts festival at no cost.
- Business and economic benefit: Local businesses see increased foot traffic and sales, and the festival draws visitors who may not otherwise spend time in Downtown Langley.
- City goals met: The grant supports a professionally managed, signature community event that contributes to Langley City's cultural identity, vibrancy, and economic vitality.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Arts Alive attracts thousands of attendees from across Langley City, including families, youth, and seniors, who benefit from free access to live music, performing arts, visual arts, and interactive activities.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Arts Alive relies on approximately 15–20 volunteers from the community, including students, local arts organizations, and civic-minded residents. Volunteers assist with setup, artist support, family programming, and general event operations, creating a st

Location of project or event:

The festival takes place along the Fraser Highway One-Way between 204th and 206th Street, including McBurney Plaza, using public spaces and pedestrian areas to create a safe, accessible, and immersive festival environment.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We are in the process of securing recurring sponsors for 2026, including:

- Envision Financial: \$20,000 (pending)
- TransLink: \$3,000 (pending)
- Vancouver Port Authority: \$2,000 (pending)

Additional sponsorships and grants will continue to be pursued to support programming, advertising, and artist participation.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Best Babies of the Langley's connects with perinatal women and girls experiencing conditions of risk. Our mandate is to support marginalized, equity seeking and vulnerable populations, living within the community of Langley, during pregnancy, birth and through the transition into parenting. The population worked with includes women and girls living with financial insecurity, intimate partner violence, substance use or addictions, isolation, health issues, low education, and newcomer, refugee and indigenous persons. The primary goal of Best Babies is to prevent poor birth outcomes and through education and much needed support, healthy lifestyle choices are promoted to reduce and prevent immediate health concerns during pregnancy and chronic disease later in life. Participants are empowered to make positive choices for themselves, their unborn children and their families in areas of nutrition, health, personal safety, substance use, mental health and infant/child attachment.

Service Provided to the Community:

Best Babies provides quality perinatal care to address the health and social needs of vulnerable and marginalized women and girls living in Langley. Our participants typically do not access traditional health care services, so we focus on safety and harm reduction in a non-judgmental environment. We come alongside participants, connecting with them in their homes, schools or public spaces throughout Langley, wherever they feel safe and comfortable.

Best Babies provides the following supports to program participants:

- Nutritious food access (food vouchers, meals and lunch programs)
- Dietary Assessments
- Nutrition Counselling
- Vitamin/Mineral Supplements
- Education Programs
- Peer group support
- Links to community resources via referral or partnerships

All supports are provided by outreach staff trained in basic pre and post natal nutrition and health. The program hosts a registered dietitian and receives support from the registered nurses based at the Langley Public Health Unit.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Since 1995, Aldergrove Neighbourhood Services and Family and Youth Services Society have been providing excellent services to the Langley communities. In 2011, both agencies took part in a merger that led to one larger agency under the umbrella of Aldergrove Neighbourhood Services Society. In 2014, the agency rebranded to become Encompass Support Services Society. Encompass currently holds a three-year accreditation through CARF Canada. CARF Accreditation signals our commitment to continually improve services, encourage feedback and serve community. All of our programs are grassroots and community based with the goal of providing the community with accessible support services and socially positive activities that link and engage participants in the community. All agency services are low barrier, all-inclusive and free to participants. Specific programs have been adjusted to accommodate community needs and are focused on

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enhancing access for all participants.
 Last year 152 at-risk women and girls accessed our Babies Program. Of these 98 were prenatal enrollments with lunch clubs seeing 1, 063 parent connections at group, with the addition of 1, 403 infants and children also in attendance. Additionally 29 babies were born to Best Babies mothers in 2024 and 99% of these babies were born at a healthy birth weight.

Grant Request

Organization Type: Charity / Society Amount Requested: \$3600 In-Kind Requested: \$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Price Structure Chart: Monthly
 Budget Submission

Contractor: Encompass Support Services Society
 Program Name: City of Langley Community Grant

Date: Tuesday, February 24, 2026

Wages and Benefits

Staffing Structure	FTE	Hrs /yr	Rate	Daily/hourly	Annual
Monthly					
1	-	-			
2	-	-			
3	-	-			
4	-	-			
5	-	-			
6	-	-			
7	-	-			
Total Direct Salary				-	-
9	Non-Direct Salary (Backfill for Vac, Sick, Stats, Education) (%)				
6% of personnel					
Total Salary				-	-
10	WCB 1.79%, CPP 5.95%, EI 2.324% (10.064 %)			10%	\$-
\$-					
11	Extended Medical, Dental and RRSP (23%)			20%	\$- \$-
Total Benefits					
A)	Total Wages and Benefits			-	-
Program Costs				Annual	Monthly

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12	Client Assistance	-	-		
13	Computer costs	-	-		
14	Office Supplies	-	-		
15	Photocopying/Printing	-	-		
16	Program Events/Activity Costs			-	-
17	Travel (Staff)	-	-		
18	Food	-	-		
19	Household supplies	-	-		
20	Telephone/cel/pager (staff)			-	-
21	Honorariums - advisory committees etc.			-	-
22	Program supplies	-	-		
23	Training and Professional Development			-	-
24	Other Program Costs (specify)			-	-
B)	Total Program Costs	-	-		

Facility Cost

25	Rent/Lease (\$75 per session x 48 sessions - room rental fees)				
	3,600.00	300.00			
26	Insurance (house and contents)			-	-
27	Utilities (gas and hydro)			-	-
28	House phone \ Internet			-	-
29	Cable	-	-		
30	Maintenance	-	-		
31	Replacement costs (furniture and equipment)			-	-
32	Other: Security	-	-		
C)	Sub Total Facility Costs			3,600.00	300.00

Client Maintenance Costs (Variable dependent on donations/capacity in home)

33	Client Assistance (Clothing, non-prescription meds, Allowances, Bus Tickets)	-	-		
34	Travel (Staff and Youth Bus Tickets)			-	-
35	Allowance, chore incentives			-	-
36	Activities	-	-		
37	Food	-	-		
38		-	-		
39		-	-		
D)	Total Client Maintenance Costs			-	-

Administration

E)	Total Administration (max 10% A+B+C+D)				-
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	Total Program Delivery Cost (A+B+C+D+E)			300.00	
	3,600.00	300.00			

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Purpose of the grant:

The City of Langley Grant would be used to cover the cost of rent to host our drop-in program. We continue to see high numbers of attendants at our weekly education group, so any additional money would be used to support with food security as well as translator services to ensure clear communication with our non-English speaking participants. With a noted rise in the newcomer and refugee population in our groups, we strive to deliver inclusive programs, acknowledging that communication is key as well as the need to address barriers creatively and effectively.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

As the population of Langley continues to grow, the number of individuals that are accessing services also increases. As we work to respond to an identified need in the community, the opportunity to build capacity for both Encompass, as well as the individuals we serve, presents itself. As an organization, the increased numbers of programs, partnerships and collaborative relationships we have only strengthens the delivery of services we can offer. Through our conversations with partners, we have become increasingly aware that there is a growing demand for services that support pregnancy, post-natal needs and babies' development in the first year of life. This note of observation was only further emphasized for us this year when we had to amend our graduation time to 6 months post partum, instead of one year in order to accommodate the large numbers of participants in attendance as numbers exceeded our capacity to both accommodate and adequately support in our current space. This grant will allow us to continue at not only our current capacity, but also enhance program delivery. Being able to respond to the acknowledged gaps in services within the community enables us to increase programming and build capacity, relationships and meet identified needs while supporting some of the smallest members of our community.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 81 Women and girls, as well as their infants and children (approximately 94)

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

8

Location of project or event:

This project is delivered within spaces located in the City of Langley. Currently program is being offered at The Willows, with an anticipated change of venue later in 2026.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Funding for Best Babies of the Langley's is provided by the Public Health Agency of Canada - Canada Prenatal Nutrition Program.

Community Support is provided by:

- Community Action Programs for Children (CAPC)
- Living Waters Church
- St. George's Anglican Church
- Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD)

In Kind Support is provided by:

- Langley Public Health
- Community Donors

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The purposes of the Foundation shall be to:

- a) provide long term care for functionally independent persons suffering from fibromyalgia and related illness and conditions,
- b) provide therapy and pain management to persons coping with fibromyalgia and related illness and conditions,
- c) provide counselling services for persons suffering from fibromyalgia and related illness and conditions,
- d) make the public aware of the suffering of persons with fibromyalgia and related illness and conditions,
- e) fund research into the alleviation of fibromyalgia and related illness and conditions,
- f) educate medical professionals and academia in complementary or alternative treatments of fibromyalgia and related illness and conditions.
- g) provide support for persons in need of counselling, assistance and/or lodging when a self evident need can be identified.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation is a registered charity, and we provide our services to the community through 13 different programs and policies
Some of our more popular programs are described below.

Support Group Meetings Program

Our Support Groups meet in various facilities around the province. In some cases, we must rent venues to be able to hold a meeting. Costs for these venues is increasing making us allocate more funds to this endeavour. As a part of this program, we also deliver one-on-one counselling when necessary.

Supportive Work Program

The purpose of the Supportive Work Program is to ensure functionally independent persons suffering from fibromyalgia are able to work in a setting that 1) is respectful of each sufferer, 2) understand the sudden onset of pain, and 3) is able to react to an individual's inability to work due to sudden incapacity.

Thrift Shoppe

We also operate a successful Thrift Shoppe located at 27540 Fraser Hwy. This Thrift Shoppe provides high-quality second-hand clothing and other household goods to persons in need. It is also the location of our Supportive Work Program.

Helping Hand Policy

This policy provides clothing from our Thrift Shoppe to those in need and when necessary, gift cards for various supermarkets. Quite often retail stores and the public, knowing of this policy donate gift cards to us for distribution.

Detailed descriptions of these programs and policies are available on request.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

July 2006 Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation is founded and incorporated under the BC Society Act
January 2007 Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation receives status as a Charitable Organization from the Canada Revenue Agency.

May 2013 Founder Cheryl Young and Business Manager Nigel Thom receive the Arthritis Society's Mary Pack Founder's Circle Award in recognition of their Outstanding Support in the community.

August 2013 Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation Thrift Shoppe is awarded Langley Advance's "The Best of the Best" for the third year in a row.

Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation - Charity / Society [023AF491]

May 2016 "Just One More Step" Walk to Banff started Tuesday, May 24th at the Foundation Thrift Shoppe at 206th and Fraser Highway at 9 a.m. Both Mayor's and several Council members attended. We were piped out of our parking lot. At 232nd and Fraser Highway, Cheryl Young was interviewed by Global T.V. Vancouver.

May 2021 BC Community Achievement Award given to Cheryl.

February 2023 – Received Grant from City of Langley \$2,000.

July 2023 – Gov't of Canada & Surrey Cares Community Recovery Fund Grant \$68,584.

August 2023 – Received Grant from City of Langley \$755.58

February 2024 – Moved Thrift Shoppe.

April 2024 – Grand opening of the New Location.

May 2024 – Cheryl & Nigel awarded the John & Muriel Arnason Award for Volunteering.

May 2024 – Celebration Dinner @ Adrian`s At the Airport.

February 2025 – Disbursement to community partners \$10,659.50

May 2025 – Celebration Dinner @ Adrian`s At the Airport.

December 2025 – Delivered Hampers in July and December

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$640.3899999999999	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

BOX TRUCK	\$570.00
PST (5%)	\$ 28.50
GST (7%)	\$ 41.89
TOTAL	\$640.39

Purpose of the grant:

Our Thrift Shoppe is successful because our community of supporters donate to us a great quantity of second-hand clothing and household goods. The most important section of our Thrift Shoppe is our sorting group as this is where they accept, categorize and price these donations before they are placed on the display racks for sale. This group needs equipment to help them move and sort the large quantity of donations. To this end we are asking for funds to purchase a BOX TRUCK.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

In 2024 our Thrift Shoppe sold \$128,760 clothing and goods. From this income we disbursed \$10,659.50 of cash and in-kind goods to those in need. Individuals and families that benefit from this disbursement come from the Langley City, Langley Township and the city of Abbotsford.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 45 on a regular basis

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

24 volunteers on a regular scheduled basis

Location of project or event:

Our Thrift Shoppe is located at 27540 Fraser Hwy., Aldergrove.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives Association (CJI) is a community-based non-profit society located in Langley, BC. For over 40 years, our organization has provided quality restorative justice and conflict resolution services in schools, families, Indigenous communities, workplaces and at all levels of the criminal legal system across British Columbia. We ensure that time and attention is paid to the healing needs of those harmed and in pain, and focus on the accountability, growth and well-being needs of those who have caused harm. Our mission is to create a society that can embrace harm and courageous conversations, connect in real ways and begin peacebuilding.

Service Provided to the Community:

1. The Restorative Action program supports children, youth, families and staff in school communities to build deeper social and emotional understanding, healthy communication and conflict skills, and more connected classrooms. When harm happens, we offer responsive restorative processes that focus on accountability, growth, dignity, as well as healing and repair, rather than the traditional outmoded methods of punishment or isolation. We offer direct referrals to our team, supportive consultation, training and award-winning school curriculums.
2. The Restorative Opportunities program partners with provincial and federal corrections to address needs for healing after serious harm and crime. Now enshrined in the Victims Bill of Rights, we centre the needs of victims in the aftermath of harm and offer dialogue and encounter processes with highly skilled professional facilitators to address trauma and recovery for all involved. Evaluation of this program has shown consistent high levels of satisfaction by participants, and shown tremendous efficacy in reducing levels of PTSD and other trauma symptoms as well as reducing the levels of recidivism for those who caused harm, in ways that continue to showcase the importance of restorative practices to address trauma.
3. CJI's Training and Certification Program offers a variety of online and in-person opportunities to build capacity and share knowledge about the processes and practices of restorative justice that go far beyond a unique response to crime and harm. We offer unique ways to understand and move through trauma, grief and shame, and to building more connected communities, and healthy relationships.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

For over 40 years, CJI has provided restorative justice-based programs and conflict resolution services to the community and beyond. CJI's mission is to promote peacemaking and the resolution of conflict through the development and application of restorative justice values, principles and processes. We envision a society where the response to conflict and harm is restorative rather than punitive, relational rather than isolating, and healing rather than causing further harm.

This philosophy guides all CJI programs, including work in schools, where restorative approaches address harm and conflict before they escalate and help identify issues before crimes occur. Our objective is to equip students and staff with practical conflict resolution and mediation skills that support safer, more connected school communities.

As CJI has grown, training has become an increasingly important component of its work. External training contracts allow the organization to share its expertise while diversifying its funding base, all while remaining grounded in its mission, vision, and values.

Despite its long-standing presence in Langley, CJI is not always widely known, largely due to the confidential nature of its work. However, programs such as the Restorative Action program and projects like The Youth Black Book – A Guide to Youth Resources, have helped raise the agency's profile and demonstrate that restorative justice is not only a response to harm, but also a proactive and preventive force.

Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives - Charity / Society [023AE94E]

CJI continues to evolve through new projects, staff changes, and ongoing challenges, while remaining committed to delivering programs aligned with its philosophy and mandate.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Printing Costs for information cards: \$2,500 / Website Updates & Graphic Design (including CJI in kind labour): \$2,850 / Distribution supplies, postage & handling: \$650. Total Expenses: \$6,000

Purpose of the grant:

The project is called “Youth Black Book” (YBB). Every year, CJI works to make the YBB available to youth in middle and secondary schools in Surrey, Delta, Langley, White Rock and Maple Ridge; as well as, to community agencies, service providers, community policing and institutions that serve youth. The objective is to offer an accessible, comprehensive and organized list of resources and services that can support youth, and those working with them, in meeting their needs. The YBB is a free resource available through our website, www.youthblackbook.com. We also print and distribute wallet-sized information cards to schools and community service organizations in the cities listed above. These cards link to the YBB and offer a list of numbers of immediate crises hotlines. We distribute over 13,000 of these cards annually, and aim to replenish them yearly so they are kept up to date.

In addition, the Youth Black Book is now eco-friendly and cost efficient with no paper or plastic waste. An online version enables our agency to continue to offer this resource in a way that is financially manageable and accessible to more youth, with a minimal impact on the environment.

This tool is an essential resource for youth, and adults working with youth, in our region and we are dedicated to ensuring that it continues to be one. It also continues to be in great demand from schools and community youth organizations.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Our website, www.youthblackbook.com, provides centralized, accessible information for youth, especially youth at risk, on essential services including health, violence prevention, education, counselling, and recreation. By helping youth easily find supports that address their needs, the platform contributes to early intervention, improved wellbeing, and stronger connections to community resources, all of which enhance the quality of life for Langley City residents. This aligns with the City of Langley’s Community Grants objective of supporting programs that benefit the general interest and advantage of the community as a whole and enhance quality of life for residents.

The online format broadens reach across diverse youth populations and creates opportunities to engage and support more youth across the Fraser Valley, building on the City’s goals of inclusive community programming and positive social outcomes.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Based on the distribution of cards within the City of Langley, we anticipate that approximately 2,000 people will participate in accessing the Youth Black Book.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

N/A

Location of project or event:

Langley, BC

Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives - Charity / Society [023AE94E]

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Township of Langley and City of Surrey

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Good Ground Harvest Network - Charity / Society [023F4FDD]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

At Good Ground Harvest Network, we want to make sure everyone in our community has the essentials they need to stay healthy and feel supported. Our main goal is to address hygiene poverty—the lack of access to basic hygiene and personal care items—which affects youth, women, and others in transition. We receive, sort, and assemble donated goods into kits that can be delivered to those who need them most. Alongside this, we engage volunteers from the community to help build kits and strengthen our sense of local care. During our pilot project, we aim to assemble and distribute 500 kits while partnering with shelters, outreach programs, and other nonprofits to reach Langley residents efficiently. Activities include donation coordination, kit assembly, and direct distribution through trusted community partners. By addressing hygiene poverty, we not only meet immediate needs but also support health, cleanliness and inclusion for Langley residents.

Service Provided to the Community:

We want to serve Langley City residents facing challenges such as youth transitioning out of foster care, women in crisis, and individuals navigating housing instability. We focus on hygiene poverty by providing full-sized personal care kits — including shampoo, soap, toothpaste, and other essentials — through partner organizations. Many traditional food programs don't address these needs, so our kits fill a real gap in the community. Volunteers help assemble kits and engage directly, creating a sense of community and shared responsibility. By using surplus donations from businesses and other nonprofits, we reduce waste while ensuring residents receive practical support that improves their wellbeing. Our work is about creating a connected, caring Langley where everyone can access the essentials they need to thrive.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Good Ground Harvest Network is a registered Canadian charity based in Langley, BC. Founded by Sarah Seage, our mission is to support vulnerable youth, women, and individuals navigating life transitions by providing essential hygiene and daily living supplies and fostering community care. Our work is inspired by years of outreach in Uganda, where we supported orphans and students with hygiene products and necessities for survival. We saw firsthand how a simple hand of comfort or practical essentials can help someone through a time of crisis, giving them stability and hope. Now, we are bringing that same outreach back home, to our own communities in Langley and the Fraser Valley. We aim to help our residents thrive by providing hygiene kits and daily essentials to those facing housing instability, life transitions, or other vulnerable situations. Drawing inspiration from the parable of the sower, we believe that when the right support is offered — like nourishment for a seed — individuals can grow, flourish, and reach their potential. We have engaged with many potential donors, volunteers and partner nonprofits to grow this outreach. Each kit we assemble is a way of planting care, comfort, and opportunity, turning moments of crisis into manageable steps forward.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Shelving and storage systems: \$2,500 – to organize 200+ boxes of donated supplies efficiently.
 Assembly tables & volunteer workstations: \$1,500 – for kit assembly and volunteer operations.
 Hygiene kit supplies (when donations are low or specific items needed): \$3,000 – to ensure each kit contains full-sized essentials.

Good Ground Harvest Network - Charity / Society [023F4FDD]

Facility operations / utilities for resource hub (short-term lease, water, power): \$2,000 – to maintain a safe, accessible space for sorting and distribution.

Marketing, volunteer training, and community outreach materials: \$1,000 – to recruit volunteers, raise awareness, and coordinate with local nonprofits and shelters.

Purpose of the grant:

To grow this outreach, we seek this funding to establish a resource hub in Langley City that will receive, sort, and assemble donated hygiene and daily living kits for vulnerable residents. The project provides practical support that can help residents navigate times of crisis, stress, or transition. Each kit represents a “seed in good soil,” nurturing individuals to grow, thrive, and regain stability. Funding will allow us to properly equip the hub with shelving, assembly space, and key supplies, while engaging volunteers and partnering with shelters and nonprofits to reach those most in need.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

This grant will directly benefit Langley City residents facing vulnerability, particularly youth, women, and individuals experiencing housing instability or life transitions. By providing hygiene and daily essential living kits, we not only meet a tangible need, we also encourage volunteer engagement, strengthens partnerships with local nonprofits, and support a connected, inclusive community. By efficiently using surplus donations, we also reduce waste and ensure resources go where they are needed most. Aligning with City goals, this initiative promotes community wellbeing, inclusion, accessibility, and resident support, helping Langley City thrive as a caring, engaged, and resilient community.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

1000

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

200

Location of project or event:

The project will serve Langley City residents through a resource hub located in the Fraser Valley, with plans to expand into a City of Langley facility along the Langley Bypass for long-term storage, sorting, and kit assembly. Hygiene kits and essential s

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Capital Contacting, Vancouver Transport, Foursquare Solutions, Cedar Creek Bookkeeping, North Langley Community Church, CityDream Center Society, Wagner Hills Farm Society, CityReach Care Society.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

This initiative is designed to improve access to the employment in the Langley City community for youth who may face systemic barriers, including students with disabilities, those from low-income households, or those with limited work experience. The Service will:

Partner with Langley-area schools and community organizations to identify and refer youth who are ready and able but have limited access to part-time or after-school jobs.

Work closely with employers to adapt recruitment, onboarding, and supervision practices so that youth with diverse abilities can participate meaningfully.

Provide pre-employment workshops (e.g., resume building, interview skills, workplace expectations, safety in community and on the job, professional communication, transportation training) and in-job supports (e.g., job coaching, schedule adjustments) to ensure equitable participation and success. Collect and share best practices with the local business community to help normalize the hiring of youth with developmental disabilities and promote inclusive hiring as a standard practice rather than an exception.

By embedding accessibility into the design of the service, this project will not only support 15 individual youth to secure and sustain paid employment but also help build a more inclusive local employment ecosystem that values and utilizes the potential of all young people.

Service Provided to the Community:

This initiative provides services to the Langley City community by directly connecting youth who face barrier such as disabilities, low income, or limited work experience to real employment opportunities while also strengthening the local job market's inclusivity. It works through schools and community organizations to identify youth who are ready and able but typically overlooked, then supports them with tailored preparation and ongoing coaching so they can enter and stay in part-time or after-school jobs.

The service also serves local employers and the broader business community by helping them adapt recruitment, onboarding, and supervision practices so that hiring youth with diverse abilities is easier and more effective. Pre-employment workshops on resumes, interviews, workplace safety, professional communication, and transportation build foundational skills, while in-job supports such as job coaching and flexible scheduling help youth succeed on the job. By collecting and sharing best practices, the project raises awareness about disability inclusion and encourages more employers in Langley City to adopt inclusive hiring as a norm, expanding access to employment for a wider group of youth and fostering a more equitable, connected community.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Inclusion Langley Society for Community Living in Langley is a vibrant, charitable organization that supports over 3,000 children, youth, and adults with developmental disabilities, autism spectrum disorder, and fetal alcohol spectrum disorder, along with their families. Guided by strong core values and person centered service principles, the Society is deeply rooted in the communities of Langley and serves as a trusted voice for those who require support and advocacy. Governed by an elected Board of Directors composed of family members, self-advocates, local business leaders, and community volunteers, the Society is committed to accessibility, inclusion, and quality service.

The organization delivers a broad range of provincially funded programs, including infant development, supported child development (including Aboriginal-specific services), early years family navigation, respite services, and after-school supports for children and youth. For adults, the Society offers home living supports—from supported living and home-sharing to independent living—along with community inclusion, LIFE services, and supported and customized employment. In particular, the

Inclusion Langley Society - Charity / Society [023F7374]

Society has developed strong youth employment and transition-support services that help young people move successfully into adulthood and the workforce.

All programs are internationally accredited by CARF, reflecting the Society's commitment to high-quality, evidence-based practice. Beyond service delivery, the Society actively participates in local, provincial, and national initiatives that advance inclusion and citizenship for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, supported by a dedicated team of staff, contracted providers, and volunteers.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Budget Line item	Description	Total project costs	Langley city Community grant contribution
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June to September 2026

Salary/Benefits	Salary/Benefits	30,050.85	
Travel Expenses	Transportation for Youth to workshop site/employment site	2000	2000
Facility cost	Rental for workshops	3000	3000
Printing	Employment Workbooks, resume development, Marketing and outreach costs	3000	3000
Facilitator	Workshop	1500	1500
Safety equipment	Safety Equipment	500	500
Administration	Administration rate at 10%	4005.09	
Total Costs		\$44 055.95	\$10,000
Total request from Langley City: \$10, 000			

Purpose of the grant:

The objective of the proposed project is to create meaningful opportunities for youth to succeed in paid employment and gain valuable work experience. This will help youth explore potential career paths and post-secondary options, while building and refining skills that they can continue to develop throughout adulthood. The project will also enable youth to demonstrate their abilities, commitment, and success to potential employers, increasing the likelihood of securing employment after graduation and contributing to a stronger, more inclusive community and working toward supporting those individuals in the community that are at risk of being marginalized.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Langley City is committed to building a more accessible and equitable community by identifying and removing barriers in areas such as employment, service delivery, public spaces, and communications. The City, in partnership with local organizations, actively supports employment and training opportunities for youth, persons with disabilities, newcomers, and low income residents. This project will advance those goals by providing targeted training and structured employment opportunities for 15

Inclusion Langley Society - Charity / Society [023F7374]

youth, helping them secure and sustain paid work, while also contributing to a more inclusive local employment ecosystem that recognizes and values the potential of all young people.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

This grant will directly benefit 15 youth with diverse abilities by providing them with meaningful employment opportunities, individualized job coaching, and sustained workplace supports. Indirectly, local businesses and the broader Langley community will benefit through increased awareness and understanding of disability inclusion in the workplace, leading to more accessible hiring practices and a more inclusive local employment culture.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

0

Location of project or event:

#103 20689 Fraser Highway, Langley, BC

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Inclusion Langley will provide the salaries for the staffing costs through grants, and donations through Rotary at Work, Arts Nursery and private donations.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

KatMoon Band - Neighbourhood Group [023AB8CE]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

KatMoon is a 4 piece band from Langley, British Columbia. Our group was formed in 2022, with decades of performing experience between us. Our style is best described as Indie/Folk Rock, with a strong focus on vocal harmony. While we cut our teeth on cover tunes, we now perform original music exclusively. We seek to continue performing and recording.

Service Provided to the Community:

We have performed 8-10 free 2 hour concerts each summer at the Spirit Square bandshell in Douglas Park to entertain parkgoers. We have done so for the last three years and would like to do so again in 2026.

We think this is/was a win-win for the City, the residents/park goers and us. The City was able to provide free entertainment at no cost to the City and no use of on-site City personnel, the park goers enjoyed free entertainment throughout the summer and we enjoyed playing very much.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

We formed in 2022. Past performances include:
 City of Langley Sounds of Summer 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025
 City of Langley Community Day 2023, 2024
 Fort Langley Canada Day 2024
 Fraser Valley Heritage Railway Festival 2024, 2025, 2026
 Bez Arts Hub, Featured Artist 2025
 Various Royal Canadian Legions 2023, 2024, 2025
 The Roxy Cabaret 2026
 more info at katmoonband.blogspot.com

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$400	\$750

Proposed allocation of funding:

\$350 cash to pay for the liability insurance the City requires we purchase, \$35 per event. The last 2 years we paid this out of our pockets even though these are not paid performances.

\$50 cash for the production of flyers promoting the concerts.

~\$750 in-kind rental of the band shell, ~\$75 per each 2 hour concert

Purpose of the grant:

With these concerts we donate our services for free to the City. We don't make any money and don't expect to, but we don't want to have to pay out of pocket for providing this service to the City and the parkgoers.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Free concerts throughout the summer for the entertainment of parkgoers (usually 35-75 per event) on behalf of the City of Langley

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Last year 2 of us resided in the City limits. These 2 have now moved to Murrayville just outside the city limits, but we do all our shopping in the city!

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

na

KatMoon Band - *Neighbourhood Group* [023AB8CE]Location of project or event:

Spirit Square at Douglas Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details**Recent Financial Statements:** No**Recent AGM:** No**List of Executive Members:** No**Registered Society Systems:** No

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Goals:

- Remove financial barriers that prevent children from participating in organized sports
- Ensure all kids have the opportunity to experience the benefits of organized sports
- Create a more inclusive community where all children can participate regardless of financial circumstance

Objectives:

- Provide funding for sport registration fees to children from financially disadvantaged families
- Support a minimum of 400 children and youth in the coming year
- Review and approve grant applications throughout the year (January 1 - December 31, 2026)

Activities:

- Review and approve grant applications as received throughout the year
- Distribute grants to eligible families to cover sport registration fees
- Partner with local sport organizations, schools, and community service agencies to identify children in need

Service Provided to the Community:

KidSport Langley provides direct financial assistance to families to help cover the cost of sport registration fees. The organization serves:

Children and youth aged 18 and under from financially disadvantaged families including:

- Children from low-income households
- Single-parent families
- New immigrant families
- Families experiencing temporary financial hardship
- Indigenous youth
- Children with disabilities
- Families with multiple children

Community Benefits:

- Creates an inclusive community where all children can participate regardless of financial circumstance
- Builds stronger, healthier youth through active lifestyle habits
- Reduces social isolation and promotes community connection
- Develops future community leaders and volunteers
- Supports local sport organizations and programs
- Contributes to reduced healthcare costs through active living

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Profile: KidSport Langley is a registered non-profit organization that has been operating since September 1, 2010 on an ongoing basis. It serves children and youth across the Township of Langley and Langley City.

History & Accomplishments: The organization has experienced unprecedented growth, demonstrating both its effectiveness and the critical community need:

- 2021: 100 grants distributed
- 2022: 144 grants distributed
- 2023: 215 grants distributed
- 2024: 384 grants distributed
- 2025: 394 grants distributed

KidSport Langley - Charity / Society [023F1667]

The dramatic 79% increase in 2024 underscores the essential nature of the program and KidSport's operational capability to meet growing community needs. This growth reflects increasing financial pressures on families and expanding awareness of the program.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$4000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

All funds will go directly to supporting kids in Langley to participate in a season of sport of their choice. Grants to a maximum of \$400 will be used for the payment of sport participation/registration fees and will be paid directly to the sport organization.

Purpose of the grant:

To provide financial assistance that enables KidSport Langley to distribute grants to children and youth from financially disadvantaged families to cover the cost of sport registration fees.

More specifically:

Primary Purpose: Remove financial barriers that prevent children from participating in organized sports

How the grant will be used: The funds support the review, approval, and distribution of grants to eligible families throughout 2026 (January 1 - December 31, 2026)

Expected Impact: Support a minimum of 400 children and youth in the coming year, allowing them to participate in organized sports activities

The grant enables KidSport Langley to fulfill its mission of ensuring that all children have equal opportunity to experience the benefits of sport participation, regardless of their family's financial circumstances.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Community Benefits:

Youth Development: Sport participation develops crucial life skills including teamwork, leadership, and self-confidence, helping develop future community leaders and volunteers.

Health & Wellness: Physical activity through sports improves mental health, reduces anxiety, and helps combat childhood obesity, contributing to reduced healthcare costs through preventative health benefits.

Economic Impact: The grant supports local sport organizations and programs by maintaining participation numbers, while reducing financial stress on City families struggling with rising costs of living.

Social Connection & Risk Prevention: Organized sports create social connections and community belonging, while creating positive alternatives for youth that may reduce risk behaviours.

Community Identity: The program demonstrates the City's commitment to being an inclusive, family-friendly community and reinforces Langley's reputation for strong community values and investment in youth development.

By meeting these objectives, KidSport Langley ensures equal access to sport opportunities across all Langley communities, creating a more inclusive environment where every child can experience the lifelong benefits of organized sports participation, regardless of their family's financial circumstances

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

A minimum of 10 if each child receives the maximum grant of \$400. Last year, we were able to support 37 children in Langley City with grants totaling \$13,007.90.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

12

KidSport Langley - Charity / Society [023F1667]Location of project or event:

Langley City and Township of Langley

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Please see the attached.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Animal Protection Society (LAPS), a registered non-profit charitable organization, dedicated to supporting healthy human-animal connections through leadership, education, programs, and municipal services. Through a variety of essential services LAPS aims to ensure that pets can be with the people who love them and if faced with the need for a new family are supported with their emotional, physical and physiological needs during the transition of their life.

LAPS provides a range of emergency shelter services to care for animals in need, as well as social programs designed to assist pet owners. These initiatives include food banking, spay/neuter services, access to urgent veterinary care and emergency boarding for people freeing interpersonal violence or faced with housing insecurity. By offering these crucial resources, LAPS seeks to alleviate the pressures faced by pet owners during challenging times and to prevent unnecessary separation of pets from their families.

Organizational Goals:

1. Be recognized as a leader in animal welfare and shelter management.
2. Provide compassionate, caring services to animals and people.
3. Maintain financial sustainability.
4. Engage staff and volunteers through meaningful and impactful roles

Service Provided to the Community:

LAPS provides numerous services to the community, including:

- free spay/neuter procedures that reduce the population of stray, feral, and abandoned animals, making the community safer, healthier, and more welcoming. These procedures also reduce fighting with other animals, protect wildlife, preserve properties, and reduce traffic accidents caused by stray animals.
- volunteer opportunities to offer an avenue for residents to give back to their community. We also have a weekly volunteer program for 24 neurodiverse individuals who gain skills, independence and purpose through volunteering.
- Support elementary students to improve their reading through our Reading with Pets Program
- Support individuals fleeing domestic violence, experiencing health issues, going to rehab, or dealing with the impact of natural emergencies such as floods and fires with its free compassion boarding program in which LAPS cares for these individual's pets until they are stable again.
- conducts street clinics for homeless individuals with pets for services such as spay/neuters and microchipping
- Responds to and investigates complaints from the public seven days a week. From stray dogs to cattle running loose to dogs biting humans, LAPS animal control officers meet each challenge with public safety and animal welfare in mind.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Langley Animal Protection Society (LAPS) was established in 2003 by a dedicated group of volunteers. They were eager to see positive change in the way stray, lost, and unwanted animals were sheltered and cared for in Langley. In order to uphold these founding members' values, we continue to focus on providing excellent service to the community and overcoming the challenges facing animals in Langley.

Langley Animal Protection Society (LAPS) - Charity / Society [023E7E1D]

In 2025, LAPS:

- Found new loving homes for 372 animals
- Reunited 276 lost pets with their families
- Provided \$56,669.29 in veterinary assistance to 86 low-income households
- Delivered 19,560 pounds of food to 674 families
- Issued 181 free cat spay/neuter vouchers to Langley residents

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$6000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Discounted Veterinary Services	\$4,300
Laboratory Tests	\$375
XRays/Imaging	\$375
Pharmaceutical Supplies	\$450
Medical Supplies	\$300
Prescription Medication	\$200
	\$6,000

Purpose of the grant:

As in years past, funding from the City will support Major's Legacy Fund, which provides veterinary care for low income, homeless, and vulnerable pet guardians who otherwise would not be able to afford it, including basic care such as parasite control and vaccines but also surgeries like hernia repairs, teeth extractions, and treatment for disease.

We have asked for an increase of \$1,000 in funding this year as demand for support from the Fund has grown considerably in the last two years from \$33,874 in 2023 to \$56,669 in 2025, as more and more people struggle to make ends meet while caring for their pet(s).

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Many communities, including the City of Langley, struggle to support its most vulnerable citizens, especially in this time of skyrocketing costs. Helping pet owners care for their pets is one way we can relieve their financial burden, and ensure that those facing financial hardship don't have to choose between caring for their pet(s) or caring for themselves. Major's Legacy Fund benefits the community by:

- helping to keep vulnerable residents and their pets together
- reducing the spread of disease through vaccinations such a parvovirus, distemper, and rabies.
- reducing the number of unwanted pets through free spay/neuter procedures
- promoting responsible pet guardianship

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

50

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

87

Location of project or event:

26220 - 56th Avenue, Langley, BC V4W 1J7

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

BC Gaming, individual donors, event proceeds, BCSPCA Hospital Fund

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The mission of the Langley Arts Council is to ‘Cultivate, sustain, and proliferate artistic activity in the Langley's by offering both monetary and resource support to the community as well as developing new and innovative programs in a variety of artistic disciplines.’

The Langley Art Council’s mandate is to ‘Increase and broaden opportunities for citizens to enjoy and participate in cultural activities; to engage in such activities as will promote the advancement of education in arts, culture, and heritage, or other purposes of charitable nature beneficial to the community, to improve the standards of artistic expression in the community and increase the public’s knowledge of, appreciation for, and participation in the arts.’

Service Provided to the Community:

The Langley Arts Council delivers programming in five key areas: Exhibitions, Art Rentals and Sales (ARS), Classes & Workshops, Community Rentals, and Community Initiatives.

Exhibitions

Our Exhibition Program supports emerging, mid-career, and established artists in presenting their work across the Langleys. Artists may apply to exhibit in one of four gallery spaces. Shows run 4–7 weeks and include solo, group, and collaborative exhibitions featuring local, regional, and international artists. All exhibitions and opening receptions are free and open to the public, expanding community access to arts and culture.

Art Rentals and Sales (ARS) Program

The ARS Program provides paid exhibition opportunities by placing artwork in public and private venues throughout the BC region for three to six months. Artists receive compensation for exhibiting their work, gain professional exposure, create sales opportunities, and strengthen eligibility for grants that require paid exhibitions.

Classes & Workshops

We offer accessible, affordable arts education for participants ages 2 to 65+. Programming includes one-day workshops and ongoing monthly classes taught by professional artists at beginner, intermediate, and advanced levels. Offerings include drawing, painting, sculpture, figure drawing, and creative children’s arts programs.

Community Rentals

We operate four rental spaces at the Aldergrove Kinsmen Community Centre, providing affordable rates for private, commercial, and non-profit groups, along with in-kind space for community partnerships.

Community Initiatives

Through free events, performances, festivals, and markets, we celebrate arts, culture, and heritage while fostering community connection and engagement across Langley.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley Arts Council has been a not-for-profit organization serving the residents of the Township and City of Langley since 1968. In 1996, the organization attained charitable status, which provided greater opportunities for growth and development, enabling the Arts Council to evolve into the arts and cultural umbrella organization it is today.

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Some of our key accomplishments from the 2024–2025 Annual Report include:

- Building organizational capacity through the growth of our staff, partnerships, and volunteer base.
- Making progress in fulfilling the goals outlined in our 5-year strategic plan.
- Presenting 32 exhibitions featuring 440 artists through our Exhibition program.
- Offering classes at 4 locations across the City and Township of Langley, with 270 participants.
- Hosting and participating in 35 events, reaching over 7,180 residents of Langley.
- Receiving support from 13 funders and partnering with 41 organizations to deliver programming throughout 2024–2025.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$5595	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The Arts Council is seeking \$5,595 in funding from the City of Langley Community Grant: \$3,760 to implement the Art Rentals and Sales (ARS) Program at two new locations within the City of Langley, and \$2,135 for capital expenditures.

Art Rentals and Sales Program – \$3,760

\$2,400 – Artwork rental fees

\$60 – Mileage for installation

\$300 – Artwork labels and informational signage

\$600 – Additional staff hours for installation and takedown

\$100 – Advertising and promotion

\$300 – Staff time for final reporting

Total: \$3,760

Capital Expenditures – \$2,135

\$600 – Gallery Coordinator computer purchase

\$600 – ARS Program computer purchase

\$800 – Administrative computer (bookkeeping)

\$75 – Computer bags

\$60 – Computer mice

Total: \$2,135

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this request is to support the implementation of the Art Rentals and Sales (ARS) Program in two new locations within the City of Langley and to fund essential capital expenditures.

New Art Rentals and Sales Locations

The requested \$3,760 will support the rotation of exhibitions in two new gallery spaces within the City of Langley: the entrance of Douglas Recreation Centre and Timms Community Centre, located outside the Mayor's Office. This funding will provide paid exhibition opportunities for local and regional artists, allowing them to display their work in high-visibility civic spaces for the broader community to enjoy. The program increases public access to the arts while ensuring artists receive compensation for their work boosting their career options as art professionals.

Capital Expenditures

The requested \$2,135 will support the replacement of two slow and outdated computers currently used for daily operations, as well as the purchase of a new computer to support the ARS and Outreach Coordinator role. Updated equipment will improve administrative efficiency, program coordination, reporting, and communications. These upgrades are essential to maintaining effective operations and ensuring the organization can continue delivering quality programming in alignment with its mission and mandate as a charitable organization.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):**Art Rentals and Sales (ARS) Program****1. Access to the Art in New Locations**

Two new ARS exhibition spaces at Douglas Recreation Centre and Timms Community Centre will make art visible and accessible to residents who may not typically visit a gallery, removing barriers to participation and integrating arts into everyday community life.

2. Direct Financial Support for Artists

The program provides paid exhibition opportunities, ensuring local and regional artists are compensated. This strengthens the local creative economy and supports professional artistic careers.

3. Activation of Spaces

Artwork displayed in public facilities enhances the aesthetic environment, creates welcoming spaces, and fosters civic pride, signaling that creativity and culture are valued community assets.

4. Cultural Enrichment and Community Well-Being

Rotating exhibitions introduce diverse artistic voices, encouraging dialogue, cultural awareness, and shared experiences among residents.

Organizational Sustainability and Long-Term Impact

Replacing outdated computers will improve operational efficiency, financial management, reporting accuracy, and coordination of programs including exhibitions, classes, rentals, and the ARS Program. Increased administrative capacity allows staff to focus on supporting artists and engaging the community rather than troubleshooting technology. Stronger infrastructure ensures reliable, high-quality programming, consistent paid opportunities for artists, and the continued sustainability and accountability of the Arts Council, creating lasting cultural benefits for residents, artists, and local partners.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Capital Expenditure Request: 1,900 (current membership)

ARS Artists: 4

Art Rentals and Sales Program: 2,000 (projected foot traffic by the two locations)

Total: 3,904

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

5

Location of project or event:

Timms Community Centre, and Douglas Recreation Centre.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Confirmed;

Arts Council of Surrey - \$300 promotional support in their monthly magazine

BC Arts Council - \$2,500 allocated to support a portion of the administrative costs to implement this request.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Community Farmers Market - Charity / Society [02412371]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Community Farmers Market is committed to fresh, local, and in season food for its residents, and also connecting food stories and experiences to market goers each week from local farmers. We are very happy to finally be in a position to expand and have two locations for 2026! We are coming to Douglas Park!

Service Provided to the Community:

Connecting local food to the community enhances nutrition for local residents. Weekly farmers markets also contribute to the local economy within our local agricultural community, which at times is misunderstood, and not always available to Langley City residents. Our markets also offer a volunteer opportunity for youth, who are able gain experience with communication and understanding of attendance!

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Since opening the market in 2009, the Board of Directors undertook a planning process to develop a roadmap that could assist in ensuring the success of the Langley Community Farmers market for years to come. While this planning under the Board lasted until 2014, and subsequently continued to grow from 2015 to 2017. The relationship between Kwantlen Polytechnic University and the market decided to part ways to due complications and COVID- 19. Due to this, the market took a hiatus in 2019 and undertook another planning process to relocate to the Derek Doubleday Arboretum, which is within walking distance of KPU and on a bike and bus route.

The market continues to serve the bulk of its clients of 55% from the City of Langley and continues to service low-income residents through the BC Association of Farmers Markets and the Nutrition Coupon Program.

In 2017, the Farmers Market won the Chamber of Commerce Non-For-Profit Award, and in 2018 received recognition of Community Builder from You've Gotta Have Friends.

To date, we have gained more customers and population shopping local, especially with expanding to a second location.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2000	\$600

Proposed allocation of funding:

Musician- \$500
 Displays and rentals from BC Farm Museum-\$500
 Kids activities, honorariums, and volunteer appreciation-\$1000

Purpose of the grant:

With this grant, we would like to plan for the set up of the new 2026 location, and plan a Canada Day Celebration, as the Wednesday market in Douglas Park will be occurring on July 1. This funding would allow for kids activities, local agriculture display, special music and more.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

To build an event that would bring the community together on Canada Day, and supporting the connection to agriculture, in one of the busiest months for farming.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximatley 300

Langley Community Farmers Market - Charity / Society [02412371]

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

4

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Langley Community Services society (LCSS) assists individuals and families to enhance their lives through the provision of information, services and programs

Service Provided to the Community:

Service provided to the Community:

1. Family Connections- provides in-home counseling, support and advocacy to families focusing on reducing risk factors and keeping children safe.
2. Counseling & education- provides free counseling for the Langley residents with children aged 14years and under, to encourage improvements in family life which will positively affect children (e.g. family conflict, divorce, life transitions, stresses management, and Loss).
3. Family Resources- the program (child Care Resources & Referral, Family Place) strengthen families and promote well- being through child development, play-based learning, early literacy, connections to childcare and other community resources.
4. Substance Use Services- provides outpatient screening, assessment, information/education, one-to-one and group counseling, and referrals to the funded treatment system for individuals who are directly or indirectly affected by substance use.
5. Settlement & integration services- provides support, information, form filling assistance, internal an external referrals and assistance/ guidance to meet immediate needs.
6. Employment Services- Skills to Success for High Risk Youth Employment program.
7. Community Law program- The goal of the program is to ensure fair access to income support and services through information, referrals, supports and one-on-one advocacy
8. Intensive Case Management Team (ICMT) is a multi-disciplinary team that engages with clients that meet eligibility criteria through street outreach with a primary focus on client engagement, housing stability and brokering services, including provision of and access to health care including mental health services.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Langley Community Services Society (LCSS) is a community based, multi-service, non-profit organization that has been operating in the Township and City of Langley for over 55 years. The organization is well recognized and respected by residents, all levels of government and community stakeholders. LCSS has received on-going accreditation through COA, meeting high level standards for service provision, policy, including those addressing fiscal policies and responsibilities and retains a member volunteer policy governance board of 8 directors. The agency has approximately 45 programs and services and has staff speaking over 25 different languages at its main site. It is comprised of four main departments: Family Services (Child Care Resource & Referral program and Family Place program), Family Connections (Family Development, Supervised Access and Parent Outreach, Counseling Services (Community Counseling program and Family Success program), Settlement, Employment and Integration Services (Settlement program, Skills to Success for High Risk Youth Employment program, and the Community Law program), Intensive Case Management Team (ICMT) and Substance Use Services.

Our Settlement and Integration Services program has served immigrant communities for more than 36 years.

Since 1990, LCSS has provided a series of Cultural Diversity workshops that are designed to promote understanding and acceptance. .

We are known for our commitment to providing service in the community, strong leadership, dedicated staff, ability to work with diverse groups and we possess a "can do" attitude when it comes to meeting the needs of all members of the community

Langley Community Services society - Charity / Society [023C83C1]

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$5000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

25 weeks/year X 20 clients X \$10 = \$5,000

Purpose of the grant:

Langley Community Services society (LCSS) continues to see a higher-than-expected number of Newcomer/refugees settle in the City of Langley. Our clients arrived with a range of physical and mental health conditions, including untreated trauma, chronic medical conditions, significant dental issues, and physical impairments, several mothers are now expecting and would require the programs' assistance, which are crucial factors to consider as Langley continues to grow as a secondary settlement destination for many refugees.

The Best Babies for Newcomers and Refugees Program is a drop-in session, once a week that offers the clients support during their pregnancy as well as the first 3 months after delivery. The parents are supported by the multilingual outreach staff (Ukrainian, Pashto, Dari, Hindi, Farsi, Spanish, Arabic, Korean, Chinese, Japanese, Punjabi amongst other language.) by providing support to doctors, hospitals, midwives, as well as information and referrals to all health and wellness promoting agencies. The program assists with food assistance as well information on where to access free prenatal vitamins.

With the growing number of pregnant mothers needing services and the increase of cost for healthy and nutritional food during this crucial time, we are requesting this grant to support the clients with a gift card of \$10/ clients to be able to purchase vegetables. Clients that attend the program will be issued a gift card every other week. The program also provides a healthy warm meal for clients at the start of the program.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

the Settlement program focuses on parents and their newborn who experience settlement and adaptation issues that negatively impact the healthy growth and development of children.

As a response to the emerging needs and increased demand, to date, all newcomer clients linked with this program have been supported in finding a family doctor and as necessary connections with specialists. Health literacy workshops have been delivered supporting refugee families in their connection to the local healthcare system and navigating resources. Workshops have been delivered on learning how to manage childhood illnesses in a Canadian context; what can be expected of the family doctor versus the larger healthcare network; how to make well informed lifestyle choices to promote health and wellness; information re: immunizations and strategies to strengthen mental health and overall wellbeing. Clients with previous medical background are being mentored with the goal of one day becoming Health Care Navigators.

The program introduces parents and their newborn to healthy Canadian foods that are age appropriate and good value for money as well as health and safety routines associated with living in Canada.

Expectant refugee mothers are assisted to access specific programs, medical and prenatal supports available to ensure a safe delivery Group activity include speakers, educational topics relevant to pregnancy, postpartum and parenting. This program assists new mothers to socialize and make new friends.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

500 residents

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Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Location of project or event:

Project takes place at main site of Langley community Services Society - 5339 207th street Langley BC
V3A 2E6

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

The program runs with funding from the Federal Government for staff space and supports.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: No

Langley Community Services Society - Charity / Society [023D52DC]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Global Fest is an event that offers Langley's community an opportunity to build connections with organizations, each other, and expand cultural views. There will be performers, cultural food vendors, food trucks, community information tables (to connect people with Langley Community Services Society's resources, other agencies resources for marginalized communities, RCMP, fire department), family activities/games, and cultural item vendors.

Service Provided to the Community:

This event will offer the community a variety of opportunities such as connecting with each other and learning what resources are available to them all while being able to enjoy performances and food.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

This year will be Global Fest's fourth year running. Prior years have given people community and entertainment while connecting them to resources throughout Langley.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Item	Details	Actual	Proposed	
Honorarium	Performers	8 groups, DJ , elder, photographer		\$4,400.00
Hosting Kit	Tourism Langley		\$25.00	
Popcorn Machine	Envision Financial		\$0.00	
SOCAN			\$100.00	
Food	for volunteers, committee, RCMP, movers & Mainland			\$1,500.00
First Aid	Mainland		\$350.00	
Rentals	chairs 150		\$2,500.00	
	tables 55			
	coat rack/hangers	3		
	hangers	30		
Marketing	online ads		200	
Movers			\$500.00	
Activity Zone			\$500.00	
Community Project	banner, posters			\$150.00
Signage			\$500.00	
Venue	SD parking		\$650.00	
insurance			\$700.00	
Raffle prizes	for volunteers, committee & sponsors			\$850.00
Appreciation event			\$1,200.00	
Contingency				
TOTAL expenses		0	\$14,125.00	

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant application is to support Langley Global Fest, a community festival that celebrates diversity and fosters inclusion across Langley and the Fraser Valley. Since its launch in 2023, the festival has grown into a vibrant event bringing together over 50 community partners, market vendors, and food vendors. It creates a welcoming space where residents, newcomers, Indigenous

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communities, artists, and local organizations can connect, share cultures, and build meaningful relationships. Attendees experience culture firsthand through interactive art, music, dance, games, and artisan markets, allowing them to participate directly, ask questions, and engage with traditions in a hands-on way that fosters understanding and curiosity.

This grant will help Langley Global Fest continue promoting social cohesion and inclusion, providing a safe and engaging environment where all community members feel valued. Community booths connect attendees to local programs, resources, and services, helping newcomers access supports while giving long-time residents new ways to engage. Food and artisan vendors—particularly newcomers and women—gain a platform to share traditional cuisine, crafts, and stories, supporting entrepreneurship and cultural expression.

The festival's impact extends beyond a single day, strengthening community networks, building ongoing relationships between service providers and diverse communities, and encouraging collaboration throughout the year. Attendees leave with a deeper appreciation for cultural diversity, a stronger sense of belonging, and new friendships. By prioritizing authentic participation, interaction, and storytelling, Langley Global Fest demonstrates that diversity is a community strength, enriching the social, cultural, and economic life of Langley and the Fraser Valley.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The outcomes of Langley Global Fest are visible and meaningful. People leave the festival with new friendships, knowledge, and a sense of connection. Newcomers often feel more confident and included, while cultural participants are proud to see their traditions represented authentically. Service providers report stronger relationships with the communities they serve, and many connections sparked during the festival continue throughout the year.

Langley Global Fest has made diversity real and lived, not just talked about. By bringing together art, performances, interactive games, food, artisan vendors, and community engagement, the festival fosters connection, empathy, and empowerment. It creates a space where people of all ages and backgrounds can experience culture firsthand, build understanding, and leave with a sense of community and belonging.

At its core, the festival shows that diversity is a strength to celebrate, not a challenge to manage. By prioritizing authentic participation, interaction, and storytelling, Langley Global Fest inspires curiosity, fosters dialogue, and strengthens social cohesion. It is a dynamic, living celebration of culture, building a more inclusive, resilient, and connected Langley—one performance, one dish, one game, and one conversation at a time.

Langley Global Fest promotes intercultural arts and cultural exchange by creating inclusive spaces where art, culture, and community come together to build connection and belonging.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

1200+

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

40

Location of project or event:

Willoughby Community Park.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Immigrant, Refugees and Citizenship Canada

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Dance Connections - Charity / Society [02406326]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Langley Dance Connections' mission is to foster inclusivity, self-expression, and provide a safe social space through monthly dances for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The Society aims to create an enjoyable and empowering environment where everyone can experience the joy and freedom of music, friendship, and dance, celebrating the diversity of the community. The organization operates as a non-profit society, free from affiliation with any agency, and is supported by unpaid volunteers and board members dedicated to keeping these dances accessible and welcoming for all attendees.

Service Provided to the Community:

Langley Dance Connections' mission is to foster inclusivity, self-expression, and provide a safe social space through monthly dances for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The Society aims to create an enjoyable and empowering environment where everyone can experience the joy and freedom of music, friendship, and dance, celebrating the diversity of the community. The organization operates as a non-profit society, free from affiliation with any agency, and is supported by unpaid volunteers and board members dedicated to keeping these dances accessible and welcoming for all attendees.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Since its founding in 2000, Langley Dance Connections, formerly Sunshine Dance has focused on hosting monthly dances that provide participants with a fun and supportive environment to enjoy music, dancing, and friendship. These events are designed to be accessible and inclusive, allowing individuals of varying abilities to participate comfortably while building confidence and meaningful social connections.

Exclusively run by volunteers, over time, the organization has become an important community gathering space for participants, families, caregivers, and volunteers. Its events help reduce social isolation, promote inclusion, and encourage community engagement for individuals who may otherwise have limited opportunities for social interaction.

Through the dedication of volunteers and ongoing community support, Langley Dance Connections has successfully created a consistent and valued program that brings joy and connection to many participants. The organization's accomplishments include sustaining regular monthly events, fostering lasting friendships among attendees, and contributing to greater awareness of the importance of inclusive recreational opportunities within the community. By continuing to provide welcoming and accessible events, Langley Dance Connections plays a meaningful role in strengthening community inclusion and improving the quality of life for individuals with developmental and intellectual disabilities.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$4100	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

1. Replacement of outdated speakers with new sound equipment.
2. Purchase of a laptop for DJ operations and organizational meetings.
3. Subscription to Spotify for music access during events.
4. Hiring a live band twice a year to enhance the dance experience.

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Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of the grant is to support the continuation and improvement of inclusive monthly dance events for individuals with developmental and intellectual disabilities in the community. Funding will be used to replace outdated sound equipment, purchase a laptop for DJ use and organizational meetings, maintain a music streaming subscription for event programming, and hire live bands twice a year to enhance the dance experience. These resources will help ensure that participants can enjoy a safe, welcoming, and engaging environment where they can socialize, build friendships, and express themselves through music and dance. The grant will also help strengthen community inclusion by providing accessible recreational opportunities that promote well-being, confidence, and social connection for participants, their families, and caregivers.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Approval of this grant will support the continued work of Langley Dance Connections and provide important benefits to the community while aligning with the goals and objectives of the City of Langley. The grant will help sustain and enhance monthly dance events that offer individuals with developmental and intellectual disabilities a safe, welcoming, and inclusive environment where they can socialize, enjoy music, and participate in community life.

With the funding, the organization will be able to replace outdated sound equipment, purchase a laptop for DJ use and meetings, maintain a music streaming subscription, and host live bands twice a year. These improvements will enhance the quality of the events and create a more engaging and enjoyable experience for participants. As a result, attendees will have greater opportunities to build friendships, gain confidence, and feel a stronger sense of belonging within the community.

The program also supports families and caregivers by providing accessible recreational activities that encourage social interaction and connection. In addition, volunteers and community members who assist with the events benefit by participating in meaningful community service and developing a greater understanding of inclusion and diversity.

By supporting these activities, the grant helps advance community priorities such as accessibility, inclusion, community engagement, and social well-being. The events bring people together in a positive and supportive setting, helping to reduce social isolation and strengthen connections among residents. Overall, Langley Dance Connections contributes to building a more inclusive, compassionate, and connected community within the City of Langley.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

60-70

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

7

Location of project or event:

Langley Seniors Resources Society

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Township of Langley Community Grant

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

4-H organizational goals center on helping young people grow into capable, engaged, and healthy individuals. The program works to strengthen leadership by encouraging youth to take active roles in planning, speaking, and guiding their peers. Another priority is developing practical life and career skills, which is achieved through hands-on projects, teamwork experiences, and opportunities to explore personal interests. In addition, 4-H promotes overall well-being by offering activities that support healthy habits, outdoor learning, and positive social connections. Together, these goals and activities create a supportive environment where youth can discover their strengths and contribute meaningfully to their communities.

Service Provided to the Community:

4-H provides youth development programs that build leadership, communication, and practical life skills through hands-on learning. Many communities benefit from 4-H events such as fairs, exhibitions, and demonstrations, which showcase youth projects and bring people together. In rural areas, 4-H supports agricultural literacy and livestock education, helping sustain local farming traditions. Overall, 4-H strengthens communities by developing capable young leaders and providing meaningful service, learning, and engagement opportunities.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

4-H is one of the largest youth development organizations in North America, rooted in more than a century of hands-on learning and community leadership. The program began in the early 1900s as a way to introduce new agricultural practices to rural youth, eventually evolving into a national movement focused on developing the “head, heart, hands, and health” of young people. 4-H members regularly showcase their achievements through fairs, public speaking events, and community initiatives, contributing to local development and civic engagement. Today, 4-H continues to be recognized for creating confident, capable young leaders who make meaningful contributions to their communities.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The proposed 4-H district budget allocates funds to strengthen youth programs, support events, and maintain essential operations. Most funding goes toward program delivery, providing materials and resources for hands-on learning in areas like STEM, agriculture, leadership, and healthy living. Additional support covers district events, including venue costs, awards, transportation, and guest instructors.

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to strengthen 4-H programming by providing the financial support needed to deliver high-quality youth development opportunities across the district. Funding will help expand hands-on learning experiences, support community service initiatives, enhance volunteer training, and ensure that events and educational activities are accessible to all youth. Ultimately, the grant enables 4-H to build leadership, life skills, and community engagement among young people while supporting the long-term sustainability of the organization

Langley District 4-H Senior Council - Charity / Society [023FAE22]

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

If approved, the grant will help expand 4-H programs that build youth leadership, life skills, and community involvement. The community benefits through increased educational opportunities, stronger volunteer engagement, and more youth-led service projects. These outcomes support city goals of fostering youth development, promoting healthy lifestyles, and strengthening community connections

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

There are 95 youth members and 25 leaders in the Langley District

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

25 volunteers

Location of project or event:

Langley

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Application only for gaming grant, but approval pending

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Langley Environmental Partners Society - Charity / Society [023AAE8B]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

LEPS is a non-profit charitable organization formed in 1993 with a mission to protect and restore Langley's natural environment through education, cooperation and action. To foster community cooperation through environment-oriented partnerships among residents, government, teaching institutions, community associations and businesses, LEPS brings together diverse groups of people with the common goal of advancing sustainability issues in Langley, and actively partners with local environmental stewardship groups on a variety of initiatives that contribute to practical and cooperative solutions to environmental issues in Langley and beyond.

Our mandate is:

- To promote and conduct watershed protection and restoration activities;
- To provide technical support to community volunteer groups conducting environmental work;
- To provide education and work experience for students in areas related to environmental sciences; and,
- To foster community cooperation through environment-oriented partnerships among government, teaching institutions, community associations and businesses.

Service Provided to the Community:

Our activities are primarily focused on:

Habitat Conservation and Restoration: stream and salmon stewardship, habitat improvement, invasive plant control, native tree and shrub installation and natural areas clean up

Environmental Education and Community Outreach: offering topical, curriculum connected workshops for classrooms and community groups, providing sustainability workshops and events for residents

Agricultural Stewardship: facilitating agriculture awareness events and school programs; maintaining an urban farm, food forest and demonstration garden; gleaning fruit trees and promoting local food security; providing support to agricultural property owners with aquatic areas

Community Stewardship: LEPS is an umbrella group that provides resources and support to numerous volunteer streamkeeper groups and facilitates active public involvement in stream and natural areas stewardship projects

Mapping and Data Collection: LEPS thirty year history is rooted in environmental data collection, including watershed mapping, invasive plant mapping and stream monitoring. LEPS continues to facilitate the Langley Watershed Monitoring Program that undertakes water quality sampling in streams throughout Langley.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

As the premier environmental organization in Langley for over thirty years, LEPS engages the public in a variety of initiatives that contribute to a healthy community. LEPS has built an exemplary record of fiscal accountability and project accomplishments. LEPS administers an average annual budget of over \$750,000, generated from numerous sources. With these funds, LEPS involves paid staff and hundreds of community volunteers in a variety of hands-on and educational environmental projects. LEPS has a long history of implementing successful projects that engage citizens in meaningful action towards environmental stewardship and successfully engaging with private landowners to restore streamside areas and encourage voluntary stewardship practices. Ecological restoration and environmental education is central to LEPS' mission.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$3000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

20 classroom workshops \$125 per workshop \$2,500
 Printing, communications, supplies and transportation \$500

Purpose of the grant:

LEPS Education Program delivers sustainability workshops to classrooms throughout Langley. When funded by partner organizations, these workshops are offered free to schools. LEPS proposes to offer twenty interactive, curriculum connected sustainability workshops to schools in Langley City, to educate students in grades K-7 on the importance of water conservation, waste reduction and waste management in the home, food waste and the circular economy.

Offering free workshops assists schools in participating in these popular programs despite limited budgets, and assist with City of Langley in communicating important information about waste and water with residents.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Langley City schools will have the opportunity to book free workshops for their classrooms, 500 Langley City youth will receive information about sustainability issues. These workshops have been developed with information specific to the water distribution and waste management processes in Langley City, with real-life context. Take home information will be provided to ensure that the information presented is shared with caregivers in the students homes.

The project will assist with City of Langley in moving towards Zero Waste goals and reduce in-home water usage.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

500 youth and their caregivers, 20 teachers

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Although LEPS does engage community volunteers whenever possible, we do not utilize volunteers in the education program due to security and safety concerns, as well as ensuring integrity of the program messaging.

Location of project or event:

The workshops will be offered to School District 35 schools that are located within the boundaries of the City of Langley- specifically:

Uplands
 Blacklock
 HD Stafford
 Simonds
 Nicomekl
 Douglas Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

LEPS receives funding from the Township of Langley to offer these programs for free to Township of Langley schools.

We offer programs to all schools for a fee. City of Langley teachers regularly reach out to LEPS to book workshops, and currently they are charged a fee, which limits the number of teachers who book. This funding will allow LEPS to offer these workshops to City of Langley schools free of cost, which supports equity for schools across the district, and increases the number of classrooms that will receive this important sustainability education.

The LEPS Education Program is funded by BC Gaming, which enables us to offer these workshops to schools at a subsidized cost (when not funded by a specific funding partner).

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Langley Fastball Association's goal is to develop young athletes both on and off the field by teaching the fundamentals of softball, encouraging integrity and teamwork, and strengthening our community through positive sports experiences.

Service Provided to the Community:

Langley Fastball Association is a volunteer based organization. Our executives are members of the Langley community. Our coaches dedicate their time and energy into providing a safe space for kids to build strong friendships, life skills and in turn those kids donate their time to assisting in our skills clinics, fostering productive members of society. Softball brings families together through games and events which strengthens our community spirit and supports a inclusive culture.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

LFA is currently hosting it's 50th year. Our greatest accomplishments are in the every day moments. The paths created for players to reach their goals and move forward with college scholarships, careers teaching the sport, and for the majority a lifelong sense of pride and skills. By maintaining low registration costs and minimizing financial barriers, we expand access to youth sports and ensure that participation in softball is available to families of all income levels.

Grant Request

Organization Type:

Charity / Society

Amount Requested:

\$3000

In-Kind Requested:

\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Our budget includes facility fees, medical first aid, equipment costs, rental of portable toilets to support the amount of people attending the park, promotional material, photography and video, required expenses in hosting a Softball BC tournament (example: Indigenous appearances, skills competition prizes, banquet for 300 people, MVP prizes). Our current projected expenditures are \$22,743.00.

Purpose of the grant:

This grant would allow our nonprofit association to uphold our standard of quality softball tournaments, attract community economic impact, without compromising our ability to reduce financial barriers, enhance player safety, improve equipment and facilities, and expand access to youth sports within our community during our regular season.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

A provincial tournament will attract out of town visitors. Visitors who will spend money at local hotels, restaurants and small business in the surrounding area increasing economic growth to our community.

The community can share pride in the recent upgrades to Noel Booth Community Park. Making use of this space promotes effective use of funding and provides a positive impact on the growth of our beloved parks and children's futures.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

This is hard to put a number to since 70% of attendees will be from out of town. Bringing well over 600 out of town guests to our community. The benefit will be for the small business, local farms, wineries and agriculture in the surrounding area. Langley Xtreme 2012b is hosting this provincial tournament. We will use Langley umpires who will get a opportunity to grow their skills and earn a wage.

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Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

We are estimating about 20 volunteers who will be assisting in making this tournament a success.

Location of project or event:

Noel Booth Community Park - 20302 36 Ave, Langley, BC

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Township of Langley sport hosting incentive. We have applied to the Hosting BC grant program. We will be seeking community sponsorships and volunteers.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

List of Executive Members: No

Recent AGM: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Field Naturalists - Charity / Society [023AB963]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Field Naturalists Society is a non-profit organization that aims to promote enjoyment, understanding and conservation of the natural environment. Many of our members live in Langley City but our programs are open to both the Langleys. We exist to encourage nature appreciation, conservation, and education through monthly programs, regular field trips led by experts, and youth programs such as Nature's Kids.

Service Provided to the Community:

Langley City is a compact community with parkland within its midst. Enjoying nature is a very relaxing and inexpensive hobby and it brings people into contact with their natural environment. We feel that by distributing these brochures free of charge to residents of Langley City it will encourage them to enjoy their natural environment. We also hope that the availability of this brochure will generate a renewed interest in Langley City parks thus encouraging residents to help maintain the parks. Upon request we will be providing these brochures to local elementary and middle schools in the interest of being used to educate students about various mammal's habitats and where to find them. In addition, we will provide brochures to the City of Langley Library to help promote interest in the various mammals found in our community.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley Field Naturalists was formed in 1973 and incorporated as a society in 1980. Since its inception the organization's motto has been "to know nature and to keep it worth knowing." To that end the society has worked on numerous restoration endeavours including Brydon Lagoon. It was the Langley Field Naturalists who helped establish Brydon Lagoon as a nature park. Our activities there continue to include helping to maintain the trail, posting signs, planting shrubs, putting up nest boxes, checking water quality, and anchoring floating logs for waterfowl. We continue to advocate for the natural environment and have lobbied the municipal and provincial governments to protect specific areas including Brydon Lagoon.

We work closely with local schools to provide nature walks for the students and in the past three years we have made presentations at the Langley City Library. Because of the generosity of Langley City through its Community Grant program we have been able to design and print three educational brochures. Birds in Langley, Butterflies in Langley, and Experience Nature, a brochure designed to inform the community and solicit membership. In addition, the City of Langley gave us funding to print our history book, On the Trail – 50 Years of Engaging with Nature.

We feel this new brochure, 'Critters in Langley' will be well received and will complement our other brochures as well.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$2500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Printing (Three quotes were solicited)	\$3000.00
Graphic Artist - Honourarium.....	\$500.00
Total Cost of brochure.....	\$3500.00
Langley Field Naturalists	(\$1000.00)
Grant Amount requested:	\$2500.00

We have also approached various printers for sponsorship. The company we have selected, Blok Printers is guaranteeing the 5000 full colour copies for a significant discount for the high quality and

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environmentally friendly paper. Emily Morton, our Graphic Artist has designed three of our brochures at no cost to our club. We would like to award her an honourarium of \$500.00.

Purpose of the grant:

Critters in Langley – Langley’s various Mammals

The purpose of this grant is to ask for funding to produce and print a new brochure for the community. ‘Critters in Langley’ will highlight the various mammals seen throughout Langley. At least four bat species will be included as representative of these types of mammals. We anticipate this brochure will be very popular. This brochure project will be led by Anthea Farr, a local biologist and author in her own right.

We wish to thank the Langley City Community Grant committee for their past support. This support has enabled us to produce a Butterflies in Langley brochure as well as our very popular Birds in Langley Brochure. In addition, we produced another brochure entitled ‘Experience Nature’ which encourages membership. We have gone through three printings of our birds and a third printing of our butterflies’ brochures. Their inclusion was due to Langley City’s status as a ‘bat friendly’ community. Some bats are new to Langley, and it is thought that their arrival could be due to climate change.

With the help of a talented graphic artist who donates her services we want to update our brochure and print 5000 copies for public distribution, including the local schools. We will also supply the City of Langley library with brochures as well.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Langley City is a compact community with parkland within its midst. Enjoying nature is a very relaxing and inexpensive hobby and it brings people into contact with their natural environment. We feel that by distributing these brochures free of charge to residents of Langley City it will encourage them to enjoy their natural environment. We also hope that the availability of this brochure will generate a renewed interest in Langley City parks thus encouraging residents to help maintain the parks. Upon request we will be providing these brochures to local elementary and middle schools in the interest of being used to educate students about various mammal’s habitats and where to find them. In addition, we will provide brochures to the City of Langley Library to help promote interest in the various mammals found in our community.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

While every resident will benefit from receiving this brochure, we won't be able to offer a brochure to each person as the cost would be quite prohibitive. We want to print 5000 copies of this brochure, so 5000 residents could benefit.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Five - Project Leader and team of four LFN Board members.

Location of project or event:

N/A

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

The brochures will be ordered from a local printing company. The sponsorship is that this company is charging us 1/2 the price of a brochure of this type.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Langley Fine Arts Dry Grad 2026 - Neighbourhood Group [023A7590]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The LFAS Dry Grad parent committee is mandated to provide a drug, alcohol, and vape-free celebration for students from across Langley following their graduation ceremony on June 22, 2026.

Service Provided to the Community:

By providing a secure and safe place to celebrate their grade 12 graduation, the LFAS Dry Grad will ensure the students remain safe and chaperoned for their evening celebrations.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The City of Langley has generously supported the LFAS Dry Grad for many years as they recognize our magnet schools attract students from both the Township and City of Langley. LFAS Dry Grad is "staffed" by parent volunteers who have spent hours raising funds and planning for a successful celebration on June 22, 2026.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The funding will be used to cover the cost of renting the entertainment for Houle's for the evening. We are renting casino tables, a photo booth, hiring a DJ, and a caricaturist.

Venue: \$2500

Event insurance: \$400

Entertainment: \$5655.04

Transportation: \$900

Food & Beverage: \$6840

Games/Crafts (Quiet Entertainment): \$200

Purpose of the grant:

The grant will be applied to the hard costs associated with running a Dry Grad celebration for the Langley Fine Arts School. Our fundraising goal for the event is \$30,000. As of the date of this application, we have raised more than \$21,000.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The mission of the City of Langley is "building a vibrant, safe and inclusive community together with current and future generations". The support of a Dry Grad celebration aligns itself strongly with providing a safe community. Our goal is to bring all of the students together (inclusive) to celebrate in a chaperoned, drug- and alcohol-free environment (safe).

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

We have 7 students who live in the City of Langley who are part of the 2026 Langley Fine Arts graduating class. The grad class is 100 students.

The Dry Grad event also ensures students don't leave Newlands Golf Course (in the City of Langley) and make unsafe choices to celebrate within the City and Township. The event buses students to the secured venue for an evening of safe celebration.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

The entire event is run by volunteers. As the Langley Fine Arts School attracts students from both the Township of Langley and the City of Langley, our parent population reflects that same diversity.

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The evening starts at Newlands Golf and Country Club and then the students will be bused to The Koop

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We have received support from the Township of Langley (\$3500), individual donations (\$11,150), and have hosted dozens of fundraising events.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	No

Langley Flippers Swim Club - Charity / Society [023FC716]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Flippers Swim Club aims to make swimming accessible and affordable for all ages; fostering love for the sport, and promoting personal development, leadership, and friendship.

Service Provided to the Community:

Offer comprehensive swim programs for ages 3 and up, including adults. Competitive and non-competitive year-round swim training at Walnut Grove Community Center and Al Anderson Pool. Support 300+ athletes through our Youth and Masters programs. Promote community engagement. Host annual Langley summer swim meet over July long weekend at Al Anderson Pool, with swimmers from across Lower Mainland attending. Develop and train swim coaches via our volunteer and coaching program.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Established in 1963, the Langley Flippers have been a key fixture of the recreation community in Langley. Our non-profit society focuses on developing perseverance, dedication and leadership skills. It also fosters a sense of community and lifelong friendships through sports.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Capital Expenditure

Purpose of the grant:

To purchase large canopy tents for the club, for use at swim meets. These new tents will be used to replace a few of our current tents that are aging and breaking. In addition, the new tents will travel with the club to swim meets we attend, as a central gathering spot for our athletes and families. The intention is to centralize the team's gathering areas at swim clubs, to promote better interactions and community amongst our swimmers and their families.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Better community and cohesion within the Langley Flippers membership, leading to hopefully more recruitment by word of mouth, so more swimmers can take advantage of our swimming programs.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

276

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

100

Location of project or event:

Al Anderson Pool (for Langley Swim Meet), Fraser Valley region swim meets

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Canada Summer Jobs Grant
Province of BC Gaming Grant

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Lawn Bowling Club - Charity / Society [023BA713]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The purpose of the society is to encourage the sport of lawn bowling by taking a leadership role for the game in Langley.

Service Provided to the Community:

The club provides healthy, physical activity that also promotes emotional well-being through social interaction.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Our club was incorporated in 1979 with help from the City of Langley, the Provincial government and Rotary. The City continues to provide support through 'in kind' help and through the Community Grant. Last year they also provided significant funds to help purchase a new greens mower. The club is run completely by volunteers. Members pay fees to help with the costs of maintaining the club, of which the grass/green is the single biggest cost. We have regular bowling activities occurring at least 5 days per week with some twice a day. We also run tournaments and visitations with other area clubs,. We have rental groups come to experience the sport and as a social activity. Rental payments to offset our cost. During the winter we use the clubhouse for carpet bowling three days a week. All year we schedule social events to further connect our members. This past season we had 54 full members and 13 social members. We also had a significant increase in drop-in bowlers who pay just for that day. We continue to be vibrant group who get great value out of the sport, but also value the social connections the club provides.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$3400	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

4 sets of lawn bowling 'bowls' at \$850 per set, totalling \$3400.

Purpose of the grant:

The '000' size of lawn bowl is relatively new to the market. The smaller size enables people with small hands or those with poorer hand strength to participate. We purchased one set and they have been very popular. With taxes and shipping they are about \$850 per set.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The new bowls will make it possible for those who couldn't bowl before due to smaller hands to try the sport and for those whose hands have strength issues due to aging, arthritis, or other ailments to continue to bowl for more years to come.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

We had 54 members last year, along with about 15 semi-regular (drop-in) bowlers. Along with the rental groups (mostly local businesses), the Boys and Girls Club, and those registered for Seniors week, we had about 250 people play last season.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Most of our members volunteer in some capacity to help us run the club.

Location of project or event:

Langley Lawn Bowling Club

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Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Literacy Association - Charity / Society [023C97F2]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Literacy Association works to bring together community stakeholders to share solutions regarding literacy in the community. Improving literacy skills enriches the quality of life for individuals and families in Langley. The main activity of the Langley Literacy Association is the Wrap-a-Read program. Wrap-a-Read provides a free book to every child aged 0-18 years old whose family is registered with the Langley Christmas Bureau.

Service Provided to the Community:

Every December we hold our annual Wrap-a-Read event, which provides a free book to every child aged 0-18 years, whose family is registered with the Langley Christmas Bureau. Our strong partnerships with the Langley Christmas Bureau and Fraser Valley Regional Library ensure that our books reach families who need them the most and that the books we select are appropriate for a variety of reading levels.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Founded in 2001 by a dedicated group of community members, the Langley Literacy Association has been committed to fostering and advancing literacy in Langley.

In 2004, the association launched a partnership with the Langley Christmas Bureau to introduce the Wrap-a-Read program, which provides new books to families utilizing the Bureau's services. Today, the program benefits an average of 2,100 children annually.

Initially, Wrap-a-Read focused on children aged 0-6, but over time, the program expanded to serve every child registered with the Langley Christmas Bureau, ranging from newborns to 18-year-olds. A key element of this success has been the collaboration with the Fraser Valley Regional Library (FVRL), whose librarians bring valuable expertise in selecting books that cater to all reading levels and reflect current popular titles. This partnership also affords the Association a 40% discount on book purchases, allowing for a greater impact with available funding.

Through its longstanding partnership with the Langley Christmas Bureau, the Association is able to reach Langley's most vulnerable families directly, while leveraging the Bureau's organizational and registration systems. This support enables the Association to concentrate on the essential tasks of fundraising, book selection, purchasing, and distribution.

Both the Fraser Valley Regional Library and Langley Literacy Association contribute significant in-kind support, with staff donating approximately 150 hours annually to coordinate Wrap-a-Read.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2750	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The Langley Literacy Association will use the \$2,750 City of Langley grant to support the 2026 Wrap-a-Read program. Specifically, the \$2,750 requested from the City of Langley would be used to purchase books to give to children for the 2026 Wrap-a-Read program. The grant of \$2,750 would allow us to purchase approximately 400 books for 400 Langley children in need. Wrap-a-Read is the flagship project for the Langley Literacy Association. Therefore, our annual operating budget is also our project budget, as it is our only project. We spend approximately \$15,000-\$17,000 each year on books, and this amount fluctuates depending on how many donations we receive as well as the cost of books increasing to approximately \$7.00 per book.

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Over the years, we have made it our goal, in response to parent and volunteer feedback, to purchase higher quality (and therefore slightly more expensive) books that will better engage reluctant readers. This includes board books for younger children, high-interest nonfiction and graphic novels. We find families selecting books for their reluctant readers are much more engaged when these options are available and share with us that this is a book that the child will read, whereas they might not read the titles that other children would. We feel this is an appropriate investment in engagement and literacy outcomes; therefore, any remaining funds after core book purchasing are allocated toward high-interest materials for reluctant readers.

Wrap-a-Read:

Books for children \$15,500
 BC Societies Filing Fee \$ 40
 TD Bank Account Fees \$ 60
 BC Crime Prevention Association Membership Fee \$ 80
 Directors and Officers Insurance \$ 650
 Volunteer Training Cost \$ 50
 Annual Budget \$ 16,380

Purpose of the grant:

The Langley Literacy Association will use the \$2,750 from the City of Langley to purchase books for the 2026 Wrap-a-Read program. Through our partnership with Fraser Valley Regional Library, we receive a 40% discount off cover price, enabling this funding to provide approximately 400 books to children ages 0–18 living in Langley.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Founded in 2001 by community volunteers, the Langley Literacy Association advances literacy development across the community through partnerships and targeted programming. The Wrap-a-Read initiative, launched in collaboration with the Langley Christmas Bureau in 2004, delivers direct and meaningful benefits by ensuring children in financially vulnerable families receive new, age-appropriate books. The program currently serves approximately 2,100 children annually, from newborns to age 18, helping foster reading engagement, language development, and educational confidence.

Providing access to books in the home supports improved literacy outcomes, school readiness, and lifelong learning habits, aligning with municipal priorities related to inclusion, wellbeing, and community resilience. By reaching families already connected to the Christmas Bureau, the program removes access barriers and ensures resources reach those most in need without duplication of services.

Partnership with the Fraser Valley Regional Library strengthens the program's impact through professional title selection that reflects diverse reading levels, interests, and current literature trends. The collaboration also maximizes responsible use of grant funding through discounted purchasing, allowing more books to be distributed. In addition, both partner organizations contribute substantial in-kind support through approximately 150 volunteer and staff coordination hours annually, demonstrating strong community investment and stewardship.

Grant approval will sustain delivery of this established, collaborative program and directly expand access to literacy resources for children experiencing financial barriers. Outcomes include stronger reading foundations, increased inclusion, improved educational readiness, and strengthened partnerships, advancing municipal priorities related to wellbeing, access, and community connectedness.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Of the 2,100 children served through Wrap-a-Read, approximately 1,100 are City of Langley residents, reflecting the program's local impact within the broader reach.

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Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

The program is supported by 45 volunteers contributing roughly 150 hours annually, demonstrating strong community involvement and stewardship.

Location of project or event:

The location of the event is determined by the Langley Christmas Bureau and for 2026, we expect the location to be at the Annex in the City of Langley as it did for 2025.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We have secured some funding from TELUS and Royal Bank of Canada and are also looking to secure funding from the Township of Langley. Several of these funders have generously supported this project through community grants in previous years.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Pride Society is dedicated to fostering inclusive, vibrant, and supportive spaces where 2SLGBTQIA+ individuals can live authentically and with pride. Our organization works to promote equality, acceptance, and visibility by creating events and initiatives that celebrate the diversity of our community.

Our primary objectives are to:

Build connections among 2SLGBTQIA+ individuals and allies in Langley through inclusive community events and supporting local organizations with inclusive programming.

Promote awareness, acceptance, and education about 2SLGBTQIA+ identities and issues.

Create safe and affirming spaces that encourage authentic self-expression.

Through annual Pride celebrations, educational outreach, and community partnerships, we aim to inspire solidarity across all backgrounds and contribute to a more equitable and compassionate society. Our vision is a future where every person—regardless of identity—feels valued, supported, and free to live as their authentic self.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Langley Pride Society serves as a central hub for members of the 2SLGBTQIA+ community in Langley, providing access to educational resources, queer-friendly businesses, and opportunities for meaningful connection. Our work ensures that no one feels isolated or discriminated against because of their identity. By maintaining an active Pride society that hosts regular events and community gatherings, we help normalize and celebrate 2SLGBTQIA+ visibility and inclusion within Langley.

We collaborate closely with both the City of Langley and the Township of Langley to promote community engagement, education, and long-term inclusion planning. In addition, we partner with local non-profits and community organizations to share resources, strengthen networks, and amplify the voices of 2SLGBTQIA+ individuals across the region. Through these efforts, we cultivate a community built on respect, understanding, and belonging.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley Pride Society was formally established in 2023 to unite grassroots groups, local organizations, and community volunteers around a shared mission of increasing 2SLGBTQIA+ visibility and inclusion in Langley. Since our founding, we have grown into a trusted and recognized organization that provides meaningful opportunities for connection, education, and celebration.

Our 2024–2025 season marked a period of significant growth and community engagement. We hosted regular social “Minglers,” each attracting new participants and fostering lasting connections within the 2SLGBTQIA+ community. In collaboration with the Vancouver Gaymers Club, we launched a monthly “Gaymes Night” series across various Langley breweries—creating welcoming spaces that support both queer visibility and local businesses. Our programming also included drag and variety shows, craft workshops, and educational speaker events.

A key milestone was reached in August 2025 when, in partnership with Senior Pride and the Langley Senior Resources Society, we hosted Langley’s first all-ages Pride event. The celebration welcomed more than 700 attendees and successfully established what is now an annual tradition promoting inclusivity and intergenerational

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connection.

Most recently, the Langley Pride Society was honoured to be nominated for the Fraser Valley Cultural Diversity Awards in two categories—Innovative Initiative and Inclusive Environment, recognizing our ongoing commitment to building a more welcoming and equitable community.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$5000

Proposed allocation of funding:

Main Entertainment (3+ acts): \$10,000
 Other Entertainment and Activities: \$3,000
 MC: \$1,000
 Stage/Sound/Lighting Equipment: \$5,000
 Advertising: \$1,000
 Vendor Rentals: \$2,000
 Other Rentals: \$1,500
 Security: \$1,000
 Decor: \$250
 Signage, printing: \$500
 Food/Drink: \$2,000
 Volunteer Appreciation: \$500
 Volunteer T-Shirts: \$500
 Incidentals: \$2,000

Purpose of the grant:

The Langley Pride Society is seeking a community grant to support the costs associated with hosting our second annual Langley Pride Day on August 8, 2026. Once again, we are partnering with the Langley Senior Resources Society to deliver this inclusive, all-ages event. The celebration will feature an artist market, resource fair, musical performances, educational speakers, and a variety of family-friendly activities—showcasing the diversity, creativity, and achievements of the 2SLGBTQIA+ community in the Langley area.

Based on feedback from attendees of the 2025 Pride Day, there is a strong desire to expand the scale and reach of this year's event to better represent the community's vibrancy and growth. With the support of this grant, we will be able to secure a larger outdoor venue, book entertainers, provide food and refreshments for volunteers, enhance event safety, and create promotional materials to reach a broader audience. Should the City of Langley's outdoor stage and related sound or lighting equipment be available, we would be grateful to have them provided in-kind. This would allow us to offer a full day of free, community-based entertainment and further strengthen local partnerships.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Langley Pride Day strengthens community connection by bringing together residents in Langley from various generations who have diverse backgrounds, and identities, in a welcoming and family-friendly environment. The event promotes unity, understanding, and resilience by celebrating inclusion and acceptance as shared community values. By hosting a public celebration of diversity, Pride Day contributes to a safer and more

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inclusive environment for all residents, particularly youth, seniors, and marginalized groups. It affirms 2SLGBTQIA+ individuals as valued members of the Langley community and reinforces the city's ongoing commitment to equity, respect, and nondiscrimination.

In addition to its social benefits, Pride Day enhances Langley's public image as a welcoming, inclusive, and forward-thinking city. This positive reputation encourages civic engagement, supports local businesses, and contributes to long-term community and economic development.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

1,000 - 2,000

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

25-75

Location of project or event:

Creekside Hall (Langley Senior Resources Society)
20605 51b Ave, Langley, BC V3A 9H1

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Other grants and sponsors have been approached. Local business interested in supporting, but none currently confirmed.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Rotary Clubs Charitable Foundation - Charity / Society [023B8ABC]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Rotary Clubs Charitable Foundation (LRCCF) is comprised of equal representation of each of the 4 Langley Rotary Clubs. It is constituted to undertake with all its resources exclusively charitable activities beneficial to the community it serves. RibFest is an annual LRCCF event which provides a fun, family-oriented FREE event for all ages over a 3-day weekend in August.

Service Provided to the Community:

RibFest provides a safe, affordable, fun-filled, family-oriented event where citizens of all ages and abilities are able to attend and enjoy and celebrate the community of Langley. While donations are encouraged, entrance is FREE and guests can stay as long as they like to enjoy the music, Kids Zone, and other activities. While food and beverages are for sale, attendees can bring their own refreshments.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The LRCCF was incorporated in 2016. It is made up of the 4 Rotary Clubs of Langley. RibFest Langley is our biggest event and has become an important tradition for Langley residents while becoming one of the largest multi-day, outdoor events in the lower mainland. All proceeds go back into the community and service projects. We are completely volunteer based.

RibFest Langley held its 6th annual event in 2025

- 48,000 people attended from Langley City, Township and surrounding communities
- \$115,000 for Community Organization and Rotary sponsored service projects

The LRCCF has operated many events within the Langley's each year such as

- Langley Hoop-a-thon
- International Women's Day
- SASSY Awards (Service Above Self Student and Youth Awards)
- Fraser Valley Wine Festival (held at Willowbrook Mall in the City of Langley)

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

RibFest Langley is seeking support from the City of Langley to ensure we have the cash flow to make down payments on our pre-event needs. Essential items for logistics (tents, tables, chairs, fencing, toilets, etc.), stage, entertainment and much more need deposits and committed funds to ensure the event will proceed. Our planning committee will be seeking sponsorship and support from within the community but need the help and support of the City of Langley to ensure our success. See detailed budget attached with financial statements.

Purpose of the grant:

The event has been growing quickly with the number of people attending each year as it is an extremely popular community event. However, due to decreasing revenue sources and BC grants we struggle to mitigate the risk of hosting this large event while keeping it free (entry by donation) to all members of the community. Please see the History and Profile portion of this application for actual numbers.

Grant funds from the City of Langley make a big difference in providing this special event for people of all economic levels, abilities and ages. We sincerely ask for your help by providing maximum support to continue RibFest Langley as an important community event and tradition.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

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Providing a safe, affordable, fun-filled, family-oriented event where citizens of all ages and abilities are able to attend to enjoy and celebrate the community of Langley. Entrance is by donation and is accessible to all income levels and abilities. RibFest has become an important annual tradition for a large amount of Langley residents.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

The majority of our attendees are from the Langley area based on our surveys. We expect 50,000 attendees in 2026 with more than 30,000 from the Langley area.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

This event is 100% volunteer with more than 600 volunteers in 2025. We expect the same number for 2026.

Location of project or event:

McLeod Athletic Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

\$2,500 from each of the 4 Rotary Clubs in Langley, \$35,000 from Title Sponsor, \$30,000 from Gold Sponsor. We are actively seeking Sponsorships from businesses within the community, including positive responses within the City.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Through music excellence, we cultivate community, ignite powerful leaders, and create awe-inspiring experiences. The Langley Ukulele Association is a team of young musicians, ambassadors, volunteers, and alumni who provide opportunities to inspire, model leadership, and demonstrate excellence by enriching lives through entertaining, musical presentations, as well as local and worldwide interactions.

Service Provided to the Community:

Our Second Annual International Ukulele Festival is gearing up to be an inspiring event with several of Hawaii's best known talents: Bryan Tolentino, Chris Kamaka Sr., Aldrine Guerrero, Jonah Davis and Kalei Gamaio will be attending.

Joining them are some of North America's internationally renown performers: Peter Luongo, Paul Luongo and the Langley Ukulele Ensemble, Matt Dahlberg, and Eduardo Garcia, as well as Guido Heistek from the Pacific Northwest and Langley's own amazing instructors: Elizabeth Zielke, Simon Gileff, and Mark Luongo. We also feature members of our local hula halau, Dancers from Spirit of the Pacific Cultural Society from Maple Ridge, BC.

Ukulele Community - YouTube Sensation -Ukulenny (Lendl San Jose) based out of California is also joining us to lead our jams on Friday and Saturday!

Including a mixture of free and ticketed events throughout the village of Fort Langley, many of our performers will be offering workshops for pre-registered novice and experienced ukulele enthusiasts. Last year's inaugural event was extremely well received and we look forward to continuing to offer outstanding performances and outstanding instruction as we gather in British Columbia in 2026. We welcome the world to the Metro Vancouver area this fall and look forward to seeing local, regional, national, and international visitors from Friday, September 25 to Saturday, September 26.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley Ukulele Association (LUA), established in 1981, has experienced great joy in bringing awareness of Langley throughout British Columbia, nationally, and internationally for the past 45 years. With a mission of providing "opportunities to inspire, model leadership, and demonstrate excellence by enriching lives through entertaining, musical presentations... and worldwide interactions", the LUA has enjoyed positive feedback from many audience members, musicians, volunteers, ambassadors, and alumni.

Currently made up of three performing honour groups and two learning groups, the LUA teaches young musicians musical and performance excellence. Through regular performances, these young adults are encouraged to interact with audience members of various generations, cultures, and backgrounds, and become ambassadors for their cities, province, and country. The ensemble continues to travel worldwide and in August 2026 will headline the Ukulele Festival of Great Britain.

Last year, the LUA hosted its inaugural Fort Langley International Ukulele Festival which saw 167 Delegates attend 33 workshop offerings with 4 levels of learning available, and 26 performances and presentations throughout the 3 day event. We had the participation of 12 workshop hosts and musical performers, as well as a presentation by Fort Langley staff and historians, and Hula demonstrations and performances. We also had participation from the Langley Ukulele Association's very own Senior A, Senior B, Intermediate, and Junior Ensembles as well as parent participation through various volunteer opportunities. Our two evening concerts saw many local residents attend as the venue allowed for us to open ticket sales to the public.

Langley Ukulele Association - Charity / Society [023F7C1A]

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u> Charity / Society	<u>Amount Requested:</u> \$5000	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u> \$Nil
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Proposed allocation of funding:

Funds provided by the City of Langley would go towards our local workshop teachers, performers, and presenters. A budget is included in the attachment with the other financial statements.

Purpose of the grant:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the City of Langley for many years of support for the Langley Ukulele Association's programs, and for the opportunity to make an additional request this year. In our early stages of planning, we have already noted that we will experience an increase in costs in several areas, in an attempt to maintain relationships with venues and vendors from Langley. We have also increased our offerings this year in large part to some important feedback that we received from last year's volunteers and attendees, and of course, want to make sure that we honour the value that our workshop teachers, performers, and other presenters bring to our event. Last year's Festival saw a renewed vigor and commitment from our students and parent volunteers as they saw the reach and impact that the Langley Ukulele Association has locally, provincially, nationally, and internationally first hand. To say that this event has benefited our organization in a positive way would be a massive understatement, and we anticipate that this year will continue to help our organization flourish and achieve our mission of "enriching lives through music".

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

As per the Community Grants Policy, a mutual goal of the Langley Ukulele Association is to provide the Langley community with an affordable opportunity to enrich their lives through music. Based on feedback from audience members, musicians, volunteers, ambassadors, and alumni over the past 45 years, the LUA truly believes that this is being achieved, and that the Fort Langley International Ukulele Festival allows an opportunity to reach a larger audience in a more accessible way. If community members are not ukulele players attending workshops, they are invited and welcome to enjoy the many free performances that will take place around Fort Langley over the Festival's days of activity, as well as have the opportunity to attend exclusive concerts in the evenings. Local businesses will also benefit from the influx of individuals coming from other parts of the province, country, and world to take part in the Fort Langley International Ukulele Festival.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

5000

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

45

Location of project or event:

Fort Langley venues primarily including salishan Place on the River, Fort Langley Community Hall, and Chief Sepass Theatre.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

No other sponsorships have been confirmed at this time.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Langley Ukulele Association - Charity / Society [023F45FB]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Through music excellence, we cultivate community, ignite powerful leaders, and create awe-inspiring experiences. The Langley Ukulele Association is a team of young musicians, ambassadors, volunteers, and alumni who provide opportunities to inspire, model leadership, and demonstrate excellence by enriching lives through entertaining, musical presentations, as well as local and worldwide interactions.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Langley Ukulele Association provides musical instruction utilizing the ukulele to young musicians primarily aged 8 to 18 through an after-school, community format. Students in the ensemble then perform for local seniors homes, various company and community events, and fundraisers including CTV Toy Mountain, Global TV Christmas Wish Breakfast, and CKNW Kids Fund. In addition to the year-round programs, the Langley Ukulele Association has for the past 19 years held a week-long Spring and Summer Uke Camp to invite members from the community to learn to play the ukulele and offer the opportunity to be invited to join one of the performing honour groups or learning groups.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley Ukulele Association (LUA), established in 1981, has experienced great joy in bringing awareness of Langley throughout British Columbia, nationally, and internationally for the past 45 years. With a mission of providing “opportunities to inspire, model leadership, and demonstrate excellence by enriching lives through entertaining, musical presentations... and worldwide interactions”, the LUA has enjoyed positive feedback from many audience members, musicians, volunteers, ambassadors, and alumni.

Currently made up of three performing honour groups and two learning groups, the LUA teaches young musicians musical and performance excellence. Through regular performances, these young adults are encouraged to interact with audience members of various generations, cultures, and backgrounds, and become ambassadors for their cities, province, and country. The ensemble continues to travel worldwide and in August 2026 will headline the Ukulele Festival of Great Britain.

The LUA continues to offer annual Spring and Summer Ukulele Camps, inviting students to join a week-long intensive ukulele experience. Through the camps, students are placed in different groups depending on their level of understanding and are challenged to increase their skills leading up to a performance for friends and family at week’s end; and invited to join the honour or learning groups. Additionally, through the Ukulele Camps, existing Senior honour group students are invited to learn and given instruction on teaching techniques, materials, and strategies, and given the opportunity to lead the learning groups. Students are encouraged to become leaders to their peers, not only within the association, but in their schools, families, and extra curriculums.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

As in the past, grant funds will be attributed directly to staffing and room rental costs. Full budgets are available for both Summer 2026 and Spring 2027 Ukulele Camps upon request.

Purpose of the grant:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the City of Langley for many years of support for the Langley Ukulele Association's Spring and Summer Ukulele Camps. We have had a long history of

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performing in the City and for City sponsored events, which we look forward to being able to continue in coming years. Since COVID, we have experienced a decrease in attendance to our Spring and Summer Ukulele Camps, which remain vital to filtering new students into our year-round programs. In order to maintain reasonable costs to families, and given increased costs all around as well as the reduced number of students, we are asking for a grant of \$2,500.00 that will be split between our Summer 2026 and Spring 2027 Ukulele Camps. As previously mentioned, this year's Spring and Summer Ukulele Camps remain critical to the continuation of the LUA's programs in 2026-27.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

As per the Community Grants Policy, a mutual goal of the Langley Ukulele Association is to provide the Langley community with an affordable opportunity to enrich their lives through music. Based on feedback from audience members, musicians, volunteers, ambassadors, and alumni over the past 45 years, the LUA truly believes that this is being achieved, and that the Spring and Summer Ukulele Camps allow an opportunity to expand the current programs and ensure the longevity of the program for years to come.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

100

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

15

Location of project or event:

Spring & Summer Ukulele Camps are typically always held at Langley School District locations. In past years, we have regularly been able to use Yorkson Creek Middle School.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

A request is pending from the Township of Langley, but not yet confirmed.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Langley Volunteer Bureau - Charity / Society [023B0EAE]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Langley Volunteer Bureau (LVB) is a registered BC Society that strengthens the local non-profit sector by connecting residents with meaningful volunteer opportunities and supporting organizations that serve the community. LVB's proposed initiative directly supports the City of Langley's purpose for Community Grants: enhancing quality of life, building community, and supporting events and projects that benefit City residents.

Service Provided to the Community:

LVB serves residents across Langley, including those living within the City. Many of our member organizations, volunteers, youth participants, and newcomer attendees are City residents. Events are held in accessible locations and promoted widely to ensure City residents can participate fully.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley Volunteer Bureau (LVB) is a registered BC Society that serves as a central hub for volunteerism and nonprofit collaboration across Langley. Formed to address the growing need for coordinated volunteer engagement, LVB connects residents with meaningful opportunities to contribute to their community while strengthening the capacity of local organizations. Its work supports a wide range of nonprofits, service clubs, schools, and community partners that provide essential programs and services to Langley residents.

LVB's history is rooted in building bridges—between volunteers and organizations, between youth and leadership opportunities, and between newcomers and the services that help them feel at home. Over the years, the Bureau has become a trusted connector, known for its inclusive approach, strong partnerships, and commitment to community well-being. Its programs are designed to be accessible, welcoming, and responsive to the needs of residents and the organizations that serve them.

Key accomplishments include delivering sector-wide mixers that strengthen collaboration among nonprofits; coordinating youth volunteer fairs in partnership with SD35 that engage hundreds of students in civic life; and hosting newcomer-focused community engagement forums that increase awareness of local services and promote belonging. LVB has also expanded volunteer mobilization through outreach, communications, and partnerships that elevate the visibility of community needs and opportunities.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2500	\$250

Proposed allocation of funding:

The City of Langley Community Grant supports events, projects, and community-building initiatives. All requested funds directly support event delivery and resident engagement, not ongoing operations.

Member Appreciation Mixers – \$500

Covers venue, refreshments, materials, and volunteer support to create welcoming, collaborative spaces for nonprofits serving City residents. These events strengthen community capacity and improve service coordination.

Secondary School Member Fairs – \$500

Supports printing, transportation, youth engagement supplies, and coordination time. These fairs promote civic engagement, leadership development, and awareness of community services among City youth.

Community Engagement Forums – \$1,000

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Funds venue costs, translation/interpretation, outreach, materials, and volunteer support. These forums improve access to services for newcomers and vulnerable residents and promote inclusion and belonging.

Communications & Outreach – \$500

Ensures City residents are aware of events and volunteer opportunities through social media, design, and printed materials. This increases participation and community awareness.

In-Kind Services from the City: \$250 toward venue rentals

Purpose of the grant:

The Langley Volunteer Bureau (LVB) will deliver a one-year Community Engagement & Volunteer Mobilization Initiative that strengthens the nonprofit sector and enhances the quality of life for City of Langley residents. Through four free, inclusive events—member mixers, youth volunteer fairs, and newcomer-focused community forums—the project builds community connection, increases awareness of local services, and expands opportunities for residents to participate in civic life. The initiative supplements existing LVB resources and aligns with the City’s goal of supporting events and projects that foster community, inclusion, and resident well-being.

The Langley Volunteer Bureau connects residents with meaningful volunteer opportunities and strengthens the capacity of local nonprofits. This initiative expands LVB’s community-building work through three coordinated event streams that directly benefit City of Langley residents:

- Member Appreciation Mixers (1 event)

Networking and collaboration events for nonprofits, service clubs, and community partners who serve City residents. These mixers strengthen relationships, improve coordination, and support a more resilient community service network.

- Secondary School Member Fairs (1 event)

Youth-focused volunteer fairs are delivered in partnership with SD35. These events introduce students—including many City residents—to volunteer opportunities, community services, and pathways to leadership and civic engagement.

- Community Engagement Forums (2 events)

Welcoming, low-barrier forums designed to help newcomers, families, and vulnerable residents learn about local services and volunteer opportunities. Each forum features one nonprofit organization and promotes belonging, inclusion, and awareness of the supports available to City residents.

All events are free, inclusive, and open to the general public.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

- Direct benefit to City residents through accessible, inclusive events
- Strengthens local nonprofits that serve City residents daily
- Builds community cohesion through volunteerism and shared engagement
- Supports youth, newcomers, and vulnerable populations
- Aligns with the City’s focus on events, projects, and community-building initiatives
- Does not request operational funding, staffing costs, or retroactive support
- Provides measurable outcomes and a clear evaluation plan

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

If we estimate 10% of the City of Langley's population, the minimum number of residents benefiting from this grant would be 3,532 individuals.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Estimate of 30 volunteers organizing, managing and executing these initiatives.

Location of project or event:

Various locations throughout the City of Langley.

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We will also be reaching out for financial and in-kind support from the City of Langley businesses and organizations.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Latincouver’s mission is to connect and empower Latin American communities in British Columbia through arts, culture, and social interaction, while fostering meaningful connection with the broader public. Our goal is to strengthen belonging, reduce social isolation, and promote intercultural understanding through programming that is accessible and rooted in community.

Our work is guided by four core pillars. Supporting Communities focuses on creating culturally safe, welcoming spaces where newcomers and families can build social connections and access local networks. Empowering People provides leadership, volunteer, and participation opportunities that build confidence, skills, and community engagement, particularly for youth and newcomers.

Promoting Culture delivers free, public events and activities, such as music, dance, and hands-on workshops, that celebrate Latin American cultures while inviting participation from residents of all backgrounds. Connecting Business supports collaboration among artists, small businesses, and community organizations to strengthen local cultural and economic ecosystems.

Through these pillars, Latincouver delivers inclusive programming that combines celebration with tangible community impact. In Langley, we currently deliver Carnavalito on the Road, now entering its third year, which brings accessible cultural programming into public spaces and supports community connection, cultural visibility, and shared experiences among residents.

Service Provided to the Community:

Latincouver serves the community by creating social, cultural, and economic spaces that foster connection, participation, and cultural exchange between Latin American communities and the broader public in British Columbia. Through arts and culture programming, we provide opportunities for people to come together, engage with one another, and build relationships in welcoming, inclusive public settings.

Our programming includes the delivery of public cultural events, workshops, and community programs that celebrate Latin American arts and heritage while encouraging shared participation across cultures. These activities help reduce social isolation, support newcomer inclusion, and increase cultural visibility by making Latin American culture present and accessible within community life. By emphasizing participation rather than passive attendance, our programs support mutual understanding and meaningful interaction.

Latincouver also provides platforms that support community leadership, entrepreneurship, and creative expression. Through initiatives that connect artists, small businesses, and community organizations, we help strengthen local cultural and economic ecosystems and create pathways for collaboration. In addition, we offer volunteer and leadership opportunities that allow community members, many of them newcomers, to gain experience, build skills, and deepen their sense of belonging.

Together, these services contribute to stronger, more connected communities by using culture as a practical tool for engagement, inclusion, and shared civic life.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Latincouver Cultural & Business Society is the largest Latin American non-profit in Western Canada. Founded in 2008, we were created to strengthen cultural exchange and socio-economic inclusion by connecting Latin Americans with the broader Canadian mosaic. Our work is grounded in the idea of La Plaza—the social, artistic, cultural, and economic heart of many Latin American communities. In British Columbia, we bring that “plaza” to life by creating welcoming spaces and programming where people connect, share culture, and build lasting roots.

Over the past fifteen years, Latincouver has become a trusted point of reference for Latin Americans in BC and a recognizable bridge between communities. A major accomplishment is Carnaval del Sol, the

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largest Latin American festival in the Pacific Northwest. Hosted annually in Metro Vancouver, it welcomes 30,000+ attendees and features 230+ artists, with live music and dance, cultural exhibitions, workshops, and interactive experiences that bring people together across backgrounds. Building on this success, we created Carnavalito on the Road to extend cultural opportunities beyond major city centres.

Beyond festivals, we deliver year-round programs that respond to practical needs and strengthen belonging, including Verde Vancouver, Latino Seniors, Chiquitzin Kids Plaza, and the Latin Plaza Hub. We also support professional and small business development through the Latin Canadian Business Council (LCBC), mentoring and newcomer support, Pitch Fest, and webinars. Through strong partnerships with community organizations, cultural institutions, and media, we reach 100,000+ Latin Americans and Latin culture enthusiasts across Western Canada.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The City of Langley's \$10,000 contribution will support the core costs required to deliver Carnavalito on the Road safely, professionally, and in a way that is welcoming and accessible to the broader Langley community.

\$4,000 will be allocated to festival logistics and production, including tent and stage rentals, sound equipment, waste management and recycling services, security personnel, and required on-site services. These costs are essential to ensuring public safety, smooth operations, and a high-quality event experience. \$3,100 will support artist fees and cultural facilitators, including musicians, dance groups, and workshop leaders. This funding ensures that artists are fairly compensated and that the programming reflects the cultural richness and diversity of the community. \$2,200 will contribute to event coordination and technical personnel responsible for planning, on-site management, and production oversight. An additional \$500 will be dedicated to Indigenous consultation and cultural acknowledgment honoraria. \$200 will support volunteer costs, including orientation, meals, and appreciation. This allocation reflects the City's priorities by investing primarily in inclusive community programming and safe public-space activation, while leveraging additional pending funds from other sources such as BC Gaming and Canadian Heritage for the broader event budget.

Purpose of the grant:

Carnavalito on the Road on August 30, 2026 at Douglas Park is a free, family-friendly cultural event that strengthens community connection and belonging in Langley. Now entering its third edition, Carnavalito brings the spirit of Latincoover's flagship festival, Carnaval del Sol, into Langley in a format designed for local access and participation.

Carnavalito is built to create positive interaction across cultural communities. Through shared performances, participatory workshops, and cultural storytelling, residents learn together in a welcoming setting, reducing stereotypes and helping newcomers and long-time residents feel seen and included. The festival will be curated across dedicated spaces for music, dance, education, and social connection, featuring live Latin music, interactive dance workshops, storytelling sessions exploring Latin American folklore and traditions, and art stations where participants of all ages can create culturally inspired crafts to take home. Family programming will include a children's theatre workshop bringing the folktale "Tío Tigre y Tío Conejo" to life, and an intergenerational ribbon dance set to pre-Hispanic Colombian music, activities designed to make connection happen naturally across ages and backgrounds.

In 2026, the event will introduce a soccer and unity activation linked to World Cup excitement and soccer's cultural significance across Latin America. This interactive program uses sport as a tool for

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social integration and anti-racism learning, with soccer exercises that emphasize inclusion and communication, followed by conversations where athletes and community leaders share lived experiences of overcoming discrimination. City support will help keep this inclusive public event free, accessible, safe, and welcoming for Langley residents.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The City of Langley Community Grant will deliver clear community benefits by supporting a free, inclusive public event that strengthens belonging, activates shared public space, and encourages positive interaction among residents. Carnavalito on the Road creates a welcoming environment where families, newcomers, youth, and long-time residents can gather, participate, and connect through shared cultural experiences, helping reduce social isolation and build stronger neighbourhood ties.

The event supports City goals related to community connection, inclusion, and quality of life by transforming Douglas Park into an active, family-friendly gathering space that is accessible to residents of all ages and backgrounds. Interactive programming: music, dance, storytelling, art activities, and family workshops, encourages participation rather than passive attendance, making it easier for people to meet, engage, and feel comfortable in a public setting.

Carnavalito also contributes to local vibrancy and economic activity by creating opportunities for artists, performers, vendors, and small businesses to connect with the community, supporting cultural expression and local entrepreneurship. As an extension of Carnaval del Sol, the largest Latin American festival in the Pacific Northwest, Carnavalito helps draw visitors to Langley from across the region, supporting local spending and showcasing Langley as a welcoming destination for cultural tourism. Volunteer opportunities further strengthen civic participation by allowing residents to contribute directly to a shared community experience.

Overall, City support will help deliver a well-organized, safe, and welcoming event that aligns with Langley's objectives of fostering connected, inclusive, and livable communities.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Based on attendance patterns from previous editions and the event's location in Douglas Park, we estimate that approximately 7,000 City of Langley residents will directly benefit from this grant through attendance and participation in Carnavalito on the Road 2026

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

We estimate 35 local volunteers, including City of Langley residents, will support event delivery through roles such as setup, information support, activity facilitation, and community engagement.

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park, Langley, BC V3A 4B4

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Financial support from BC Gaming and Canadian Heritage (MARP Events) is currently pending. BC Gaming has previously provided funding for Carnavalito on the Road, and in past years we have also received support through the Metro Vancouver Regional Cultural Grant, which we intend to reapply for. In addition, we have secured corporate sponsorships in prior years from partners such as Mil Tomates Taqueria, Remitly, and Electrolit, and anticipate renewed support from these sponsors.

We have also received letters of support for this year's event from the City of Langley, Mensah Rentals & Services Inc., and Mil Tomates Taqueria.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society - Charity / Society [023B31AD]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

LFVAS Early Years Department are comprised of a dedicated group of individuals who promote, support and advocate for services to meet the needs of our Aboriginal families in Langley. We organize events to help build our community.

Our early years team provides support for any families within the Langley and Aldergrove area with indigenous children between 0-8yrs. We provide referrals to any and all in-house services/groups that may benefit the family, along with any community resources and services.

Service Provided to the Community:

LFVAS Early Years provides support, assistance and referrals to Urban Aboriginal individuals and their families. We provide programs in areas including but not limited to social, cultural, recreational, economic, community development, and cultural and historical restoration.

Our Early Years Department offers educational support to children aged 0-8 and their families, providing early intervention and developmental support before they begin school, and during transitions where supported childhood development support often ends.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society was established in September of 2000, by Aboriginal Support Workers in the School District of Langley. They saw a need for support beyond school hours for Urban Indigenous students and their families, both culturally and holistically.

Since then we have expanded to include Housing services for at-risk and homeless indigenous individuals and families, an Early Years Department offering educational support to children aged 0-8 and their families; cultural programming for Indigenous children, youth, and Elders, as well as various cultural programs that support individual needs.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$3000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

In the previous 2025 funding year we were awarded \$2,500.00 from this grant. With increased families in the community, increased cost of living and difficulty finding employment, we are seeing a significant influx of need. We are hoping to provide more financial support to our families by hosting our Backpack event for school age children.

\$3,000.00 will be spent on school supplies, lunch kits and water bottles to ensure every child has what is required by the school district to attend school.

Purpose of the grant:

Many families in the community are being forced to chose putting a roof over their child's head, putting food on the table for their family to eat, that they are unable to prioritize purchasing the necessary tools for their child to attend school, with the necessities for them to learn and grow to their fullest on a daily basis. This grant will allow LFVAS to provide all learning supplies required by Langley, SD-35, as well as healthy eating/drinking items to attend school with.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

With the budget of \$3,000.00, we will be able to fill 50 backpacks with school supplies, lunch kits and water bottles for Urban Indigenous children and youth, to better their academic learning, confidence and ability to attend school. School attendance will increase, families will have more financial support to focus on sustaining their daily living needs to better their family and community.

Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society - Charity / Society [023B31AD]

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

50 children/youth in elementary school, middle school and highschool.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

We anticipate 12 high school volunteers who are currently enrolled in our youth program.

Location of project or event:

The location of our event will be held within Langley City, at Simons Elementary School.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Herschel donating 50 backpacks for children and youth.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: No

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile
Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

LuckeLife Society delivers structured youth stabilization and mentorship programs that enhance community safety through early intervention, regulated residential support, and long-term leadership development pathways.

Service Provided to the Community:

Delivering life-saving emergency supplies and mental health support directly to unhoused residents. We act as a data bridge for the City and Health Authority, sharing real-time insights to improve regional crisis response and community safety.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

LuckeLife Society provides essential "human infrastructure" in Langley. History: Proven success in family preservation for at-risk groups. Accomplishments: Direct mental health support and stabilization for 8 families, ensuring unity and safety.

Grant Request
Organization Type:

Charity / Society

Amount Requested:

\$10000

In-Kind Requested:

\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Proposed Allocation of Funding – Detailed Budget

Licensing & Regulatory Fees – \$2,500

Municipal business licensing, residential care compliance applications, provincial registration requirements, and mandatory health and safety inspections.

Professional Legal & Insurance – \$2,500

Liability insurance coverage for 24/7 residential operations and legal review of residential agreements, policies, and risk management protocols.

Facility Setup & Safety Infrastructure – \$3,000

Fire safety systems (extinguishers, alarms), emergency preparedness equipment, security monitoring setup, and health-standard furnishings required for youth stabilization.

Operational & Zoning Permits – \$2,000

Zoning review applications, land-use compliance submissions, and required municipal permits for residential stabilization services.

Total Request: \$10,000

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to support the establishment of Phase 1 infrastructure for the Langley Anchor: a 24/7 youth stabilization home designed to provide short-term, supervised residential support for vulnerable youth in crisis. This funding will enable LuckeLife Society to secure the necessary licensing, regulatory approvals, insurance coverage, zoning compliance, and safety systems required to operate as a legally compliant and municipally aligned residential stabilization site.

Currently, many youth experiencing acute distress cycle between RCMP intervention, emergency departments, temporary shelters, or unstable housing situations. The Langley Anchor is designed to serve as an early-intervention bridge — a safe, structured residential environment where youth can stabilize before transitioning into long-term mentorship, education, and leadership development programming through the Yellow Cedar Centre.

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This grant will not fund ongoing operations, but rather the foundational administrative and safety requirements necessary to create a regulated, sustainable community asset. By investing in compliance, legal structure, and essential life-safety infrastructure at the outset, the Township/City is helping establish a permanent solution that reduces pressure on emergency services and strengthens preventative youth support systems.

The Langley Anchor represents a shift from reactive crisis response toward proactive stabilization, creating a safer community environment for youth, families, and local service providers.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Approval of this grant will support the development of a regulated 24/7 youth stabilization home that strengthens community safety and advances early-intervention strategies within the City of Langley. The Langley Anchor will provide short-term residential stabilization for vulnerable youth who would otherwise cycle through emergency services, hospital departments, or unsafe environments. By offering structured, supervised support, the project reduces repeat crisis responses and helps prevent escalation into chronic homelessness, justice involvement, or long-term system dependency.

This initiative aligns with City priorities related to:

- Enhancing community safety
- Supporting youth mental health and stabilization
- Reducing strain on RCMP and emergency services
- Investing in preventative and sustainable social infrastructure
- Strengthening partnerships between non-profits and municipal systems

By establishing licensed, compliant residential infrastructure, the City is supporting a proactive solution that addresses root causes rather than reactive crisis management.

The Langley Anchor will serve not only the direct youth participants, but also families, schools, service providers, and neighbourhood residents through improved stabilization pathways and reduced community disruption.

This project represents a long-term investment in safer, healthier outcomes for the City of Langley.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 60 vulnerable youth annually are expected to directly benefit from the Langley Anchor 24/7 stabilization home based on current housing instability and crisis response data.

Indirectly, the project will benefit the broader City of Langley community, including families, neighbourhood residents, local schools, RCMP, emergency medical services, and service providers by reducing repeat crisis interventions and strengthening early stabilization pathways.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

0

Location of project or event:

Proposed Location: City of Langley

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Men’s Shed Langley Society is dedicated to improving community well-being by creating opportunities for social connection, skill building and meaningful engagement.

Our goals focus on reducing isolation, strengthening community ties and providing hands on activities that support mental, emotional and social health

Goals

- Foster a welcome environment where those at risk of isolation can connect with others

Objectives

- Offer regular programs, workshops and hands on activities that encourage learning, collaboration and creativity

Activities

- Weekly gatherings, workshops and project days that bring members together for social connection and practical work
- Community service projects in partnership with local organizations such as heritage societies, nonprofits and municipal groups

Service Provided to the Community:

We provide hands on volunteer support and practical skills to local organisations. Our members build, repair, restore and assist where needed contributing labour and reducing isolation amongst seniors and retirees.

Kindred Farms

- We built large wooden gates for the farm’s entrance and installed them

Ron Cares

- We volunteered at their Rib Fest 2024 booth helping with setup and manning it during the event

Langley Heritage Society

- We are currently restoring an original sleeping berth at the Fort Langley train station, bringing it back to its historical specifications.
- We are in ongoing talks as to how Men’s Shed Langley can support with the society as their go-to-partner for restoration and heritage-maintenance projects.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

- Men's Shed, as a concept began in Australia in the 1990's. The program spread into North America and Europe. There are now over 170 Men's Sheds coast to coast across Canada, and over 70 in BC.
- Men's Shed Langley held its first meeting in January, 2023 and was subsequently incorporated in British Columbia in June of that year.
- Through 2024 our small group of senior men became better known in the community and by June 2025 our membership had grown to over 20.
- In early November 2025 we hosted a promotional event at the Langley Senior Resources Centre where we showcased our services and capabilities and the impact we have had on the lives of our senior members and the community. This event was attended by the mayor and 4 City Council members. It was extensively covered in the local press.
- Since then, our membership has rapidly grown to over 55.
- Our Shed (Workshop) is housed in a barn, on a beautiful private property, which has been donated to us for use. See pictures and details on our website: <https://mensshedlangley.ca/>

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$9700	\$Nil

Men's Shed Langley Society - Charity / Society [023DE67C]

Proposed allocation of funding:

Our goal is to equip the men's shed workshop with tools and equipment required to support volunteer maintenance and restoration work at Langley Heritage Society sites.

Workshop tools & Equipment- \$3500

- Upgraded hand tools specific to restoration work
- Power tools needed for more refined carpentry and repair work
- Specialty tools required for heritage building maintenance

Painting and preparation supplies - \$2500

- High efficiency sander with Hepa filters and specialty dust collection system for removing original, and questionable paint types
- Specialty sanders and sandpapers for rough/fine wood working

Transportation and project support costs - \$1500

- Fuel or mileage support for volunteers transporting goods between heritage work sites
- Minor accessories and consumables

Safety and protective equipment (periodic renewal) - \$1200

- Safety glasses, gloves and hearing protection
- Dust masks and respirators
- First aid supplies and safety signage

Advertising and Promotion - \$1000

- Promotional community events
- Logo materials and signage at work and finished sites

Purpose of the grant:

The grant will allow Men's Shed Members to take on more complex and historically significant restoration projects for local partners such as the Langley Heritage Society. Funding will support tools and equipment that enable:

- Wood restoration
- Precision finishing
- Safe handling of delicate and ageing materials
- Metal Fabrication and repair

These upgrades will expand the Sheds capacity, improve project quality and ensure that important community artifacts are preserved and maintained for future generations.

Equally important the grant will strengthen the Shed's role as a social and well-being hub for retired and semi-retired men. Availability of proper tools also creates meaningful hands on work that encourages collaboration, skill sharing and a sense of purpose.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

- Preservation of Local Heritage: Supports ongoing maintenance and restoration of Langley's historic buildings, artifacts, and public assets.
- Greater Volunteer Engagement: More members and community volunteers will participate regularly in hands on heritage projects, increasing social connection and teamwork.
- Visible Community Impact: Restored heritage assets will be available for public enjoyment

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

- Hundreds of people visiting local heritage sites (including families, school groups, community organizations, and tourists), will benefit from safer, well maintained historic spaces.
- These buildings and artifacts serve as active community hubs, supporting education programs, cultural events, and public gatherings.
- The grant also directly benefits the 55+ members of Men's Shed Langley, who gain meaningful, social, hands on work that strengthens their well-being and community connections

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Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Our current roster of volunteer members is over 55

Location of project or event:

Restoration and maintenance work will be undertaken by Men's Shed Langley members at multiple historic sites located within the City of Langley and neighbouring areas.

<https://langleyheritage.ca/restored-buildings/>

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

- The primary financial support we receive is the membership fee of \$50 per year from each active member.
- We also receive financial support via donations of old equipment from residents in the Langley and surrounding communities from time to time. Where possible, we sold these items via social media and collected \$600 last year.
- The barn in which our workshop is housed is provided to us rent free by the owners of the property.
- Langley Senior Resources Centre provides free weekly access to their Sun-room to Men's Shed for our coffee social meeting.
- The Government of Canada "New Horizons for Seniors Program" advised us on the 19th February that our grant application has been approved. The funds anticipated from that grant, are fully designated to specified objectives and deliverables that are entirely separate from and unrelated to the funding requested in this application.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Nicholas Park Neighbourhood BBQ - Neighbourhood Group [023F4CD7]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Gather the families and residents surrounding Nicholas Park for an end-of-summer BBQ gathering in our neighbourhood anchor park. Everyone is invited in the streets surrounding this community pillar. We had a potluck last year with a couple yard games for entertainment.

Service Provided to the Community:

Socialization! Last year's grassroots event brought out new Canadians, seniors who've lived in the community for decades and properly introduced many folks who've only seen other at a distance previously.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Last year, my husband (Scott) and I wanted to bring together the neighbourhood so we printed invites, set out to deliver them to the surrounding streets, then set up a couple folding tables and a BBQ on the day-of and hosted the first (very unofficial!) end of summer BBQ in Nicolas Park. The turnout was better than we could have imagined and we all committed to doing it again next year. So, grant or not, we look forward to the second Nicholas Park BBQ to be held this Labour Day weekend.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

No budget currently exists - all volunteer driven and run from a couple neighbourhood families.

Purpose of the grant:

We ran into a few issues last year - not enough table space for potluck items, not enough disposable items like plates and cutlery, no canopy to shelter us from an unexpected rain shower and only a couple of yard games for playing. If approved, we would use the grant to rent folding tables, yard games and buy some 'essential' disposables. Additionally, we'd love to get a banner made to make it official.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

To bring people together and improve community spirit, attachment to and pride in Nicholas Park which has become a 'third space' to many families in the surrounding streets. This year, we'd like improve from roughly 35 households invited to 50.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

~75-100 (if we count kids)

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Managed by a group of about 6

Location of project or event:

Nicholas Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No
List of Executive Members: No

Recent AGM: No
Registered Society Systems: No

One Caring Human Society - Charity / Society [023D1707]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

We support the elderly, the seriously ill, those at the end of life, and vulnerable populations, through compassionate presence, therapeutic touch, education, advocacy, and social inclusion.

Service Provided to the Community:

We facilitate the care of the elderly and the dying, provided by registered Massage Therapists, offer self-care workshops coupled with social inclusion, and collaborate with organizations that serve vulnerable populations, to plan events that provide compassion and kind touch to individuals in need.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Since we became a Registered non-profit Society in 2024, we have been coordinating chair massage events across the lower mainland, in collaboration with Surrey Hospice Society, Fraser Health and Peace Arch public health nurse in White Rock, Chilliwack Action Team, the City of Chilliwack, the City of Surrey, Surrey Neighborhood House, and First Nations Health Foundation in Vancouver.

We are currently collaborating with Langley Hospice and Burnaby Hospice Society in pilot project planning to facilitate a massage therapy program for their patients and families.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Project - Self-Care education for the elderly:

\$6000 - facilitators

\$600 - food/ refreshments

\$600 - administration, supplies

\$400 - facilities

Project - supplementation of pilot project at Langley Hospice:

\$2400

Purpose of the grant:

To promote wellness, safety, and social inclusion while building community for the elderly in Langley city, in care homes and at the Senior's Centre, and to mitigate loneliness and ageism in our communities.

To support those at the end of life with dignity, connection, and quality of life, offer respite to family members, and to help them learn about safe touch for their loved ones.

Everyone is touched by death. By supporting folks through this stage of life offers community connection and encourages our circles of care to widen.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Cultivate an Inclusive Community:

-Our projects provide inclusive and safe service to populations that are often ignored and suffer from loneliness, illness, and safety concerns.

Integrate a Holistic Approach to Community Safety:

-Providing workshops at care homes and in community spaces allows an environment to learn in a relaxed way. Comfortable and familiar surroundings promotes retention of information, relatability, and expression of self, where asking questions is less anxiety-inducing.

Strengthen Communication and Public Engagement:

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-Teaching folks language and communication skills reduces the risk of susceptibility to fraudulent scams, addressing ageism strengthens community, and builds a community of self-aware residents.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Up to 400, plus their families.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

6

Location of project or event:

Langley senior's center, municipal hall (if possible), and several Langley city seniors care homes, independent, assisted living, and palliative facilities.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We, at OCH, have donations received from collaborative events we plan to use for this project, and we are currently awaiting funding approval from New Horizons for Seniors federal program.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: No
Registered Society Systems: Yes

PLEA Community Services Society of British Columbia - Charity / Society

[023AA1D7]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

PLEA Community Service's (PLEA) vision is a world where everyone has the opportunity for a good life, and where everyone counts. To fulfil this vision, PLEA delivers community-based services and specialized supported homes to children, youth, adults, and families facing significant challenges in their lives.

PLEA's Children of the Street program is focused on raising awareness and preventing child/youth sexual exploitation (both online and in person) and supporting children and families affected by this crime.

While PLEA receives government funding to deliver its contracted services, two programs (Children of the Street and KidStart) rely on community support to provide their services.

Service Provided to the Community:

PLEA continually updates our programs and services to suit each individual's diverse strengths, needs and circumstances. As a result, we have a strong reputation for helping those we serve to overcome the challenges they face and lead fulfilling lives.

What started as an entrepreneurial passion to change the path of youth who were already interacting with the justice system, has become a full spectrum of social services designed to support participants to avoid, overcome and recover from the most complex of circumstances.

Our work now spans child welfare, addictions, health, justice, sexual exploitation, and community living systems.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

For over 30 years, PLEA's Children of the Street program has focused on raising awareness and preventing child/youth sexual exploitation and human trafficking and supporting children and families who have already been affected by this crime.

Our most well-known program is called Taking Care of Ourselves, Taking Care of Others (TCO2). Each year, we present this workshop more than 500 times to over 30,000 young people in BC communities. Last school year, we reached 1,280 children and youth living in Langley (in the City and Township). We are still the only organization in B.C. providing free school-based prevention workshops aimed at keeping young people safe from all forms of sexual exploitation.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$1000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The grant will support program supplies, workshop materials and resources.

Purpose of the grant:

To support the delivery of our prevention workshops for children and youth in your community.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The Canadian Centre for Child Protection is processing over 100,000 reports of online child sexual exploitation every month!

In July of last year, Toronto Metropolitan University reported child sexual exploitation cases were up 815%, and that child/youth sex trafficking is the 2nd largest organized crime behind drug trafficking. Young people are downloading nudify apps which allow them to take a photo of a fully clothed peer and use the Artificial Intelligence nudify app to create a fake nude image. This image can then be

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shared with others creating enormous harm to the clothed person who never took the naked image, nor shared it with others.

Law enforcement in BC are alerting communities about the need for more prevention programs as the cases of online sextortion continues to skyrocket.

The need for our prevention workshops has never been greater. Our workshops give children in your community information and practical tools to help them learn how to keep themselves and their friends safe from sex trafficking and other forms of sexual exploitation. They will be given resources and will know who to reach out to if they are facing a sexually exploitive situation.

If a young person comes forward who is dealing with sexual exploitation, they will receive the support and services needed to move forward with their life.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

In Langley City and Township, we reach over 1,200 young people annually. In Langley City only, we expect to reach 550 young people through eight prevention workshops.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Our prevention workshops are facilitated by highly trained staff.

Location of project or event:

In Langley City schools.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

In the City of Langley, we've received support from the Langley Elks, Lodge #259 and Soroptimist International of The Langleys. We also have support from corporations, foundations and government grants that allow funds to be used were needed. Along with your community, we annually reach 30+ communities in British Columbia.

Our total budget for this project is \$455,927 (it costs us just over \$911 to deliver one prevention workshop. To date, we have confirmed funding in the amount of \$228,024, with \$227,903 in funding still pending.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Refugee Talk is a community-based nonprofit organization dedicated to amplifying the voices of refugees and newcomers and fostering inclusive, connected communities. Our goal is to reduce isolation, promote belonging, and ensure that people with lived experience are meaningfully represented in community life.

Our objectives are to:

- Create safe and inclusive spaces for refugees and newcomers to share their stories
- Strengthen community connections between newcomers and long-term residents
- Increase understanding, empathy, and civic participation through storytelling and dialogue

To achieve these objectives, Refugee Talk delivers community-focused activities including free public storytelling events, facilitated dialogue sessions, workshops, and multimedia projects such as podcasts and short documentaries. These activities are designed to be accessible, culturally responsive, and inclusive, with a strong focus on participation from youth, families, and marginalized voices.

Through in-person gatherings and creative engagement, our programs encourage connection, learning, and mutual understanding among diverse community members. All activities are planned with clear outcomes, volunteer involvement, and strong coordination to ensure meaningful impact and responsible use of resources.

Service Provided to the Community:

Refugee Talk provides free, inclusive, and accessible community services that benefit Langley City residents, particularly refugees, newcomers, youth, and families who may experience social isolation or barriers to participation. Our services focus on community connection, storytelling, and dialogue as tools for wellbeing and inclusion.

By offering public events and programs open to all residents, Refugee Talk creates opportunities for people from different backgrounds to come together, share experiences, and build understanding. Our services address key community needs such as social connection, representation, mental wellbeing, and inclusion, while reducing social and perceived barriers for marginalized groups.

Programs are designed to be welcoming and accessible, with attention to language, cultural safety, and affordability. Volunteers play an important role in program delivery, strengthening local engagement and community ownership.

Through these services, Langley City residents gain greater awareness of diverse lived experiences, stronger community ties, and increased opportunities for participation. Our work supports a more inclusive and connected city by fostering empathy, belonging, and civic engagement.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Refugee Talk was founded to create a platform where refugees and newcomers can share their stories, contribute to community conversations, and shape inclusive social change. The organization emerged from lived experience and has grown into a recognized community initiative focused on storytelling, dialogue, and engagement.

Since its founding, Refugee Talk has delivered numerous community-based projects, including public storytelling events, podcasts, youth-led initiatives, and collaborative programs with local and national partners. The organization has worked with diverse communities and volunteers to ensure programs are responsive, inclusive, and impactful.

Refugee Talk has received multiple grants and awards supporting community engagement, youth leadership, and storytelling initiatives. The organization's work has reached wide audiences through in-person events and digital platforms, while maintaining a strong focus on local impact.

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With experienced leadership, clear governance, and a track record of successful project delivery, Refugee Talk demonstrates strong planning, accountability, and commitment to community wellbeing. The organization continues to grow while remaining rooted in service, collaboration, and meaningful participation for all.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

- 1- Program materials & supplies: \$2,500
- 2- Venue rental & event-related costs: \$2,000
- 3- Accessibility supports (translation, interpretation, inclusive materials): \$2,000
- 4- Audio/visual & storytelling equipment (program use only): \$1,500
- 5- Outreach, promotion & community engagement materials: \$1,000
- 6- Volunteer coordination, refreshments & logistics: \$1,000

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to support the delivery of a free, inclusive community project designed to strengthen connection, belonging, and participation among refugees, newcomers, and long-term residents of Langley City. The project will use storytelling, facilitated dialogue, and community engagement activities to reduce social isolation and create spaces where diverse voices are heard and valued.

Funding will be used to deliver public community events, workshops, and creative storytelling activities that are accessible and welcoming to all residents. The project will prioritize participation from individuals who may face social, cultural, or language barriers and will include accessibility supports to ensure inclusive participation.

Through this initiative, Refugee Talk aims to foster understanding, empathy, and civic engagement by creating opportunities for people from different backgrounds to connect and learn from one another. The project will be planned and delivered with clear objectives, volunteer involvement, and accountability measures, ensuring effective use of funds and measurable community impact.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

If approved, this grant will directly benefit Langley City residents by supporting inclusive, community-building activities that promote connection, understanding, and participation. The project addresses community needs related to social isolation, inclusion, and representation by creating accessible spaces where residents can engage across cultures and lived experiences.

The initiative aligns with Langley City's goals of fostering a vibrant, inclusive, and connected community. By reducing social and perceived barriers, the project supports accessibility, equity, and community wellbeing. Residents will benefit from increased opportunities for engagement, improved social connections, and greater awareness of the diverse experiences within the city.

The project also encourages volunteer participation and collaboration, strengthening local involvement and community ownership. By offering free public programming, the initiative ensures broad access and contributes to a more welcoming and inclusive Langley City where residents feel a sense of belonging and shared responsibility.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 200–300 residents

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

10–15 volunteers

Refugee Talk - *Charity / Society [023B90D7]***Location of project or event:**

City of Langley community spaces and public venues

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Ron Cares Society - Charity / Society [023D233E]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Ron Cares Society supports the unhoused, new immigrant families, low income seniors/elders and individuals, as well as our Aboriginal community members through the distribution of Community Care Kits. The kits support hygiene, dignity, wellness and inclusion and contain numerous items towards these goals. Ron Cares Society also focuses on building community through partnerships, making connections and reducing exclusion of marginalized populations. We are a presence on many local committees and attend community events to raise awareness of the needs of these marginalized groups.

Service Provided to the Community:

Purchasing, building and distribution of Care Kits through our many partnerships who work to improve the lives of marginalized populations in Langley City. Valuable and practical information pertinent to these groups is often included in the kits. Ron Cares also raises awareness of the challenges faced by low income and unhoused persons by participating in a number of local advocacy groups and through community events. Community building is key to our success to date. Citizens are eager to volunteer and contribute to the program.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Ron Bergen, our executive director is a person who lives with the disability of low vision. He knows what exclusion and low income are through personal experience. In 2022, Ron decided to find a way to reinvent himself and to serve his community. He began visiting areas where the unhoused were known to be and brought them basic items such as food, snacks, and socks. He learned about the other needs folks experienced and launched his Community Care Kit Program and in 2023 Ron Cares Society was born. Since that time, over 1000 kits have been distributed. By personally building relationships with other non-profit service groups, Ron was able to build a board of directors, apply for grants and grow his program. More and more marginalized persons were identified. In 2025, we held our first fundraiser and were thrilled by the support we received. The program relies on volunteers in all aspects of its operations. Ron was recognized by our local MLA and our MP for his and the Society's work.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$5000	\$500

Proposed allocation of funding:

City of Langley Grant	Request
\$5,500.00	
Expenditures	
In kind space for meetings	\$500.00
Bags for distribution	\$250.00
Volunteer recognition	\$250.00
Product for seasonal kits	\$2,000.00

Ron Cares Society - Charity / Society [023D233E]

\$2,500.00 At \$100/kit this allows us to build 25 kits for new Immigrant families.

Total \$5,500.00

Purpose of the grant:

The bulk of the funds would be used to purchase products that go into the kits, such as toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, wash cloth, razor, socks, deodorant, bandaids, condoms, shampoo, feminine hygiene products. In seasonal kits we add touques, gloves, hand/foot warmers for winter and sunscreen, misting bottle, and cooling neck scarf in summer.

The difference in cost from kits for the unhoused and seniors is based on the sizes of the items offered. The unhoused prefer compact sizes while families and seniors are able to use larger sized products.

The bags that we supply allow ease of transport and dry supplies for the unhoused.

Recognizing volunteers is key to keeping them onboard and continuing to help. We cannot do this work without them. Recognition often takes the form of snacks at work bees or a coffee treat.

We do not as yet have our own space, so it is often difficult to find room for meetings and or kit building work days. In kind space from the city would be most helpful.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Not only do the kits provide very practical needs to the recipients, they also create a sense of dignity and inclusion. The kits let people know that their city cares about them. Information given can mean connection to a needed support organization or new opportunities. We have heard from immigrant groups that the kits make them feel seen, supported and dignified. The unhoused may be transient but their gratitude on receiving a kit is genuine.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

At least 65 individual recipients. Immigrant families may encompass a couple or a family with several children.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

25

Location of project or event:

Langley City

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

New Horizons for Seniors
 Rotary Clubs of Langley
 In kind donations from local Langley Businesses
 Individual donations
 Fundraising efforts
 Application in to BC Gaming Grants
 SPARC
 United Churches of Langley

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: No
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Run for Sobriety Association - Charity / Society [023F9A64]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Goals:

An annual run/walk event in the Langley community to raise awareness and support those that are struggling with alcohol and substance use or other related mental health issues. The event's goal is to inspire others to make positive changes in their lives and improve their overall well-being.

Objectives:

- To raise \$30,000 for mental health and substance use initiatives in BC.
- To reach a minimum of 500 registrants at the 2026 event.
- Purchase branded race equipment to create a polished and recognizable race environment.
- Outsource professional first aid services to ensure dedicated medical coverage rather than volunteer-based professionals.
- Secure 5 additional sponsors and vendors, representing a 30% increase from the previous year.
- Improve waste management by utilizing clear signage and ensuring 100% of event waste is collected post-race.
- Explore hiring a professional Traffic Control company to safely incorporate additional sidewalk and roadway sections as the course expands.

Activities:

- Increase marketing in the local community by leveraging new promotional strategies
- Launch registration and answer all participant inquiries
- Organize race day logistics (ie. set-up, timeline, site maps, etc.)
- Conduct volunteer hiring and host volunteer orientation prior to the event
- Invite vendors and local businesses that align with Run for Sobriety's vision to participate in the event
- Purchase event insurance for all participants, attendees and volunteers
- Submit permit applications for use of the park and its facilities
- Secure event equipment, rentals and supplies

Service Provided to the Community:

The Run for Sobriety Association not only brings awareness to alcohol and substance use issues but is also helping real people who are either suffering from mental health issues themselves or have loved ones who have been affected. This is especially needed during the unfortunate toxic drug crisis which has been declared as one of the most serious public health crises faced by the country to date. Recent data from Fraser Health found that the City of Langley has the second highest rate of suspected paramedic-attended toxic drug poisoning events per capita from January 2024 to January 2025 which demonstrates the urgency to invest in resources that will address this crisis and create a lasting impact on communities.

Run for Sobriety is designed to bring together individuals in recovery, family members, allies, and community supporters in a safe, inclusive, and stigma-free environment. Participants include people directly impacted by substance use, those seeking community and hope in their recovery journey, and individuals who want to show solidarity and raise awareness for this cause. Run for Sobriety is the only run/walk event in Langley that is focused on both mental health and substance awareness and it's also the only non-profit race event that originated directly in Langley. The impact our organization is making on the Langley community is truly special and we continue to combat the stigma around mental health and substance use issues by starting conversations around this difficult topic that have changed lives.

Run for Sobriety Association - Charity / Society [023F9A64]

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Run for Sobriety was founded in 2021 by Josh Baron to celebrate his first year of sobriety after an eight-year battle with substance use. During COVID-19, Josh returned to running - a childhood passion and found it to be a powerful tool in his recovery. What began as a personal milestone on September 26, 2021, evolved into a community run/walk event aimed at raising awareness and funds for mental health and substance use support. Inspired by the impact of sharing his story, Josh created Run for Sobriety to connect movement and mental health while reducing stigma around addiction. Since then, the event has grown significantly in participation, fundraising, and community reach. In September 2023, the Run for Sobriety Association was officially registered as a non-profit under the BC Societies Act. As of 2026, the organization is governed by a seven-member Board of Directors.

On October 4, 2025, the 5th Annual Run for Sobriety welcomed over 400 participants and raised \$24,000 for local mental health and substance use initiatives. The event set new records and was featured in local media, reflecting its growing momentum and meaningful impact in Langley and across Metro Vancouver. Participants who registered for the event were mainly residing in the Township of Langley or the City of Langley and from several surrounding cities in Metro Vancouver. This strong regional participation demonstrates the event's expanding reach and its meaningful role to the Langley community.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$7500	\$500

Proposed allocation of funding:

Marketing & Promotion:

Website – \$700

Printing (posters, stickers, etc.) – \$700

Signage – \$1,000

Retractable Banner – \$250

Online Ads – \$500

Branded Tent – \$1,500

Recovery Day Booth – \$500

Volunteer T-Shirts – \$750

Event Materials:

Inflatable Arch – \$2,200

Race Package Bags – \$1,000

Medals – \$3,500

Tablecloths – \$50

Water Cups – \$100

Stage Rental – \$250

Fencing Rental – \$1,500

Table Rental – \$200

Water Dispensers/Water Refill – \$300

Tent Rentals – \$300

Cones – \$150

Chair rental - \$100

Food:

Granola Bars – \$300

Bananas – \$50

Apples – \$100

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Finisher Cookies – \$1,500
 Food for Barbecue – \$2,000
 Entertainment:
 Music Entertainment – \$500
 Photography/Videography – \$800
 Other Event Fees:
 Facility Washrooms – \$189
 Park Permit – \$50
 BC Athletics Insurance – \$1,500
 Portable Washrooms – \$1,000
 Race Timing and Bibs – \$3,500
 First Aid – \$1,200
 Traffic Control Services – \$1,500
 Bank Fees – \$50
 Total Expected Project Expenditures: \$29,789

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to support the costs of organizing and operating the annual Run for Sobriety event in Langley. Based on participant feedback, we are committed to improving the experience and creating an event that has a lasting impact on participants, volunteers, donors, and the broader community.

With an expected 650 attendees (participants, viewers, volunteers and vendors) this year, we estimate the total event costs at \$29,789. Major expenses include professional race timing services, medals, food for the community barbecue, portable washrooms, traffic control, and an inflatable start/finish arch. Portable toilets are essential for an event of this size, and manual timekeeping is no longer feasible, making contracted timing services necessary. The inflatable arch will elevate the race experience and can be reused annually, reducing long-term costs.

Live music, finisher cookies and a free barbecue have become defining features of the event, receiving overwhelmingly positive feedback for creating a welcoming, community-focused atmosphere. Several items in our budget, such as signage, cones, and the inflatable arch are one-time investments that will lower future operating costs, while other expenses are standard requirements for hosting a safe and successful event. Support from the City of Langley will help us deliver an event the community looks forward to each year.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Run for Sobriety delivers meaningful community benefits by fostering connection, reducing stigma, and promoting healthy lifestyles in the City of Langley. Many individuals experiencing substance use or mental health challenges feel isolated and unsupported. By supporting this event, the City sends a strong message that these are valued within the community.

The event directly aligns with the City of Langley's Parks, Recreation and Culture Plan objectives by strengthening community connections and encouraging participation in accessible, all-ages physical activity. As an event held annually in October, Run for Sobriety helps address the City's identified need for more events in the fall, while promoting outdoor recreation and wellness.

The event also supports the City's 2023–2028 Strategic Plan focused on strengthening community wellness such as mental health, substance use, and overall well-being. By creating a safe, inclusive space for connection, Run for Sobriety contributes to the City's broader socio-economic and wellness goals.

At Run for Sobriety's Plunge for Recovery event, a participant shared that she was just one week sober. While she was inspired by the October run, remaining sober until then felt overwhelming. The event gave her a sense of purpose, and she began running to support her recovery. She crossed the finish

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line at Run for Sobriety, is now over one year sober and has since become the newest Board Member of the Run for Sobriety Association. This event serves as a catalyst for change and each year, more individuals share how the event has positively influenced their recovery journey.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

150+, depending on registration numbers

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Estimated 50 local volunteers

Location of project or event:

Noel Booth Elementary School and Noel Booth Community Park
20202 35 Ave
Langley, BC, V3A 0N1

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We do not currently have any confirmed financial support or sponsorship from others in the community for the 2026 event. We are actively working on securing financial support in anticipation of the event's official launch in May 2026. We have already sent out our sponsorship packages to multiple past sponsors and potential new sponsors and are waiting to hear back. We will have confirmation by the end of April on who has committed to providing financial support.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

SASSY - a subgroup of the 4 Rotary Clubs that operate in the Langleys - Charity / Society [023D37FC]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

This grant application seeks to recognize & support youth in our community who are making a difference. The Langley SASSY Scholarship Awards started 11 years ago (2015) with a collaboration of the 4 Langley Rotary clubs to support students aged 15 to 21 with their post-secondary journey. SASSY incorporates Rotary's motto of "Service Above Self for Student Youth. The Program recognizes, acknowledges and celebrates the achievements and leadership of local youth who exemplify the ideals of Rotary; and also looks to provide a hand up to at risk youth to become tomorrow's achievers. Since inception, SASSY has supported both City and Township students with over \$131,000.00. Bursaries are awarded to students in seven categories that recognize different types of leadership: 1) Community Service: Local & International, 2) Environmental Leadership, 3) Youth Leadership, 4) Leadership Beyond Adversity, 5) Arts & Culture Leadership, 6) Sports Leadership, and 7) Culture & Diversity. The winner of each category receives \$1200.00 while each of the two runners up receive \$600.00 each. The total to support the top 21 students this year will be \$16 800.00. The top three individuals that are selected in each category are interviewed by a panel of 3 community judges to determine the winner and the two runners up. All of these top 21 students, 21 community judges, parents, community representatives, friends, & School District representatives will gather May 20, 2026 at the Chief Sepass Theatre for a Red-Carpet Celebration Event as well as the presentation of trophies and cheques.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Langley SASSY Awards provide meaningful service to the Langley City community by celebrating and strengthening youth leadership, volunteerism, and civic engagement. Grounded in the belief that education and leadership are critical to a thriving society, the awards encourage students to sustain and expand their contributions to local programs and events that directly enhance the quality of life for residents. As a not-for-profit, neighbourhood-led initiative, the program fosters community connection, inclusion, and local involvement by recognizing students whose efforts build stronger, more compassionate communities. The awards also address financial need by supporting students' access to post-secondary education, helping reduce physical, social, and perceived barriers to further learning. Fully volunteer-driven, the initiative reflects a deep commitment from community members who dedicate their time to securing resources, managing the selection process, and delivering the annual ceremony. Importantly, the community activities advanced through the SASSY Awards align with the City of Langley's strategic goals by promoting active citizenship, social inclusion, and long-term community well-being.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Langley SASSY Awards, established in collaboration of the four Langley Rotary Clubs, have spent the past decade recognizing and investing in student leadership across the community. Over the last 10 years, the program has celebrated and honoured 210 top-three finalists and received more than 600 applications from students demonstrating exceptional commitment to service, initiative, and leadership. Beyond the financial awards, SASSY also provides broad community recognition by profiling student achievements through videos, social media, and local newspaper features, amplifying positive youth contributions throughout the Langley's. Rooted in Rotary's "Service Above Self" values, the awards inspire recipients and applicants alike to continue their leadership journeys through programs such as Rotaract, Interact, YAIL, and RYLA leadership camps. During this period, SASSY has contributed over \$131,000 to support local students in their post-secondary pursuits, with funds raised entirely through Rotary-led community fundraising: where 100% of proceeds are returned directly to the community. The City of Langley is strongly represented amongst applicants including

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in the Langleys - Charity / Society [023D37FC]

students from: Langley Secondary, Brookwood Secondary, Credo Christian, Langley Christian, King's School, Trinity Western University, KPU, and UFV, reflecting the awards' broad reach, credibility, and sustained impact. This year we will contribute another \$16 800.00 in bursaries to our next top 21 finalists for the 2026 SASSY Awards event May 20, 2026.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Funding received will support the delivery of the Langley SASSY Awards program and its associated events. The annual operating budget is approximately \$24,000, raised each year by the four Langley Rotary Clubs and the SASSY Awards Committee. The majority of funds - \$16,800 - are directed straight back to students through bursaries, with each of the seven category winners receiving \$1,200.00 and each of the fourteen runners-up receiving \$600.00. Remaining funds offset essential event expenses that ensure a high-quality, inclusive community experience, including food and beverages, venue and décor rentals (curtains, tables, balloons), seven trophies, twenty-one frameable certificates, printed programs, photography, and modest performer stipends. Minor costs also support the Top 21 Judging Day (April 11, 2026, at James Hill Elementary School), covering videography, photocopying, and refreshments. As a fully volunteer-driven initiative, administrative overhead is minimal, and financial stewardship is a core principle: maximizing the proportion of resources that directly benefit local students while sustaining a professional, accessible awards process and celebration.

Purpose of the grant:

The requested Community Grant of \$2,000 will support the overall costs of delivering the Langley SASSY Awards event and recognition program. Sponsoring SASSY is an investment in Langley City's future - supporting local youth, celebrating their leadership, and highlighting their outstanding contributions locally and internationally. As a youth-focused, volunteer-driven initiative, SASSY advances its mission of "Building a stronger community by celebrating and supporting exceptional youth for outstanding contributions locally and internationally." Support from the City of Langley as a Presenting Sponsor will visibly demonstrate civic leadership and community partnership. In recognition, the City's logo will be featured on the SASSY website, certificates, and event materials; and a City representative will be acknowledged and invited to participate in the presentation of bursaries, trophies, and certificates. Additional opportunities may include a congratulatory letter included in finalist swag bags. Community support also generates goodwill among students, families, educators, and attendees, while fostering future customers, employees, and engaged citizens.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The Langley SASSY Awards deliver significant benefits to the community by reinforcing the vital connection between education, leadership, and civic well-being. By recognizing and celebrating youth who demonstrate exceptional initiative, service, and character SASSY cultivates a culture that values contribution, inclusion, and lifelong learning. The program highlights diverse expressions of leadership, including non-traditional pathways such as quiet leadership, peer mentorship, community advocacy, cultural engagement, and service to vulnerable populations - ensuring that students from varied backgrounds and experiences feel seen and encouraged. These outcomes directly align with Langley City's Strategic Plan priorities, particularly fostering an inclusive community, celebrating successes, strengthening public engagement, and embracing creativity and innovation.

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SASSY's volunteer-driven model further strengthens community partnerships while promoting positive youth role models who inspire others to participate in local programs and civic life. Through public recognition, storytelling, and financial support for post-secondary access, the awards contribute to social connectedness, community pride, and the development of future leaders who are invested in Langley City's long-term vibrancy and resiliency.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

The number of City of Langley residents benefiting from the SASSY Awards varies annually, reflecting the changing pool of nominees and recipients. Over the past years, the program typically receives between 65 and 70 applications annually, contributing to more than 600 applications to date. Applicants represent both public and private secondary schools, as well as local post-secondary institutions, with participants aged 15–21. Benefits extend beyond just the award recipients to include families

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Community involvement is a defining strength of the program. Each year, approximately 50 volunteers contribute their time across multiple stages of the awards process. This includes a seven-member organizing committee, approximately 12 volunteers supporti

Location of project or event:

The two primary event venues integral to the SASSY Awards process are: (1) James Hill Elementary School, which hosts the Top 21 Judging Day and finalist videography sessions (April 11, 2026), and (2) Chief Sepass Theatre at Fort Langley Secondary School,

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Four Rotary Clubs of the Langleys	- \$10,000.00
Township	- \$3500.00
Langley SD Foundation	-\$2000.00
Langley Christian School	- \$3000.00
Phil and Barb Jackman Trust	- \$5000.00

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Scouts Canada - Camp McLean - Charity / Society [023E8404]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Camp McLean provides outdoor education and adventures to many youth in Langley City both through the Scouts Canada program as well as providing a space for schools to bring their students for environmental education and outdoor skills. We also provide a summer camp that is open to both registered Scouts Canada members as well as non-registered youth that would like to attend to learn these skills

Service Provided to the Community:

We are a designated Emergency Response Centre in case of a natural or man-made disaster where we are able to house up to 100 people in our sleeping cabins but also ample area for RVs and tents. We have two full-size kitchens that are able to cook for 500+ people combined. We also provide outdoor education to the youth in our community through both survival skills and lifeskills (teamwork and social and mental health)

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Camp McLean was established over 60 years ago through a donation of land to Scouts Canada and is surrounded by Campbell Valley Park where youth can learn outdoor skills and environmental appreciation. We have also been providing a summer camp for 40+ years to not only the youth in Langley but throughout the Fraser Valley.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$3000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Building of two Campfire pits (benches, gravel, fire rings, water supply) x \$1,000 each = \$2,000
Addition of power and lighting to 6 sleeping cabins = \$1,000

Purpose of the grant:

We would like to have two additional campfire pits that can be used for skills development for our youth but also for heat and cooking in the event of an emergency where we have lost power. Power and lighting to our six new sleeping cabins will ensure the comfort of both our youth as well as in the case of disaster response. We currently have a generator that can be used if the camp should lose power.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Additional education areas for the youth attending the camp whether it be through the Scouts Canada programs, summer camp programs or through their own elementary and secondary school outdoor education programs

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Currently we have three Scout Groups in Langley City totaling 219 Youth and 47 adult Volunteers. We also have a Camp Committee made up of 10 adult Volunteers who do maintenance around the Camp and two Baden-Powell Guilds made up of 16 retired Leaders who provide service work not only at the Camp but within the community.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Currently we have three Scout Groups in Langley City 47 adult Volunteers. We also have a Camp Committee made up of 10 adult Volunteers who do maintenance around the Camp and two Baden-Powell Guilds made up of 16 retired Leaders who provide service work no

Scouts Canada - Camp McLean - Charity / Society [023E8404]Location of project or event:

Camp McLean - 20315-16th Avenue, Langley

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details**Recent Financial Statements:** Yes**List of Executive Members:** Yes**Recent AGM:** No**Registered Society Systems:** Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

We are dedicated to supporting youth and their families by creating pathways into the skilled trades, raising awareness about career opportunities, and providing meaningful mental health support to build confident, resilient futures.

We hold a community walk, hold online auctions, get people to attend sporting events as a group and looking to see what other events we can do.

Service Provided to the Community:

Providing financial support to Foundry Langley to enhance access to youth mental health services and resources.

Supplying bursaries and scholarships to local high school trades students, helping reduce financial barriers and supporting pathways into skilled trades careers.

Funding Christmas hampers for families in need, ensuring they can experience connection and support during the holiday season.

Assisting families in celebrating children’s birthdays by purchasing birthday cakes, helping create positive and memorable experiences during challenging times.

By directing support toward both mental health services and practical community supports, this helps to create tangible, local impact while reinforcing a culture of compassion, inclusion, and community care.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

In December 2019, we began as a way to honour Seamus’ memory turning grief into purpose and action within our community.

Since then, with the support of our community, we have:

- Donated over \$30,000 to Foundry Langley to support youth mental health services
- Awarded 7 Skilled Trades Bursaries
- Presented 3 Skilled Trades Scholarships
- Supplied more than 15 Christmas hampers to families in need
- Purchased 14 birthday cakes to ensure youth felt celebrated and seen

What started as a tribute has grown into a movement supporting youth, strengthening families, and creating pathways into the trades while advocating for mental health awareness.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$1000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Insurance, Prize Money (Winning Teams)	2950.00
Referees	300.00
First aid & equipment	500.00
Posters, Banners, Signage	500.00
food & water for volunteers	250.00
Trophies	300.00

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to support the planning and delivery of the Langley Memorial Rugby Touch Tournament, a collaborative community fundraising event hosted by the Seamus Gee Legacy Project and the Langley Rugby Club. This annual tournament honours former players and valued community

Seamus Gee Legacy Project Foundation - Charity / Society [023F1339]

members while promoting inclusion, connection, and mental health awareness throughout the Township of Langley.

Created in memory of Seamus Gee, the tournament reflects the organization's commitment to strengthening community bonds and advocating for youth and men's mental health. The grant funding will help offset event costs such as facility rentals, equipment, insurance, safety supports, promotion, and community engagement activities to ensure the tournament remains accessible and affordable for participants of all ages and skill levels.

The event is designed as an inclusive, multi-generational touch rugby tournament that welcomes current and former players, youth athletes, families, alumni, local businesses, and community supporters. By combining sport, remembrance, and advocacy, the tournament will create meaningful opportunities for connection while reducing stigma surrounding mental health through visible community support and open dialogue.

Funds raised through registrations, sponsorships, and donations will directly support local and national mental health initiatives aligned with the Seamus Gee Legacy Project's mandate. Grant support will help establish the tournament as a sustainable annual tradition that strengthens partnerships, promotes community well-being, and builds a healthier, more connected Langley for years to come.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Approval of this grant will provide significant benefits to Langley City by fostering community connection, promoting health and well-being, and supporting local youth and men's mental health initiatives. The Langley Memorial Rugby Touch Tournament will create an inclusive, multi-generational event where current and former players, families, alumni, volunteers, and local businesses can participate in a positive, engaging environment. By encouraging participation across all ages and skill levels, the tournament strengthens social cohesion and builds a sense of pride and belonging within the community. Funds raised and awareness generated through the event will directly support organizations such as Foundry Langley, HeadsUpGuys, Seamus Gee Legacy Project, and Walter Foss Foundation, contributing to accessible mental health resources and reducing stigma. The tournament aligns with City goals to enhance quality of life, promote active and healthy lifestyles, and provide community-based leisure opportunities that are safe, inclusive, and sustainable. Additionally, by honouring former players and valued community members, the event reinforces Langley's cultural and sporting heritage while creating an annual tradition that encourages ongoing volunteerism, local partnerships, and civic engagement. Overall, the grant will help establish a meaningful, community-centered event that not only strengthens existing social networks but also fosters resilience, well-being, and a shared sense of purpose across Langley City.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

It is difficult to specify the number of Langley City residents who will benefit, as the grant supports broad-serving organizations like Foundry Langley and HeadsUpGuys. The tournament will directly engage approximately 200–400 participants and spectators, most expected to be Langley residents, providing direct and indirect benefits such as access to mental health resources, reduced stigma, and stronger community connections.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

15 to 20

Location of project or event:

The Langley Rugby Club 21280 Crush Crescent.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We are currently seeking corporate sponsorships but have not yet received any to date.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: No
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Our mission is to promote, support, and advocate for Indigenous arts and culture. stɔl'əw' Arts and Cultural Society is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to empowering Indigenous artists to share their gifts.

Service Provided to the Community:

The society fosters nationhood and supports the rebuilding of Indigenous communities, particularly through the development of opportunities in the arts, culture and language. This is achieved through training, mentorships and apprenticeships, workshops, culture and heritage projects (e.g., public art), gatherings, traditional ceremonial offerings, sharing Elders' knowledge, improving access to equipment and venues, and traditional language teaching/use.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

stɔl'əw' Arts and Cultural Society primarily supports the creation and transmission of contemporary and traditional Indigenous art, language, and cultural practices within the shared territories of the Mainland Coast Salish Katzie, Kwantlen, Matsqui, and Semiahmoo First Nations. We engage and uplift land-based and urban Indigenous community members connected to the areas known today as Langley, City of Langley, and Surrey. We strive to provide opportunities for learning and sharing between multiple generations of Indigenous community members and to better connect the land-based First Nations communities. Collecting, curating, and disseminating Coast Salish ways of being and knowing enables us all to thrive: Elders, adults, youth, language and cultural knowledge keepers. stɔl'əw' celebrates its 12th anniversary in 2026. Our small non-profit has been supported by a dedicated and passionate volunteer Board and a handful of staff for its existence. We have seen how the work that we do supports, uplifts, and connects Indigenous community members during and following the COVID-19 pandemic. We offer both public and Indigenous community member-only opportunities to gather, share, and learn. 2026 represents our 5th annual stɔl'əw' Pow Wow, a 3-day immersive experience for community members and visitors from across the lands known today as BC, Canada, and the United States. It is a culmination of all that our society stands for.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil
<u>Proposed allocation of funding:</u>		
Marketing/Media Promotion Materials: \$4,000		
City of Langley Community Engagement: \$3,000		
Support for City of Langley Indigenous Community Member Participation: \$3,000		

stal'əw' Arts & Cultural Society - Charity / Society [023CEC03]

Purpose of the grant:

The funds for this grant will be used to more strongly engage City of Langley Residents with stal'əw' Arts and Cultural Society's initiatives. Emphasis will be placed on awareness and participation in the 5th annual stal'əw' Pow Wow September 11-13, 2026. We recognize that our organization has supporters within the City of Langley, but we want to focus more efforts on engagement as some of our close collaborators, such as the Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society and Waceyá Metis Society, are situated within the City of Langley.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Cultivating an Inclusive Community, Pursuing partnerships with community groups to achieve greater potential and better results, Fostering Respect by listening and being supportive of the needs of others, Promoting and celebrating diversity and freedom to explore and foster creativity, Embracing Reconciliation and seeking equity of persons, Having a lasting effect on creating and sustaining a progressive community.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

5000

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

50

Location of project or event:

Langley Events Centre, 7888 200 St, Langley, BC V2Y 3J4

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

The following funding sources have been sought but have not yet been confirmed:

BC Arts Council - Community Festivals Grant	\$6,000	
Government of BC - Community Gaming Grant	\$65,000	
Government of Canada - Canadian Heritage - BCAH Local Festivals Grant		\$167,500
City of Surrey Community Grant	\$10,000	
Township of Langley Major Festival Grant	\$10,000	

In addition, the Township of Langley will be providing \$68,025 in kind for venue use and facility staff at the Langley Events Centre for the stal'əw' Pow Wow.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Using the tool of sport, TeamUp seeks to create spaces of belonging for children in underserved communities. Our desire is to remove financial barriers for parents and provide a safe space for kids to be physically active, develop new skills, receive mentorship from strong community role models and to experience the social, mental and physical benefits that sports offer.

Service Provided to the Community:

By engaging and empowering local University athletes, TeamUp offers weekly sports programming, camps, clinics and festivals to youth in Langley, partnering with other local agencies to address the needs of low income families, refugees, immigrants and other families who benefit from free programs.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

TeamUp has been in operation for over 5 years in BC and Internationally. In 2026, we are experiencing rapid growth as we launch new initiatives in Alberta, Northwest Territories and Ontario in the coming months. We have a strong reputation in the communities that we serve, providing safe spaces, engaging programs, and positive role models/coaches. We partner with local leaders that have a vision for their community, ensuring that programs are needed, relevant and sustainable. With our headquarters located in Langley, our desire is to increase programming and impact in communities throughout Langley and surrounding areas. There is a great need for free, accessible support for children and families in the area, and we hope to continue to positively impact right here in our own backyard!

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$5000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Funding would cover administrative costs of setting up programming with the proposed schools, equipment costs, insurance, field and gym rentals, honorariums for designated leaders/managers, communication materials, and safety materials.

Purpose of the grant:

The grant would be used specifically for expansion. We have been approached by multiple schools, seeking the support that we offer in the area of free and accessible sports programming. Receiving funding would allow us to work with key volunteers and leaders to create specific programming to meet the needs of the community. One particular school coordinator has a vision to create a mentorship program involving TeamUp athletes, teaching and mentoring Highschool athletes who will together provide programming to elementary school students. The impact of a program like this would be exponential! Young adults building into teenagers, who then catch a vision for the impact that they can have in their community as together they mentor and coach young children. This would potentially create a pipeline of young people having compassion for their community, and developing a desire to make a difference right now!

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

If TeamUp receives funding for our initiatives, our hope is to expand into more schools and more communities that can benefit, offering free programming, removing barriers and providing a safe and inclusive space for all children/families. Our programs have a proven record of building community and providing services to families who are often overlooked.

TeamUp Canada - Charity / Society [0240DA8C]

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

200+ families with youth.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

30+

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park School, HD Stafford, Nicomekl and other schools who would benefit

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Raphael house has committed to partner in the area of communications and volunteers. CLA church has committed to partnering with us in the area of volunteers and helping with a season-end family bbq. We have received funding from some of the other communities that we are active in, through grants or local business sponsorship, however, are still exploring opportunities in Langley.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: No

Registered Society Systems: No

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

To raise funds and awareness for the Terry Fox Foundation and cancer research

Service Provided to the Community:

We provide the citizens of Langley with the opportunity to participate in supporting the annual run/walk.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Terry Fox runs have taken place in over 9,000 communities across Canada and around the world since 1981. The Langley City run has been active since 2010. The 2026 run will be held Sunday September 20th, 2026.

Grant Request

Organization Type:

Neighbourhood Group

Amount Requested:

\$500

In-Kind Requested:

\$1200

Proposed allocation of funding:

Supplies for the run and access to Douglas park community center and band stand. Also, highway permit for crossing the road at the run. The \$500 will be for volunteer t-shirts, pens, volunteer of the year trophy, and volunteer bureau fee.

T-shirts 38 x \$10 = \$380

Pens/supplies \$ 20

Trophy \$65

Volunteer bureau \$35

Purpose of the grant:

All supplies (in-kind and others as detailed) to put on the annual run.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

With the approval of this grant we will continue to increase interest and participation in the Terry Fox Run in Langley City as well as keeping Terry's dream of curing cancer alive.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

200 (guestimate of annual participants)

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

40

Location of project or event:

Douglas Park, Langley Ctiy

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We receive donations of food, supplies, and media coverage from donations through Langley City businesses.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: No

Registered Society Systems: No

The Centre for Child Development - Charity / Society [023FDF1E]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Centre for Child Development has been a cornerstone of support since 1953, dedicated to helping children with special needs reach their potential. Each year, we provide life-changing therapy, care, and support to over 8,000 children and their families across both Langleys, Surrey and Delta.

Our multidisciplinary approach ensures that every child receives the specialized attention they need through integrated services, including physiotherapy, occupational therapy, and communication therapy. Beyond clinical treatment, we provide essential family support services to empower parents and caregivers, fostering an inclusive community where every child has the opportunity to thrive.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Centre provides comprehensive medical rehabilitation programs and multi-disciplinary therapeutic services to children with a wide range of abilities and conditions including neurodevelopment disorders, congenital anomalies, neurological disorders and orthopedic diseases.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Since 1953, The Centre for Child Development of the Lower Mainland has worked to overcome societal barriers for those with disabilities and empower vulnerable children and families throughout the South Fraser Region. The Centre for Child Development is proud to be the largest program in Western Canada to have consistently received 3-year accreditations from CARF since 2004 for our pediatric outpatient Medical Rehabilitation Services and Child & Youth Services.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$2500	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Budget for Gala of Hope 2026

REVENUE

TICKET SALES	\$27,500.00
SPONSORSHIP	\$20,000.00
DONATIONS/FAN	\$100,000.00
BOARD WINE DONATIONS	\$650.00
DONATION IN KIND	\$15,000.00
HEADS OR TAILS	\$1,800.00

RAFFLE

SILENT AUCTION	\$10,000.00
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LIVE AUCTION

WINE PULL	\$2,000.00
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TOTAL REVENUE	\$176,950.00
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EXPENSE

VENUE	\$31,000.00
ENTERTAINMENT	\$9,800.00
DÉCOR	\$6,000.00
SOUND & LIGHTING	
OPERATING EXPENSES	\$3,200.00
AUCTION PLATFORM	\$800.00
PRINTING & ADVERTISING	\$650.00

The Centre for Child Development - Charity / Society [023FDF1E]

TOTAL EXPENSE \$51,450.00

NET INCOME \$125,500.00

Purpose of the grant:

We would like to use the grant towards our Annual Gala of Hope held at the Langley City Coast Hotel and Convention Centre. City of Langley would be listed as a supporter of the event and receive recognition in front of over 200 guests.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Funds raised at this event support our fundraised programs such as the Feeding Team, Casting & Splinting, Equipment Team and Recreational Therapy.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Location of project or event:

Langley City Coast Hotel and Convention Centre

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Our past sponsors include: Djavad Mowafaghian Foundation, Surrey Fire Fighters' Charitable Society, BM Group, Jim Bennett Family Foundation. We have already secured a \$70,000 donation for this year's event.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: No
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Harmony Kids Foundation exists to equip children with the lifelong self-regulation skills they need to thrive — especially those facing physical, mental, emotional, and social barriers to wellness. Through evidence-informed yoga and mindfulness programming, we provide children with practical tools to manage stress, build resilience, strengthen emotional awareness, and develop healthy coping strategies. Our work addresses the growing need for accessible, preventative mental health supports that empower children before challenges escalate. Beyond direct programming, The Harmony Kids Foundation partners with community agencies serving vulnerable children and youth — including foster families, mental health organizations, single parent and caregiver households, youth advocacy groups, schools, hospitals, and childcare centers. We provide classes, therapeutic resources, educator trainings, and accessible tools that strengthen the adults supporting these children, creating sustainable, trauma-informed environments where young people can feel safe, regulated, and connected.

Our programs are designed to be inclusive, adaptable, and accessible across diverse settings. By integrating movement, breathwork, mindfulness practices, and play-based learning, we help children build foundational skills that support academic success, positive relationships, and long-term wellbeing.

At its core, The Harmony Kids Foundation is committed to breaking down barriers to wellness by ensuring that children — particularly those most at risk — have equitable access to preventative mental health tools that foster resilience, confidence, and lifelong emotional health.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Harmony Kids Foundation delivers accessible, no-cost yoga and mindfulness programming to schools and children's organizations serving students with limited access to funding and increased social, emotional, and mental health needs. We have been approached by numerous schools and community programs seeking support for children experiencing physical, mental, and emotional challenges. To ensure programming is responsive and equitable, interested schools complete a detailed Program Request Form outlining their student needs, existing barriers, and the rationale for requesting funded services. This process allows us to prioritize communities with the greatest need and tailor programming to best support their students. Participating schools receive comprehensive yoga and mindfulness programming delivered by a Registered Children's Yoga Teacher. Sessions focus on teaching practical calming and self-regulation tools through breathwork, developmentally appropriate yoga and healthy movement, and engaging mindfulness activities. Using props, games, storytelling, music, and interactive exercises, children learn accessible strategies to reduce anxiety, manage stress, improve emotional awareness, and strengthen social-emotional skills.

In addition to direct instruction, our programs provide resources and tools that can be integrated into classrooms and community settings, extending the impact beyond each session. Programming is designed to be inclusive, trauma-informed, and adaptable to diverse learning and physical needs. Through our expanding children's mental health and wellness initiatives across the Fraser Valley, The Harmony Kids Foundation is increasing access to preventative, skills-based supports that foster lifelong self-regulation, resilience, and healthy living for children facing physical, mental, emotional, and social barriers to wellness.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Harmony Kids Foundation was established to expand access to yoga and mindfulness programming for children who face barriers to physical, mental, emotional, and social wellbeing. Founded on the belief that self-regulation is a foundational life skill, the organization was created to bring preventative, skills-based mental health supports directly into schools and community settings.

The Harmony Kids Foundation - Charity / Society [023C90E6]

Since its inception, the Foundation has built strong partnerships across the Fraser Valley. With sponsorship from the Canada Post Community Foundation, we delivered a year-long Social Emotional Learning program at Langley Fine Arts School, embedding breathwork, mindful movement, and emotional regulation strategies into the school community. Through the generous support of the Rotary Club of Aldergrove and the Township of Langley, we implemented year-long programming within the Strong Start programs at Parkside Elementary and Donna Gabriel Robins Elementary, supporting young children and families with early self-regulation and wellness tools. In addition, funding from 100 Women Who Care Fraser Valley enabled the delivery of educator workshops and the distribution of mindfulness resource materials, equipping teachers with sustainable tools to continue supporting student wellbeing within their classrooms. These initiatives reflect our ongoing commitment to increasing equitable access to preventative mental health programming and strengthening the capacity of schools and educators to support resilient learners.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$4000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The "Mindful Connections: Yoga and Mindfulness Programming for City Langley Families and Students" proposed funding allocation would be as follows: \$1200 for year long programs at each of the following locations: Simonds Elementary Strong Start Program, Douglas Park Elementary Strong Start Program, and Nicomekl Elementary Strong Start Program. The \$1200 at each location covers one session each month for 10 months (September 2026 through to June 2027) as well as \$200 worth of breathing balls, yoga and mindfulness tools and resource guides for all of the families, facilitators and district employees that support the programming.

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to support The Harmony Kids Foundation in delivering Strong Start based yoga and mindfulness programming that strengthens social-emotional skills, self-regulation, and overall wellbeing for children and their families in Langley City. Funding will enable us to provide accessible, preventative mental health supports, equip educators with sustainable tools, and foster stronger connections between students, families, and the broader school community. By investing in this initiative, the grant directly contributes to building a more connected, resilient, and thriving community where children and families have the resources to succeed socially, emotionally, and academically.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

This project provides multiple benefits to the Langley City community. By equipping children and families with practical mindfulness and self-regulation tools, it supports their emotional wellbeing, focus, and resilience, which positively impacts learning, peer relationships, and classroom dynamics. Educators gain sustainable resources and strategies to maintain a calmer, more supportive school environment. Families benefit from access to tools and practices that can be used at home, strengthening family connections and promoting healthy habits. Collectively, these outcomes foster stronger social cohesion, enhance community wellbeing, and contribute to a more connected, resilient, and thriving city.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Between 90-210 children, families and educators

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

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The Harmony Kids Foundation - Charity / Society [023C90E6]

Location of project or event:

Simonds Elementary School Strong Start 20190 48 Avenue, Langley City
Nicomekl Elementary School Strong Start 20050 53 Avenue, Langley City
Douglas Park Elementary School Strong Start 5409 206 Street, Langley City

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

The Harmony Kids Foundation has also applied for sponsorship through the BC Gaming Grant program and Canada Post Community Foundation, and those applications are currently pending.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Since 1983, Valley Therapeutic Equestrian Association, a volunteer-based charity, has been providing medically approved therapeutic riding to people of all ages and abilities. 2026 is our 43rd year of delivering these life-changing Therapeutic Riding services where children and adults are provided with the value of independence from a horse. From the 3-year-old working through the unique challenges of autism, cerebral palsy, Down Syndrome, to the seniors striving to maintain/improve balance and muscle tone to mitigate the risk of falls (as well as enjoying an incredibly unique social outlet). Children who are blind, visually impaired, deaf, and hard of hearing are now also fulfilled in our program.

Service Provided to the Community:

Our main focus is the Langley area, both Langley City and the township. VTEA provides over 3,000 sessions to clients in need of equine assisted therapies. This past year we have provided over 3000 sessions to clients, operating 6 days per week. Over 100 volunteers continue to help us do what we do 7 days a week – we would not survive without them! In 2025, over 100 volunteers dedicated their time to assist in the delivery of our programs. Our dedicated volunteers stepped up to help with over 6,000 hours of their time to ensure program delivery and an improved quality of life for our clients. In addition to the benefits therapeutic riding provides our clients, our volunteers have said the hours spent with our horses and clients in our welcoming environment are very therapeutic for them as well. Our sessions are delivered one-on-one giving us the ability to tailor each session to the unique needs of our clients with the exact amount of support that they need. With the help of our devoted volunteers, we do this, and the clients develop a trusted bond with them. Most clients require 3 volunteers every session, a Leader for the horse and 2 Side walkers for the client, plus the instructor/therapist, and oftentimes an additional volunteer notetaker to assist with notes for medical records which we are required to do

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Since 1983, Valley Therapeutic Equestrian Association, a volunteer-based charity, has been providing medically approved therapeutic riding to people of all ages and abilities. What is therapeutic riding? In one word: independence. From the three-year-old working through the unique challenges of autism or cerebral palsy to the octogenarian striving to maintain/improve balance and muscle tone to mitigate the risk of falls (as well enjoying an incredibly unique social outlet). Children who are blind, visually impaired, deaf, and hard of hearing are also served. The impact on improving lives is significant, as our 43 history has shown.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$5000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

	PROJECTED REVENUES - JULY CAMPS	No.	Fee	Total
1	July 28-July30 (Tues-Thurs) 8:30 - 12:00	4	330.00	\$1,320.00
	July 28-July 30 (Tues-Thurs)1:00 - 4:30	4	330.00	1,320.00

\$2,640.00

Valley Therapeutic Equestrian Association - Charity / Society [023E315A]

PROJECTED REVENUES - AUGUST CAMPS

2	August 25-August 27 (Tues-Thurs) 8:30 - 12:004	330.00	\$1,320.00
	August 25-August 27 (Tues-Thurs)1:00 - 4:30 4	330.00	1,320.00

\$2,640.00

PROJECTED SUMMER CAMP REVENUE \$5,280.00

PROJECTED EXPENSES

Staff Wages(Instructors & support staff)	1,100.00
Horse and tack Costs	100.00
Craft Materials	100.00
Overhead	250.00
	\$1,550.00

EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES \$3,730.00

Purpose of the grant:

DESCRIPTION OF SUMMER CAMP 2026

The Valley Therapeutic Equestrian Association is hosting Summer 2026 Horse Camps in Langley. These three-day camps run Tuesday to Thursday on two separate dates: July 28–30 or August 25–27. Designed for young horse enthusiasts, the sessions are split by age group:

- Ages 8–11: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm
- Ages 12–16: 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm

At \$330 per person, these beginner-friendly camps offer a well-rounded experience. Participants will enjoy riding, horse care, and barn chores, alongside fun activities like arts and crafts, games, and skill development.

Located at 3330 256th Street, Langley, these camps provide a great opportunity for kids to bond with horses and learn new skills. To register, you can email info@vtea.ca or call 604-857-1267.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The community at large will benefit by having additional summer activities for our youth. This youth engagement in an outdoor environment creates a family friendly atmosphere in Langley and the immediate surrounding area. Additionally, as the VTEA has served the Langley area for over 40 years, this allows the community to have a qualified therapeutic approach to the engagement including cultivating an inclusive community, promoting sustainability, and fostering community connections. This grant would assist in inclusivity, as the funds will go towards keeping the cost of the sessions at a manageable level for all families.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

120 - participants and family members

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

40

Location of project or event:

3330 - 256 Street, Langley, BC V4W 1Y4

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

none as yet

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes



[023E3659]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The Vancouver Chamber Players are a group of professional musicians who have been providing quality classical chamber music concerts to the general public for over 20 years. These concerts have taken place, free of charge, in senior care homes and in palliative care facilities for residents who otherwise would not have access to live classical music. All non musical expenses, including publicity and website maintenance, continue to be serviced by musicians and board members on a volunteer basis. In the past year, the Vancouver Chamber Players have regularly presented at three senior residences in Vancouver, North Surrey, and Langley.

Service Provided to the Community:

The concerts presented by the Chamber Players have always been accessible to the general public. Our emphasis has been to present quality monthly concerts in senior care home facilities for people who would not have access to live classical music. All performances include prepared commentary by the musicians. The concerts are designed to be both enlightening and entertaining.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Vancouver Chamber Players society has been providing classical music concerts primarily to the Vancouver public for over 20 years. The Vancouver Chamber Players was formed as a non profit non registered organization in June 2002 and subsequently was able to co-ordinate the hiring of professional musicians to present formal chamber music concerts., The Chamber Players, ranging in numbers from two to eight musicians, typically perform 24 concerts per season. The musicians are drawn from a range of musical organizations within the Lower Mainland and include players from the Vancouver Symphony, faculty members of the Langley School of Music, the VSO School of Music , the Vancouver Academy of Music, and UBC. The Vancouver Chamber Players Society, in the past, has supported hospitals and other non profits to raise fund for worthy causes. A measure of success for the Chamber Players has been the re-engagement of the concert series and the words of appreciation from the staff, visitors, and residents of the care homes, hospitals, and non profit organizations where the free concerts have taken place. Over the years, thousands have enjoyed and benefited.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$5400	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

The proposed allocation is based on the cost of three musicians performing six concerts over a period of six months.

The cost of the services of three musicians comes to a total of \$900.

This figure of \$900 applied to six proposed concerts equals \$5,400.

Purpose of the grant:

The grant funds will be used to ensure that all participants receive appropriate remuneration at the prevailing Musician's Association rates. The goal is to bring larger ensembles to the community on a more regular basis.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

The expectation is that there will be a renewed interest and appreciation of classical chamber music and re-discovered masterpieces of the repertoire performed by some of the finest local musicians from around the Lower Mainland.

VANCOUVER CHAMBER PLAYERS SOCIETY - Charity / Society [023E3659]

The educational and entertainment components of the events bring much satisfaction and enjoyment to residents who otherwise would not have access to live classical music.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

The expectation, based on past experience, is that the monthly concerts would attract 45 to 50 persons per concert.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

N/A

Location of project or event:

The proposed location for the concert series is Magnolia Gardens, a Bria Seniors Community, 5840 Glover Road in Langley.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

The Vancouver Chamber Players receive a nominal honorarium of \$350 from Magnolia Gardens that covers the cost of a single musician.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: No
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

The purposes of the Society are to promote holistic wellness by supporting physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual health through education, workshops, retreats, and community-based programs. The Society seeks to celebrate and preserve diverse world cultures by organizing cultural showcases, heritage festivals, and intergenerational storytelling initiatives that strengthen cultural identity and community pride.

The purposes of the Society are to promote holistic wellness by supporting physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual health through education, workshops, retreats, and community programs. The Society celebrates and preserves diverse world cultures through cultural showcases, heritage festivals, and intergenerational storytelling initiatives that strengthen cultural understanding and belonging.

The Society fosters cross-cultural harmony by facilitating dialogue, cultural exchange, and collaborative activities among diverse communities. It provides educational resources and training in wellness, mindfulness, yoga, meditation, nutrition, and healthy lifestyles for people of all ages.

The Society empowers youth and seniors through mentorship, leadership development, arts and crafts workshops, and intergenerational programs that reduce isolation and promote healthy aging. It promotes Indigenous and immigrant cultural contributions in Canada by highlighting heritage, arts, music, and traditions.

The Society supports environmental sustainability through tree plantation drives, community gardens, environmental awareness initiatives, and neighbourhood beautification projects. It also supports newcomers and marginalized groups, organizes charitable initiatives, and raises funds through grants, donations, partnerships, and events to reinvest in community programs.

Service Provided to the Community:

The Society provides inclusive, community-based programs that promote wellness, cultural connection, environmental responsibility, and social inclusion. Its services are designed to improve quality of life, reduce isolation, and strengthen belonging among people of all ages and backgrounds. Key services include holistic wellness programs such as yoga, mindfulness, meditation, and mental health awareness workshops that support physical, emotional, and mental well-being. The Society organizes cultural showcases, heritage festivals, and storytelling initiatives that celebrate diverse cultures, promote intercultural understanding, and foster respect among communities.

The Society delivers targeted programs for seniors and youth, including arts and crafts workshops, intergenerational engagement activities, leadership development, and mentorship opportunities to bridge generational gaps and reduce social isolation. It also supports newcomers and marginalized individuals by connecting them to community resources, cultural networks, and wellness supports. Environmental stewardship is a core service area, with initiatives such as tree plantation drives, community gardens, beautification projects, and sustainability awareness campaigns that encourage eco-friendly practices.

In addition, the Society organizes charitable initiatives including food bank drives, blood donation campaigns, disaster relief support, and fundraising for community development projects. All services are delivered through partnerships with community organizations, volunteers, and local stakeholders to ensure accessibility, inclusion, and meaningful community impact.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

our Society is a registered, community-based non-profit organization established to advance wellness, cultural inclusion, environmental stewardship, and social connection. Guided by the principle “Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam”—the world is one family—the Society focuses on inclusive programming that benefits the broader community.

VASUDAIVA KUTUMBKAM - Charity / Society [023C0CDB]

Since its formation, the Society has successfully planned and delivered a range of community initiatives, including wellness and mental health awareness programs, cultural heritage events, intergenerational arts activities, environmental campaigns, and community food-sharing initiatives. These programs have engaged seniors, youth, newcomers, and families, demonstrating strong community reach and participation.

The Society has mobilized volunteers, community leaders, artists, educators, and partner organizations to deliver programs efficiently and responsibly. Its collaborative approach has strengthened local partnerships and increased access to programs for individuals who may otherwise face social, cultural, or economic barriers.

Key accomplishments include the delivery of senior engagement and wellness activities, youth leadership and cultural education initiatives, tree planting and environmental awareness projects, and charitable efforts supporting food security and emergency needs. Through effective planning, volunteer involvement, and responsible financial management, the Society has demonstrated the capacity to deliver meaningful, inclusive, and sustainable community programs aligned with priorities.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Total Project Budget: \$15,000

Grant Requested: \$10,000

Other Confirmed / In-Kind Support: \$5,000

Expense Category	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Other Sources
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Venue rental (community hall / public space)	\$3,500	\$3,000	\$500
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Workshop facilitators & honoraria	\$4,000	\$2,500	\$1,500
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Art & activity supplies (inclusive, all ages)	\$3,000	\$2,000	\$1,000
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Outreach & promotion (flyers, posters, digital)	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$500
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Accessibility supports (translation, signage, seating)	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$500
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Volunteer support & refreshments	\$1,000	—	\$1,000
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Administration & insurance (project-specific only)	\$0	—	—
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TOTAL	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$5,000
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No capital or ongoing operating costs are included.

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to deliver a free, inclusive community connection and wellness project for City of Langley residents that brings people together through creative expression, shared dialogue, and participatory activities. The project is designed as a one-day or weekend community event where residents of all ages and backgrounds can participate in guided art-based activities, wellness conversations, and collaborative installations that reflect belonging, connection, and shared community identity.

The grant funding will support essential project costs including venue rental, trained facilitators, inclusive art materials, outreach, and accessibility supports. By removing financial and social barriers, the project ensures participation is open to seniors, youth, newcomers, families, and individuals who may experience isolation.

This initiative directly supports social connection, mental well-being, and community engagement while creating a visible and lasting community outcome (collective artwork and shared stories) that reflects what Langley means to its residents. The project is designed to be welcoming, culturally

VASUDAIVA KUTUMBKAM - Charity / Society [023C0CDB]

inclusive, and easy to participate in, encouraging spontaneous and meaningful interaction among residents.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

If approved, this grant will strengthen community connection, inclusion, and quality of life for City of Langley residents. The project addresses social isolation by providing a welcoming space where residents can meet, create, and connect across generations and cultures. Through collaborative art and facilitated dialogue, participants build a sense of belonging and shared ownership of their community.

The project aligns with City of Langley goals related to social inclusion, community well-being, resident engagement, and accessible programming. It encourages local participation, volunteer involvement, and positive use of community spaces. The event will be free and open to all, with targeted outreach to seniors, families, newcomers, and individuals who may not typically engage in community programming.

By engaging a minimum of 500 residents, the project creates both immediate and lasting impact: improved social connections, increased awareness of community resources, and a shared creative outcome that celebrates Langley's diversity and identity. The project also builds local leadership and volunteer capacity, strengthening the community's ability to organize inclusive initiatives in the future.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

500+

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

15-20 local volunteers

Location of project or event:

community hall, library space, or approved public venue

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

LOCAL BUSINESSES

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

VAYA Youth Arts Society - Charity / Society [023E6EEF]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

VAYA's Mission is to be a vibrant catalyst for the arts, devoted to nurturing talent, cultivating community, and empowering emerging leaders. Through a dynamic blend of performance opportunities, educational engagement, and mentorship, and financial support we seek to enrich the cultural tapestry of our local community and beyond. The following general-purpose statement embodies our vision, drawing inspiration from the foundational pillars outlined.

Service Provided to the Community:

- An Annual Classical Music Festival and Regional Provincial Competition that attracts talented, youth musicians from all over the Greater Vancouver Regional District
- Volunteer Opportunities for Youth and Adults living in the City of Langley and broader region.
- NEW: Youth-led events programs fostering youth engagement and activism in the performing arts.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The VAYA Youth Arts Society has produced educational music festivals since 1999 and, in 2001, became an official registered Charity in The Province of British Columbia. Formerly known as The Fraser Valley Kiwanis Festival, it was supported by three regional Kiwanis Clubs until 2018. VAYA stands for 'Vancouver Area Youth Arts' and the society was officially renamed to include a major world city as our operations began to include international participants and master teachers. Up to 2021, VAYA was a community partner of the Kwantlen Polytechnic University Music Department. Under the capable leadership of Lorne Fiedler—who served as Executive Director and Festival Manager until 2024—VAYA has grown to become one of the largest performing arts festivals of its kind in British Columbia.

VAYA Youth Arts Society is a member of Performing Arts BC, and MusicFest Canada. In addition to The VAYA LangleyLive! music festival—our annual live music festival held each spring in Langley, BC—VAYA also produces a series of annual virtual festivals. The VAYA Online Festivals take pride in removing geographical, accessibility, and logistical barriers: Our online festivals welcome international participants, and those who are unable to attend an in-person festival or for whom live performance is not a goal.

In 2025, the scope of VAYA's Society Purpose was broadened specifically to emphasize our growing focus on Volunteerism and Mentorship. Under the leadership of Executive Director, Margo Levae, VAYA looks to create Arts Focussed Youth-Leadership programs that connect Youth, Community, and Artist Mentors in a shared joy of the performing arts.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$4000	\$2000

Proposed allocation of funding:

LangleyLive! 2026 Festival Budget:

Revenue:

\$32000.00: Festival Revenue

\$ 4000.00: Langley City Grant***

\$ 7000.00: BC Community Gaming Grant 2026

\$43000.00 Total Revenue, Including Langley Community Grant

*\$18000.00: In-Kind Donation of Concert Grand from Tom Lee Music, Langley

*\$ 2000.00: Approximate In-Kind Venue Donation for Free-To-Public Celebration Concert

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Expenses:

\$ 7000.00: Venue Rental (approximately 20 days @ \$300/day)*** Langley City Grant used here
 \$ 1500.00: Piano Move & Tune
 \$10000.00: Adjudicators/ Master Teachers for Workshops & Competitions
 \$ 500.00: Web/Social/Marketing for Program
 \$ 3000.00: Festival Program Supplies (Office, Printing, Medals)
 \$ 1000.00: Celebration Concert Budget (Post-Festival)
 \$20000.00: Festival Coordinator Full-Time Dec – May / Onsite Staff / Volunteer Coordination / Youth Council Leadership

\$43000.00 Total Expenses for LangleyLive! Festival Project

Purpose of the grant:

Each year, VAYA Youth Arts Society uses the Langley City Community Grant towards the costs of renting a local Langley City Venue: St. Andrew's Anglican Church. St. Andrews is a hub of local charitable activity and we are proud that the funds from our rental return to support their community program offerings in the areas of Childcare, Supports for Seniors & Persons with Disabilities, and Addictions Recovery Groups. In addition to our 2025 grant, we are also requesting an In-Kind Donation from the City to cover the costs of renting and staffing (if needed on the day) the Douglas Park Spirit Square Amphitheatre to host a celebration event organized by Youth for Youth. This

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Increased Cultural Activity in the City of Langley for musicians, mentors, and community members. Our festival is free for any community member to access and we invite local audiences to attend. Our newly reformed Society Mission includes the mandate to engage Youth in art-sector-specific volunteerism. The VAYA Youth council's first project will be to present Youth Performers in a free

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

In Spring 2025, the LangleyLive! Festival had 447 participants.

13% of participants had a Langley Address and 38% of participants had a Surrey Address. Excluding addresses from cities outside of the Fraser Region, 85% of LangelyLive! Festival participants were located in the Fraser Region.

In or virtual Speech and Music Festivals--with many International Participants from across the globe--Langley residents made up 11% of a total of 779 participants of the Spring 2025 and Fall 2025 Festivals.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

In 2025, VAYA Youth Arts Society had 15 Volunteers complete over 300 hours of volunteer work to support our live festival and society operations. Most of our Volunteers are Langley City Residents.

Location of project or event:

1. St. Andrews Anglican Church: 20955 Old Yale Rd, Langley, BC V3A 7P8
2. Douglas Park Spirit Square / The Venue for the Sounds of Summer

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Tom Lee Music Langley
 Private / Anonymous Langley City Resident Donors

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Our vision is to contribute to a strong, diverse, and inclusive Canadian society through the arts. We believe arts and culture play a critical role in strengthening communities and economies. iSAFF champions progressive, innovative, and inclusive approaches to celebrating South Asian stories, artists, and filmmakers of South Asian descent, while connecting them to global audiences.

Our mission is to support and promote the development, presentation, and dissemination of South Asian cinematic arts by showcasing films that reflect the complexity, nuance, and diversity of South Asian communities both in Canada and abroad. We are committed to creating a space that uplifts underrepresented voices and fosters artistic and professional development.

Our core values guide everything we do:

Diversity: We recognize and celebrate the work of underrepresented South Asian artists, filmmakers, and stories from across the diaspora.

Integrity: We build trust with our communities by championing films, arts, and culture with authenticity and accountability.

Inclusion: We ensure diverse voices are included, promoting free expression and cross-cultural understanding through our programming.

Collaboration: We work with filmmakers, cultural organizations, and stakeholders to combat intolerance and maximize social impact through collective action.

Service Provided to the Community:

Each year, iSAFF curates a rich program of thought-provoking and genre-spanning films that reflect the evolving realities of South Asian communities. From stories that challenge societal norms to those that celebrate intergenerational and cultural resilience, our programming presents the full spectrum of South Asian experiences.

In addition to screenings, iSAFF offers industry panels, artist talks, workshops, and networking events that foster skill-building, mentorship, and collaboration. These professional development opportunities help emerging and mid-career filmmakers gain access to funding pathways, international networks, and festival exposure. Many of our past participants have gone on to create award-winning films, secure financing for new projects, and establish sustainable careers in the screen industries.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

VISAFF South Asian Film Society (dba International South Asian Film Festival Society - iSAFF) is a British Columbia-based non-profit arts organization that celebrates, amplifies, and supports South Asian storytelling through cinema. Founded in 2008, iSAFF was established to bridge the gap between South Asian talent and mainstream audiences, and to create a professional platform for filmmakers, cultural practitioners, and cinephiles to connect, collaborate, and engage. It is the only annual five-day South Asian film festival in Western Canada.

iSAFF has grown from a grassroots initiative into a respected cultural institution within BC's arts ecosystem. We maintain partnerships with community groups, arts councils, and media institutions to expand our impact. Our festival's 15th anniversary that took place in 2025, further proved our commitment to promoting artistic excellence, equity, and innovation in cinema. Our long-standing presence in the province has not only supported the development of South Asian film and filmmakers but also contributed to the broader landscape of Canadian media arts through inclusive, community-led programming.

VISAFF South Asian Film Festival Society - Charity / Society [023C9991]

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$6700	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:
CATEGORY TOTAL

Total Cash Budget	\$ 9,405.00
Total In Kind	\$ 5,720.00
Total Project Value	\$ 15,125.00

FUNDING SOURCES	CATEGORY	ITEM	STATUS	QTY	UNIT COST	TOTAL
FUNDING SOURCES	City of Langley Sponsorship		Pending			\$ 6,700.00
FUNDING SOURCES	Martini Studios	In Kind	Pending			\$ 3,000.00
FUNDING SOURCES	Lumiere Studios		In Kind	Pending		\$ 2,500.00
FUNDING SOURCES	iSAFF Contribution		Cash	Confirmed		\$ 1,005.00
FUNDING SOURCES	Ticket Revenue	Earned Potential				\$ 1,920.00
TOTAL FUNDING					\$ 15,125.00	

SECTION	CATEGORY	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT COST	TOTAL
CASH EXPENSES	Venue / Facilities		Event space setup	Chairs, tables, staging	1	\$ 200.00
						\$ 200.00
CASH EXPENSES	Venue / Facilities		Martini Film Studios	Facility access and staff time	1	\$ 1,000.00
						\$ 1,000.00
CASH EXPENSES	Venue / Facilities		Lumiere Film Studios	Facility access and staff time	1	\$ 1,000.00
						\$ 1,000.00
CASH EXPENSES	Transportation	Shuttle buses	16-seat mini bus transfers	3		\$ 1,200.00
						\$ 1,200.00
CASH EXPENSES	Food & Beverage		Light lunch catering	Sandwiches/wraps vegetarian		options 55 \$ 20.00 \$ 1,100.00
CASH EXPENSES	Food & Beverage		Chai / coffee station	Coffee urns chai cups supplies		1 \$ 250.00 \$ 250.00
CASH EXPENSES	Food & Beverage		Snacks & sweets	Light snacks for Q&A portion	1	\$ 200.00 \$ 200.00
CASH EXPENSES	Food & Beverage		Water dispensers	Water refill station	1	100.00 \$ 100.00
CASH EXPENSES	Guest Experience		Reusable water bottles	Event giveaway for attendees		55 \$ 10.00 \$ 550.00
CASH EXPENSES	Speakers		Speaker honorarium	Panelists and moderator	3	200.00 \$ 600.00
CASH EXPENSES	Speakers		Speaker hospitality	Gift or thank-you item	3	\$ 150.00 \$ 50.00
CASH EXPENSES	Production		AV equipment	Microphones PA speaker system	1	300.00 \$ 300.00

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CASH EXPENSES	Production	Photography	Event documentation	1	\$ 350.00	\$
350.00						
CASH EXPENSES	Marketing	Graphic design	Event poster social graphics	1	\$ 250.00	
\$ 250.00						
CASH EXPENSES	Marketing	Printing	Name tags signage programs	1	\$ 150.00	
\$ 150.00						
CASH EXPENSES	Operations	Event Producer	Showrunning, Coordination	1	\$	
500.00	\$ 500.00					
CASH EXPENSES	Operations	Event staff support	Registration & Coordination	2	\$	
200.00	\$ 400.00					
CASH EXPENSES	Operations	Event insurance	Public liability coverage	1	\$	
250.00	\$ 250.00					
CASH EXPENSES SUBTOTAL					\$ 8,550.00	
CONTINGENCY (10%)					\$ 855.00	
TOTAL CASH BUDGET					\$ 9,405.00	

SECTION	CATEGORY	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT COST	TOTAL
IN KIND CONTRIBUTIONS	Martini Film Studios	Studio tour	Facility access and staff time	1		
\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00					
IN KIND CONTRIBUTIONS	Lumiere Film Studios	Studio tour	Facility access and staff time	1		
\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00					
IN KIND CONTRIBUTIONS	Volunteers	Event support	Registration and logistics volunteers	2		
\$ 110.00	\$ 220.00					
IN KIND SUBTOTAL					\$ 5,720.00	

Purpose of the grant:

Our purpose for requesting this grant is to support the delivery of an industry and community event in Langley, that highlights the city's growing role as a hub for film and television production in British Columbia.

This event will be hosted by the International South Asian Film Festival (iSAFF) in partnership with Martini Film Studios and Lumiere Film Studios. The event will bring together filmmakers, students and community members for a guided tour of two renowned local studio facilities followed by a fireside conversation with industry leaders. The discussion will explore the evolving landscape of film production in British Columbia and the opportunities presented by Langley's expanding studio infrastructure.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Funding from the City of Langley will help cover event logistics, transportation between studio locations and hospitality costs. This support will allow the event to remain accessible to a broad audience and Langley residents, will help promote local businesses to attendees such as the two studio facilities and food and beverage businesses that will cater our event. This initiative will promote Langley as a destination for film production, support knowledge-sharing between industry professionals and emerging creatives, and contribute to the continued development of the city's creative economy.

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Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 100. This includes attendees, volunteers and employees of the businesses we help promote.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

12 (10 board members helping plan the event and 2 volunteers on site.)

Location of project or event:

Martini Film Studios and Lumiere Film Studios

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

In 2016 the Volunteer Cancer Drivers Society (VCDS) was founded on the belief that access to cancer treatment should not be an additional emotional and financial burden for patients and their families to deal with during the patient's life-threatening journey.

Our Vision is a ride to care for all cancer patients.

Our Mission is to serve cancer patients in need with compassionate and personalized transportation to care with community funding.

VCDS is committed to alleviating the physical, emotional and financial burdens faced by cancer patients in the communities we serve. By providing free, reliable transportation, VCDS helps ensure that no patient misses out on crucial treatment because they are unable to secure transportation. In order to help ensure that transportation to treatment is not a barrier for cancer patients in Greater Vancouver and the Fraser Valley, we provide free transportation to and from essential treatment appointments. This service is particularly crucial for patients who lack the means to travel independently and do not have support from family and friends. We also "fill in the gaps" for other patients when friends and family are unable to provide transportation to all treatments.

We operate across Greater Vancouver and the Fraser Valley; however, this application applies only to the service we provide to residents of Langley City.

Service Provided to the Community:

We are a volunteer-based charity, with one employee: our Executive Director, who oversees operations. Most of our volunteers are drivers, but they also fill roles as dispatchers and patient coordinators, as well as other areas of support.

We operate year-round, from January 2 to December 31, weekdays for appointments between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., except for statutory holidays.

Our volunteer drivers, using their own vehicles, transport patients from their homes to Lower Mainland and Fraser Valley cancer treatment facilities, wait for them during treatment and provide the return trip home. Healthcare specialists assign the patient to the appropriate care centre, and on average we provide each patient with 18 trips to and from treatment. Some patients require as many as 40-60 treatments or more. This is especially true of radiation treatment.

Our drivers demonstrate proof of a safe driving record and a criminal record check, and participate in a rigorous training and orientation program.

To request transportation to treatment, cancer patients call our dedicated phone line or use our website to provide contact and appointment details. Our volunteer Dispatchers confirm details and assign a volunteer driver, and our volunteer Patient Coordinators work with our patients to help with any scheduling or other issues that may need to be resolved. The volunteer driver confirms details with the patient, picks up the patient at their residence, transports them to their treatment, waits during treatment and returns the patient safely to their residence.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The Volunteer Cancer Drivers Society (VCDS) took shape in 2015 during a moment that called for courage, imagination, and community spirit. When the Canadian Cancer Society's longstanding ride program came to an end, it didn't close a chapter, it opened a remarkable opportunity. It created space for local volunteers to step forward, reimagine what compassionate support could look like, and build a service designed entirely around the needs of cancer patients.

Garth Pinton, one of three founding members, was prompted to take action and quickly brought together a small group of dedicated CCS volunteers to explore a solution. Among them were George Garrett, former CKNW investigative journalist, and John MacInnes, a community member deeply committed to the wellbeing of cancer patients. Together, Garth, George, and John became the

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founding team behind what would soon become the VCDS, a movement rooted in service, dignity, and neighbor-to-neighbor care.

In 2016, 95 volunteers provided the first 6,332 patient trips, logging 199,841 kilometres and donating 8,924 volunteer hours. Since then, VCDS has provided more than 219,000 patient trips, and volunteers have driven more than 6 million kilometres and donated more than 336,400 volunteer hours to serve patients from Horseshoe Bay to Harrison Hot Springs – all with community funding.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$2000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Budget - Langley City Cancer Transportation Program 2026

REVENUE (all unconfirmed except VCDS general revenue)

1	City grant	\$2,000	
2	Drivers and board members	\$8,900	
3	Patients and the public	\$4,000	
4	Royal Canadian Legion	\$2,500	
5	Rotary	\$1,000	
6	Provincial gaming grant allocation	\$6,000	
7	VCDS general revenue	\$22,676	
	Total Revenue	\$47,076	

EXPENSES

	Vehicle Expense Reimbursement*	\$29,625	
	Allocated Operations Support	\$5,839	
	Allocated Fundraising costs	\$8,217	
	Allocated Administration costs	\$3,395	
	Total Expenses	\$47,076	

*Available for all volunteer drivers to claim, as they use their personal vehicles to transport patients to and from their cancer treatments.

We respectfully request that a \$2,000 grant be used to offset the Vehicle Expense Reimbursement for our volunteer drivers. This allows the grant to be applied directly to operations.

Purpose of the grant:

In 2026 we project that we will provide 1,574 trips to and from treatment for 117 cancer patients living in Langley City. This will require our 50 volunteer drivers to travel 56,753 kilometres. They will contribute 2,187 volunteer hours to provide this level of service.

Our single largest expense is the \$0.52/kilometre vehicle reimbursement, which all volunteer drivers are entitled to claim. It is a testament to the generous nature of our drivers that they donate back to the society about 30% of this allowance each year.

In 2026, the vehicle expense reimbursement accounts for 62.93% of our total expenditures. For context, Fundraising costs are 12.4%, Operations support is 17.46% and Administration accounts for 7.2%.

In 2026, the vehicle reimbursement for our operations in Langley City is projected to be \$29,625. We respectfully request a community grant to help offset this cost, which directly enables us to keep our volunteer drivers on the road.

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Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Due to the debilitating effects of many cancer treatments, patients are usually unable to drive themselves to and from care, and for some patients, getting to treatment is a challenge. There are various root causes for this: frailty (the majority of our patients are seniors), isolation, finances, the frequency of treatment, which can make it difficult for friends and family to provide transportation to every treatment, or even treatment itself, which can leave patients feeling weak and unwell and therefore unable to drive. Distance to treatment, traffic congestion and the inability to find accessible parking at treatment centres are also areas of concern for our patients.

The vast majority of the patients we serve in Langley City need to travel to the Abbotsford Cancer Centre for treatment. In terms of age ranges served: in 2025, most patients were 71-80, with the next largest age group being 61-70, then 41-60. We served over 100 patients 81 to 85 and older.

We are committed to fostering a culture of inclusion across all areas of our organization and do not discriminate based on ethnicity, religion, language, nationality, gender identity or sexual orientation. We assist patients with limited mobility requiring the use of canes and walkers, mild cognitive impairment and other disabilities if accompanied by a responsible person. We welcome ALL cancer patients in need without question.

We also provide a rewarding volunteer experience, and a sense of community connection that comes from providing service to neighbours we have not yet met.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

117

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

50

Location of project or event:

Our program is available to cancer patients residing in Langley City. They are picked up and returned to their homes, but as mentioned above, most require transportation outside the city to access their cancer treatment.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Nothing is yet confirmed, but we will be requesting funding from the Royal Canadian Legion and from Rotary. We hope to receive \$3,500.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes
List of Executive Members: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes
Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Waceya Métis Society is a BC Registered Society serving Métis citizens and families within the City of Langley and surrounding areas. Our goal is to build belonging, strengthen cultural identity, and increase community connection through accessible, inclusive programming that positively impacts City residents.

Our objectives are to:

- Provide culturally grounded events that strengthen intergenerational relationships
- Increase youth engagement through leadership and hands on learning opportunities
- Support seniors through inclusive gatherings that reduce isolation
- Break down financial and social barriers by offering free community programming
- Build partnerships that enhance arts, culture, and community wellness within the City

Over the past two years, Waceya has delivered Family Day Sashing Ceremonies, Red River Cart workshops, youth cultural programs, seniors lunches, women's gatherings, drum making workshops, digital literacy sessions, citizenship days, and city wide youth events. Many of these have taken place within Langley and served City residents directly.

Our programming is volunteer supported, community driven, and open to all. We focus on one time events and project based initiatives that foster inclusion, cultural learning, and stronger community relationships within the City of Langley.

Service Provided to the Community:

Waceya Métis Society provides free, inclusive cultural, educational, and community building programming that directly benefits residents of the City of Langley.

Our services create safe and welcoming spaces for Métis families while also inviting the broader community to learn and participate. Through cultural workshops, youth engagement initiatives, seniors gatherings, and intergenerational events, we help reduce social isolation, increase cultural awareness, and strengthen neighbourhood connections.

Our programs address identified community needs, including:

- Affordable and free community events
- Youth leadership and mentorship opportunities
- Seniors engagement and connection
- Cultural education and reconciliation
- Inclusive, accessible gathering spaces

All programming extends service to the general public and does not exclude participants by race, religion, or ethnic background. Events are designed to be accessible, welcoming, and barrier free. By hosting events within City of Langley boundaries, we ensure residents can participate locally without transportation or financial barriers. Our work complements existing services in Langley by providing Métis specific cultural programming that is not otherwise widely available within the City.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Waceya Métis Society is a community based BC Registered Society that has served Métis citizens in Langley and surrounding areas for over 25 years. Founded to support Métis families living away from traditional homeland communities, Waceya has long provided cultural connection, advocacy, and community gathering opportunities.

In recent years, the Society has experienced significant growth and renewed momentum. Membership and engagement have expanded to nearly 1000 Métis citizens connected to the Langley area. With this growth has come increased demand for local, accessible programming within the City of Langley.

Over the past two years, Waceya has strengthened governance, expanded volunteer capacity, and delivered a wide range of successful community initiatives, including Family Day Sashing Ceremonies,

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Red River Cart building workshops, youth cultural programs, seniors lunches, women's gatherings, drum making workshops, digital literacy sessions, citizenship days, and city wide youth events. The Society operates under the Societies Act of British Columbia and is governed by an elected volunteer board. Waceya has demonstrated responsible financial oversight, strong community partnerships, and consistent event delivery that serves multi generational families. Today, Waceya plays a vital role in strengthening belonging, cultural connection, youth engagement, and inclusive community building within the City of Langley.

Grant Request

Organization Type:	Amount Requested:	In-Kind Requested:
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Waceya Métis Community Cultural Engagement Series 2026 to 2027

Project Duration

March 2026 through March 2027

Final evaluation report will be submitted to the City at project completion.

Proposed Allocation of Funding – Detailed Budget

Total Project Cost: 18,250

Requested from City: 10,000

Other Sources: 8,250

Expense Breakdown

Eight Week Fiddle Lesson Series – 2,500

Cultural Workshop Materials (beading, moccasins, medicine pouches, capotes) – 4,200

Neurodivergent and 2SLGBTQIA+ Webinars and Supported Family Programming – 2,400

Youth Outdoor Climate and Park Based Event Costs – 2,800

Seniors Monthly Meet Ups and Shared Meals – 3,500

Knowledge Keeper and Facilitator Honoraria – 2,200

Venue Rentals within City of Langley – 500

Accessibility and Inclusion Supports – 150

Other Funding Sources

Metis Nation BC Funding – 4,500

In kind volunteer labour – 3,750

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to deliver a defined Community Cultural Engagement Series within the City of Langley from March 2026 through March 2027. This project will provide structured, free, culturally grounded programming for youth, seniors, women, men, and neurodivergent and 2SLGBTQIA+ Waceya community members.

Waceya Métis Society has served Langley for over 25 years and now supports nearly 1000 Métis citizens connected to the region. With this growth has come increased demand for accessible programming delivered directly within City boundaries.

Each demographic group is represented by a Métis Leadership Council member working alongside our volunteer Board. Programming includes an eight week fiddle lesson series, cultural arts workshops such as beading, medicine pouches, moccasins and capotes, youth outdoor climate focused activities in local parks, seniors monthly gatherings, and inclusive neurodivergent family support webinars.

All activities are free and open to Waceya Metis Members and their family (Non metis langley residents). This grant supports materials, facilitator honoraria, venue use, and accessibility supports required to deliver this defined project period. The request does not fund ongoing operational costs.

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Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

This project strengthens community connection, cultural vitality, youth engagement, seniors participation, and inclusive access within the City of Langley.

Estimated impact includes 180 to 220 total participants over the project period, with approximately 120 to 150 City of Langley residents benefiting directly. The series includes 20 youth completing structured fiddle lessons, 30 seniors engaged through monthly gatherings, and 60 plus participants across women's, men's, and neurodivergent and 2SLGBTQIA+ programming. The project will be supported by 15 to 20 local volunteers.

The series reduces financial barriers by offering free participation and increases access to culturally specific programming that is not widely available within City boundaries. It supports mental wellness, intergenerational knowledge sharing, and community participation through volunteer leadership.

The project aligns with City goals by enhancing arts and culture, strengthening neighbourhood connection, supporting youth leadership, engaging seniors in meaningful roles, and promoting inclusive and accessible community programming. All activities will be delivered within accessible venues and parks in the City of Langley.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Estimated 700

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

25 to 30

Location of project or event:

Various accessible venues and parks within the City of Langley

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

We are not currently receiving financial support or sponsorship from the City of Langley. Waceya receives limited project based support through Métis Nation BC and community fundraising. Demand for programming within City of Langley has grown significantly, and this Community Grant would help us deliver the 2026 to 2027 Community Cultural Engagement Series locally, free of charge, while supplementing existing sources.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

We Africans Cultural Association of British Columbia

- Charity / Society [023AC2FA]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

To preserve, promote and celebrate the diverse cultures, traditions, languages, and values of African within British Columbia through cultural events, education, and community engagement.

Service Provided to the Community:

Organizing food drives for families in need, supporting homeless outreach initiatives, connecting newcomers with community resources

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Is a community based non-profit organization dedicated to promoting cultural preservation social inclusion, and community empowerment among Africans. The organization was established to create unified platform from diverse Africans backgrounds while supporting their successful integration into Canadian society.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$10000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Project: Youth Empowerment and Mentorship program

Type: Community Development and Educational initiative

Location: Langley, British Columbia

1 Program Venue & Logistics- \$2000

* Venue rental for workshops and mentorship sessions--- \$1,400

* Tables, chairs, and setup --- \$300

* Insurance, permits, and facility fees --- \$300

2 Educational Programming --- \$ 2,500

* Honorarium for guest speakers, mentors, and facilitators --- \$1,500

* Training materials and workshop resources --- \$600

* Audio-visual equipment rental --- \$1000

3 Youth support & participation ---- 1,800

* participant learning kits and supplies --- \$700

* Transportation support for youth participants --- \$600

* Meals and non-alcoholic refreshments --- \$1000

4 Outreach & community Engagement ---- \$ 1,100

* program promotion (flyers, printing, social media outreach) ---- \$400

* Community engagement activities and networking session --- \$400

* Program branding, signage, and materials --- \$300

5 Administration & operations ---- \$1,100

* Volunteer coordination and support --- \$400

* Administrative supplies and printing --- \$300

* Monitoring, evaluation, and reporting --- \$200

* Contingency (unforeseen expenses) --- \$200

Total Project Budget: 10000

Program Purpose

This funding will support a structured youth empowerment and mentorship initiative designed to equip youth in our community with leadership skills, career guidance, cultural identity awareness, and

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positive community connections through workshops, mentorship sessions, and community engagement activities.

Purpose of the grant:

The purpose of this grant is to support the implementation of a youth empowerment and mentorship program designed to provide youth in our community with access to positive role models, leadership development opportunities, and skills - building resources. funding will enable the organization to deliver structured workshop, mentorship sessions, and community engagement activities that promote personal growth, educational motivation, and social inclusion. This initiative addresses barriers faced by youth, including limited access to mentorship, reduced opportunities for leadership development, and challenges related to cultural identity and community integration. Through targeted programming, the project will foster confidence, resilience, and community belonging while equipping participants with practical life and career skills. Grant funding will directly support program delivery, participant support, educational resources, and community outreach, ensuring accessible and meaningful participation for youth and their families. Ultimately, the program aims to build a strong foundation for future community leaders and contribute to the long term social and economic well being of the broader community.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

If approved, this grant will support a youth empowerment and mentorship program that delivers measurable social and educational benefits for youth in our community led by We Africans Cultural Association of British Columbia, the initiative will provide structured workshops, and leadership development opportunities for our youth, fostering confidence, resilience, and positive community engagement. The program advances municipal priorities related to youth development, diversity and inclusion, and community well being by creating safe, supportive spaces where young people can form constructive relationships with mentors and peers. By strengthening participants sense of belonging and civic responsibility, the initiative helps reduce social isolation and encourages active participation in community life.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 60 residents will directly benefit from the program, including youth participants, mentors, and volunteers. An additional 120 community members are expected to benefit indirectly through family engagement and community participation activities.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

Approximately 12

Location of project or event:

The program will be delivered in city of Langley, British Columbia, at a local community Centre or public facility accessible to youth participants and families. Specific venue details will be confirmed upon program approval and scheduling.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

Yorkson-Willoughby Community Group

Our neighborhood is strongest when we're connected, informed, and looking out for one another. This group was created to bring Yorkson-Willoughby residents together, whether you've lived here for years or just moved in. My goal is to promote a sense of community by sharing helpful information, highlighting local events, and creating a space where neighbors can support each other.

I'm committed to fostering open communication and encouraging stewardship within our community. That means celebrating the people and places that make Yorkson-Willoughby special, promoting initiatives that keep our neighborhood safe and vibrant, and making sure everyone feels welcome to participate. From updates about local services to reminders about community care, this group is here to help us stay connected and informed.

Most importantly, this space is to build trust and genuine friendship. When neighbors know one another, we create a stronger, more resilient community—one where people feel comfortable asking questions, offering help, and sharing ideas.

Service Provided to the Community:

Community support.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

Created in 2012

Grant Request

Organization Type:

Neighbourhood Group

Amount Requested:

\$500

In-Kind Requested:

\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Summer neighborhood BBQ event at Lynn Fripps Community park

Purpose of the grant:

To help bring the community together, meet community members. Invitations sent to local MLAs and Township councilors.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Community cohesion.

This is something that has been lost due to the massive influx of construction and densification of the community.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

5,907 community members

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

2-5

Location of project or event:

Lynn Fripps Community Park

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	No	Recent AGM:	No
List of Executive Members:	No	Registered Society Systems:	No

YWCA British Columbia (formerly YWCA Metro Vancouver)

- Charity / Society [023DE15C]

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

YWCA British Columbia (formerly YWCA Metro Vancouver) advances gender equity alongside women, families, Two-Spirit and gender diverse people through advocacy and integrated services that help support personal, collective and economic well-being. We boldly envision a just and equitable world for women, families and allies and we continue to expand our services and reach with innovative programs and advocacy to address the root causes of inequality.

YWCA has outlined three overarching organizational goals and the accompanying activities for achieving transformational impact.

- 1) We lead in participant-centred integrated programs and services. Guided by the needs of the people we serve, we empower and strengthen communities in our province by providing a hub model of integrated, accessible programs and services to support multiple aspects of people's lives. These include affordable housing for single mothers and women leaving abuse, early learning and child care, mentorship programs, legal services, employment supports, violence prevention programs, and support services for single mothers.
- 2) We advocate for change to discriminatory systems and oppressive cultural norms by educating the public and influencing policy. To guide this work, we listen to participants and frontline employees, collaborate with allied organizations and are committed to fostering deeper relationships with host First Nations.
- 3) We unite as an inclusive, responsive and thriving organization. As a complex organization with multiple social enterprises and many branches of service delivery, we invest in the people and systems who make our work possible to achieve long-term sustainability and success.

Service Provided to the Community:

YWCA British Columbia (YWCA) offers 86 programs and services in 53 locations throughout Metro Vancouver and the Fraser Valley, reaching tens of thousands annually, with hundreds more supported online.

The services provided in Langley include affordable housing, employment supports, and support services for single mothers.

YWCA Fraser Gardens is an affordable housing community for single mothers in Langley City. Since 2002, Fraser Gardens has provided 20 units of below market rent for single-mother families. Also, in February 2026, YWCA opened YWCA Peggy MacKenzie Terrace, a 47-unit, affordable housing community for single-mothers in Langley Township.

Additionally, YWCA offers two free employment services to city of Langley residents. First is YWCA Employment Navigator which helps single mothers access resources and education for pre-employment and employment, empowering them with the tools and skills necessary to overcome barriers and achieve financial independence for their families. The other program is YWCA Health Connect which supports internationally Trained Health Care Professionals obtain their certification and gain employment.

Furthermore, YWCA delivers Single Mothers' Support Services (SMSS) for free in Langley. Each year hundreds of single mothers contact SMSS for individualized assistance and referrals from YWCA Family Support Workers. This direct service connects women to essential resources that enhance stability and overall well-being. Included in SMSS are two peer-support groups: YWCA Baby and Me in Langley City and YWCA Single Mothers' Support Group (SMSG) in Langley Township. These groups provide a flexible, trauma-informed, participant-led space where mothers can build community, pursue personal goals and share lived experiences.

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Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

YWCA has been serving the community since 1897, initially offering women and girls housing and services as they sought opportunities and employment in Canada.

With each passing decade, we continue to expand our services and reach with innovative programs and advocacy to address the root causes of inequality. YWCA participants often live at the intersection of one or more identities, including women, Indigenous and racialized peoples, those with disabilities, 2SLGBTQIA+ people, youth and newcomers. Many have experienced marginalization, systemic oppression and violence.

Recent Accomplishments:

Housing: YWCA currently provides affordable housing for over 800 mothers and children across 21 affordable housing communities in Metro Vancouver and the Fraser Valley. Between December 2025 and February 2026, we opened 4 low-income and second-stage housing communities for women fleeing violence, adding 126 new units for single mother-led families, including YWCA Peggy MacKenzie Terrace in Langley Township.

\$10 a Day Early Learning and Child Care: Thanks to provincial funding, nearly all four of our early learning and child care centres currently operate \$10 a day spaces. We will be opening a fifth centre in 2026. In 2024, 283 children received quality care at YWCA early learning and child care centres.

Skill Development and Employment Opportunities: 1,555 job seekers received employment support through 23 specialized YWCA employment programs. An additional 5,701 people accessed job search assistance through the WorkBC Employment Services Centres operated by the YWCA.

Mentorship Programs: YWCA added Engage Mentorship Program that connects YWCA employment program alumni with mentors from a variety of industries, to expand their professional network, access knowledge and guidance and explore career pathways and employment opportunities.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$5000	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Your contribution will support the delivery of SMSS for City of Langley residents, including the peer-support groups, YWCA Baby and Me (offered in partnership with Langley Community Services Society) and SMSG. The total annual cost to offer SMSS free of charge to City of Langley residents including both programs in 2026–27 is approximately \$81,952.

A \$5,000 grant will directly offset essential program costs, including program supplies (\$9,391) and bus vouchers (\$776). These expenses are critical inclusion and access; they reduce barriers to participation and ensure consistent attendance. Program supplies include, but are not limited to, child care so mothers can fully engage in facilitated discussions, as well as nutritious snacks for mothers and children. Bus vouchers ensure transportation is not a barrier for women experiencing financial hardship.

YWCA Single Mothers' Support Services (SMSS)

April 1, 2026 - March 31, 2027 Draft Budget

Salaries and Benefits \$27,491

Purchased Services (group facilitators, workshop presenters) \$9,769

Program Supplies (including child minding, food purchases, learning materials, special events, etc.) \$9,391

Bus Tickets \$776

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Grocery Gift Cards for Participants & Community	\$5,970
Administration (postage and telephone)	\$267
Insurance	\$146
Marketing	\$142
Staff and Volunteer Development	\$1,131
Equipment	\$396
Sustainability Fund*	\$6,119
Accounting, HR, IT, Communications, Fund Raising and Purchasing Support	\$20,355
Total	\$81,952

*A Fund to support the long-term sustainability of the YWCA and ensure the long-term viability of programs supporting women and children living in poverty.

Purpose of the grant:

This grant will support SMSS for City of Langley residents including the delivery of Baby and Me and SMSG, providing safe, facilitated spaces where single mothers can build connection, reduce isolation and access coordinated supports.

Baby and Me is a specialized group dedicated to pregnant and first-time mothers with children under the age of two and SMSG is a general group for mothers with children of any age. In both groups, eight-12 women meet weekly. Instead of following a curriculum, each session is tailored to the needs and interests of its participants. Discussions and workshops address topics such as food security, housing stability, safety, parenting, finances, and pathways to education and employment.

In addition to discussions, all participants have access to YWCA wraparound supports including YWCA Employment Navigator workshops, career advisors, YWCA post-secondary education bursaries, mental health and wellness supports, assistance completing rental applications, priority for YWCA's \$10/day Early Learning and Care Centres, income tax clinics, relationship workshops and legal workshops delivered by YWCA Staff Lawyers.

This grant will help fund supports that reduce barriers to group participation and increase inclusion.

This includes transit vouchers, nutritious snacks and child care during meetings, to ensure women can access the program regularly and engage fully with peace of mind.

By creating a safe space that integrates peer connection, resource navigation and practical tools to improve overall well-being, this investment strengthens economic security and promotes long-term stability for single-mother-led families in Langley, contributing to healthier children, stronger community connections and more resilient households.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Single mothers are among the most economically vulnerable members of our community, often facing poverty, lost wages, food insecurity, and systemic inequities beyond their control. The goal of Langley SMSS is to reduce the inequities faced by single mothers in by: 1. Increasing mothers' personal capacity to achieve goals and navigate challenges, 2. Increasing opportunities and well-being for mothers and their children, and 3. Improving mothers' financial stability.

The program directly aligns with City goals related to inclusion, accessibility, community safety and economic resilience by delivering low-barrier, trauma-informed supports that respond to local needs. Services are designed to remove financial and social barriers, ensuring equitable access for women facing systemic challenges.

YWCA uses a performance-based accountability framework to collect quantitative and qualitative feedback from participants through surveys to measure our achievements.

Benefits to the community and program objects that will be met if the grant is improved include:

- Satisfaction with support groups

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- Making positive steps in improving their lives and the lives of their children because of participation in the group
- Increased confidence or self-esteem
- Progress towards building a better support network
- Improved interpersonal and communication skills
- Reduced social isolation
- Learned ways to improve physical and mental health
- Progress made toward employment or education goals
- Improved their financial situation (e.g., better at managing finances, better informed, or gained tools)
- Improved housing and/or ability to resolve a housing-related issue or crisis
- Increased sense of financial well-being or knowledge

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

Approximately 16–24 City of Langley single mothers will directly benefit from participation in support groups along with approximately 38 children. Additional local families will access SMSS to receive individualized one-to-one support and resource navigation. Annually, SMSS assists around 300 single mothers across Metro Vancouver and the Fraser Valley, reflecting sustained community need and SMSS's role in filling a critical gap in coordinated supports that strengthen family well-being.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

SMSS aims to engage 2-4 volunteers annually. Mothers who graduate from the program are encouraged to become peer facilitators. SMSS also collaborates with community partners including Langley Inter-Agency, Langley Community Services, Willow Family Life Ce

Location of project or event:

YWCA Baby and Me
 Langley Community Services Society
 5339 207 Street
 Langley, BC V3A 2E6
 YWCA Single Mothers' Support Group
 Heritage House at Willoughby Elementary
 20766 80 Ave, Langley Twp, BC V2Y 1X6
 YWCA Single Mothers' Support Services – by phone or

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

The following donors provided funding in support the entire YWCA Single Mothers' Support Services Program servicing Metro Vancouver and the Fraser Valley in 2025-26. We will be asking them to continue their support towards the overall 2026-27 budget. Any money awarded from this grant would only go towards the services provided in Langley (not the overall program).

Vancouver Community College Faculty Association
 iA Financial Group
 Catherine Boivie
 Honda Canada Foundation
 Randall Foundation
 Cause We Care Foundation
 Mirhady Family Fund
 Robert and Lori Gritten
 Dinyar Marzban
 YWCA Canada

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Don & Joan Stanley Fund (at the Edmonton Community Foundation)

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: Yes

Recent AGM: Yes

List of Executive Members: Yes

Registered Society Systems: Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

For more than 20 years, Zajac Ranch has ensured that no child or young adult—regardless of medical complexity, developmental differences, or financial barriers—is excluded from the joys and developmental benefits of summer camp. Our mission is to operate an accessible, innovative, and inclusive camp for children and young adults with complex medical conditions who would otherwise have limited recreational options. Guided by our philosophy Empower, Embrace, Experience, our programs are intentionally designed to foster confidence, independence, friendship, and lifelong skills. Each summer, we deliver 10 weeks of structured, adaptive programming where campers build social, emotional, creative, and physical capabilities in a safe, medically supported environment.

We welcome campers from across British Columbia—including many children and youth from Langley City—who take part in inclusive activities such as horseback riding, swimming, ropes courses, kayaking, arts and crafts, accessible hiking, and sensory friendly programming. Facilities are designed so campers of all abilities can participate fully. On average, 27 of 55 weekly hours focus on physical activity, helping campers develop healthy habits that continue well beyond camp.

A core component of accessibility at Zajac Ranch is the Zajac Campership Allowance Program (est. 2006). Every family receives a 50% fee subsidy, with up to 100% available based on need—ensuring cost is never the barrier for children and young who would benefit from a week of medically supported, life changing camp.

Service Provided to the Community:

Founded in 2004, Zajac Ranch is one of British Columbia's only inclusive, medically supported summer camps for young people with serious illness, disabilities, and complex care needs. Located on the shores of Stave Lake in Mission, the Ranch was established to create lasting impact for children who require specialized supports not available in traditional recreational settings.

Over the past two decades, Zajac Ranch has welcomed close to 10,000 campers, including many from Langley City, who rely on our programs for safe, enriching summer experiences. Our fully accessible facilities—including a 24-hour medical centre, equestrian centre, accessible pool, ropes courses, waterfront programming, sensory-friendly spaces, and creative arts areas—ensure that every camper can participate fully, regardless of ability.

Key accomplishments include building one of BC's few camp environments that integrates therapeutic recreation and medical care; maintaining high support ratios with 2:1 and 1:1 staffing available; and sustaining the Zajac Campership Allowance Program (since 2006), which guarantees a minimum 50% subsidy for all families, with up to 100% available based on need.

In 2026, Zajac Ranch is deepening its focus on program quality and long-term outcomes by enhancing staff training to support increasingly complex medical and behavioural needs, strengthening trauma-informed and inclusion-focused practices, and refining programming to increase camper choice and adaptability. These enhancements ensure we continue delivering safe, high-quality experiences that families and communities trust.

Today, Zajac Ranch remains a vital resource for children and youth who deserve the opportunity to belong, grow, and thrive.

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Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Charity / Society	\$7600	\$Nil

Proposed allocation of funding:

Zajac Ranch

2026 Program Budget - Medical Summer Camp:

Revenue:

Provincial - BC Gaming Grant	\$225,000
Federal Government - Canada Summer Jobs Grant	40,000
Camper fees Paid By families*	188,000
Camper fees - Paid by Autism Funding Unit*	206,800
Camp Revenue - Medical Partnerships	55,000
Donations : Corporations	37,500
Donations : Foundations	84,000
Donations : Individuals	53,000
Total Revenue***	\$889,300
Expenditure:	
Program Delivery (incl. salaries & benefits)	\$420,000
Rent and Utilities**	161,000
Facility Maintenance and Management	114,550
Insurance	50,000
Other Program Costs (incl. Medical supplies & equipment)	40,000
Food for Campers	45,000
Livestock Expense	30,000
Office Expense/Bank Charges & Interest	9,000
Accounting & Legal	6,750
Advertising & Promotion	8,000
Travel (out-of-province campers)	5,000
Total Expenditure	\$889,300

* Total Camp registration revenues are based on 400 campers attending 2026 Medical Summer Camp from June to August 2026.

** Rent is paid to a related party.

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*** None of the revenue is guaranteed at this point, though we expect many annual contributors to donate in 2026.

Purpose of the grant:

This grant will ensure Langley City children and youth with diverse medical and developmental needs can access a safe, inclusive, and medically supported week at Zajac Ranch—regardless of family finances. We are requesting support to subsidize camp fees for Langley residents through the Zajac Campership Allowance Program, which automatically covers 50% of fees for every family and provides up to 100% based on demonstrated financial need.

Last summer, nine children from Langley City attended Zajac Ranch, and each one of them was able to participate thanks to the fee subsidies made possible by Langley City's generous Community Grant. With the cost of camp increasing from \$1,680 to \$1,880 per camper, this support remains essential in ensuring that financial barriers never stand in the way of a child's opportunity to experience this unique, medically supported camp environment.

For the upcoming season, we are respectfully requesting \$7,600 to ensure that eight Langley children can receive a 50% subsidy, directly offsetting half the cost of camp for families in your community.

This investment empowers local young people to grow in confidence, build friendships, and take part in experiences they may not otherwise have access to—while offering caregivers meaningful respite and reinforcing community well-being.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Zajac Ranch delivers clear benefits to Langley City by expanding equitable access to safe, inclusive, and medically supported recreation—services that remain limited for children and young adults with complex medical needs. Each year, Langley campers attend our 10-week program and return home with increased confidence, stronger peer relationships, and healthier routines—outcomes that positively impact family well-being, school engagement, and long-term community participation. In partnership with Langley City, we provide fully accessible, specialized recreation that ensures children of all abilities can participate safely and meaningfully. Our curriculum strengthens social, emotional, creative, and physical development, with 27 of 55 weekly program hours dedicated to adaptive physical activity. All facilities and programming are designed to remove barriers and promote inclusion.

Affordability is central to our model. With 50–100% fee support available, financial hardship is never a reason a Langley child cannot attend. Last summer, nine local campers received subsidy support—demonstrating tangible, community-level impact.

By supporting Zajac Ranch, Langley advances key City objectives around health equity, accessibility, and inclusive community building—helping foster a healthier, more connected, and welcoming community for children and youth of all abilities.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

This grant will ensure that up to eight Langley children with complex medical needs can experience a safe, joyful, and fully supported week at Zajac Ranch. Your investment directly opens the door to life-changing summer experiences for local families who otherwise could not access specialized camp programs.

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

We welcome approximately 45 volunteers each camp season from across the Lower Mainland, including dedicated individuals from the Langley community. These local volunteers help create safe, inclusive, and memorable camp experiences for children and youth w

Location of project or event:

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Although Zajac Ranch is nestled along the shores of Stave Lake in Mission, BC, our campers join us from every corner of the province—from Southern and Northern BC to the Okanagan, the Interior, and across the Lower Mainland.

Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

Zajac Ranch sustains its programs through a diverse, community driven funding model that blends public support, charitable contributions, grants, fundraising events, and earned revenue. Each year, operating funds include government programs such as the BC Gaming Grant and the Canada Summer Jobs Grant, alongside applications to foundations and community organizations that share our commitment to accessible, medically supported recreation.

To ensure long term stability—and to keep camp within reach for families—Zajac Ranch undertakes year round fundraising, including third party events, luncheons, and our annual gala. These efforts help maintain inclusive programming and support the staffing, training, and resources required to meet complex medical and developmental needs.

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements:	Yes	Recent AGM:	Yes
List of Executive Members:	Yes	Registered Society Systems:	Yes

Organization Profile

Organization Goals, Objectives, & Activities:

At Connect'd Men, we believe true strength lies in vulnerability. This is a space where men can slow down, open up, and reconnect—with themselves and with each other. Our mission is to create a safe environment where men can explore their emotions freely, without judgment, and build deeper, more meaningful connections.

Service Provided to the Community:

Connect'd Men meeting is designed to help you reconnect with your emotional self. Our format ensures consistency while allowing space for personal growth:

Mindfulness/Meditation: We start each meeting with a mindfulness practice to help everyone center and be present.

Check-ins: Each man is invited to check in with his physical and emotional state, sharing how he feels in the moment—without needing to explain or justify.

Themes and Deep Dives: Weekly themes guide our discussions, but you're always free to explore what's most present for you.

Check-outs and Takeaways: We close by checking in again with how we feel, acknowledging any shifts, and reflecting on the evening's discussion.

In person meetings will be held every other Wednesday from 6:30PM to 8:00PM.

Profile and history of the organization and its accomplishments:

The group was started in Edmonton AB in 2018. We currently have online meetings twice a month. Also, we have an in person group in Williams Lake.

Grant Request

<u>Organization Type:</u>	<u>Amount Requested:</u>	<u>In-Kind Requested:</u>
Neighbourhood Group	\$0	\$0

Proposed allocation of funding:

No cost

Purpose of the grant:

Looking for help in finding a venue that can host 12 to 15 people for 1.5 hours twice a month.

Benefits to Community (or City goals and objectives that will be met):

Connect'd Men is about creating a supportive space where men can practice emotional mastery and reconnect with their authentic selves. This is a free service.

Just like physical fitness requires regular exercise, emotional fitness demands consistent attention and care. Unfortunately, many men neglect this vital aspect of their well-being. Connect'd Men provides the "gym" you need to strengthen your emotional and mental fitness, equipping you to show up as your best self in all areas of life.

Number of City of Langley residents benefiting from this grant:

This is open to anyone in the lower mainland

Number of local volunteers (if applicable):

N/A

Location of project or event:

TBD looking for help on a venue

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Current financial support or sponsorship from others in community:

NA

Submission Details

Recent Financial Statements: No

Recent AGM: No

List of Executive Members: No

Registered Society Systems: No