

PRESENTATION

Prepared for Interior Region Townhall
Branch 55 Seniors Centre
150 Gray Road, Kelowna BC
on September 26, 2015

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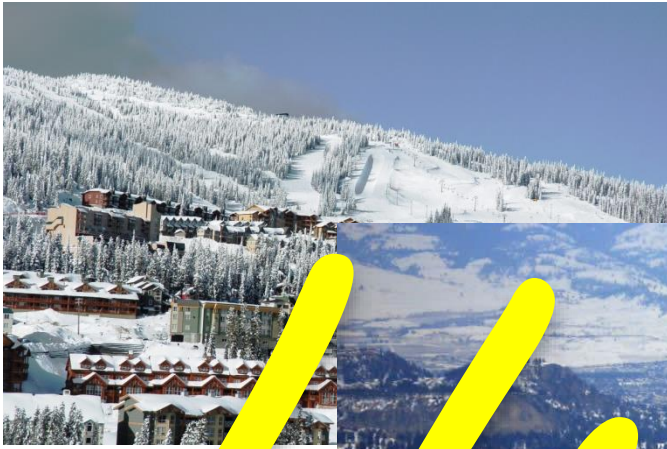
The main purpose of this presentation was:

1. to give the report of the finances and activities to the Deaf in the Interior Region and
2. to encourage the local associations of the Deaf on Vancouver Island to apply for grants.




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Deaf
Community
Foundation
of BC



Hi!





Presentation for Interior Region
Branch 55 Seniors Centre, 150 Gray Road, Kelowna BC

AGENDA

- 1.) Introductions
- 2.) PowerPoint
 - a. financial reporting and activities
 - b. governing body & management
 - clarification of DCF roles
 - Association vs. Foundation
 - c. grant application
 - d. grant recipients
- 3.) Others
- 4.) Questions / Concerns

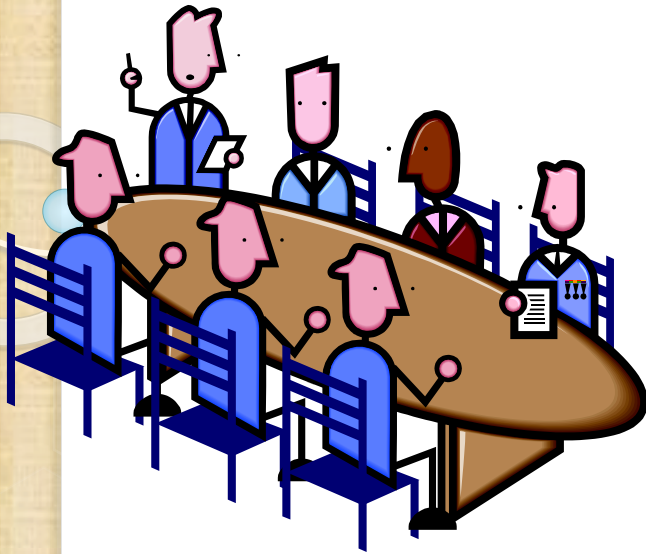


Report
of
Finances
and
Activities

PORTFOLIO BALANCE GROWTH RATES

- DEC 2006: up by 8.1%
- DEC 2007: up by 0.3%
- DEC 2008: down by 12.8%
- DEC 2009: up by 8.5%
- DEC 2010: up by 5.8%
- DEC 2011: down by 1.1%
- DEC 2012: up by 3.5%
- DEC 2013: up by 8.4%
- DEC 2014: up by 8.9%

Up by 1.1% after 8 months since January 2015
or 83% since it's inception (after expenditures)



GOVERNING BODY & MANAGEMENT

Board Directors

The Board shall have at least one Director from each of the four regions of British Columbia.

The regions shall be:

Lower Mainland
Vancouver Island
Interior
and North.



Board Directors

Alison Anderson

Assadali Bachoo

Nigel Howard

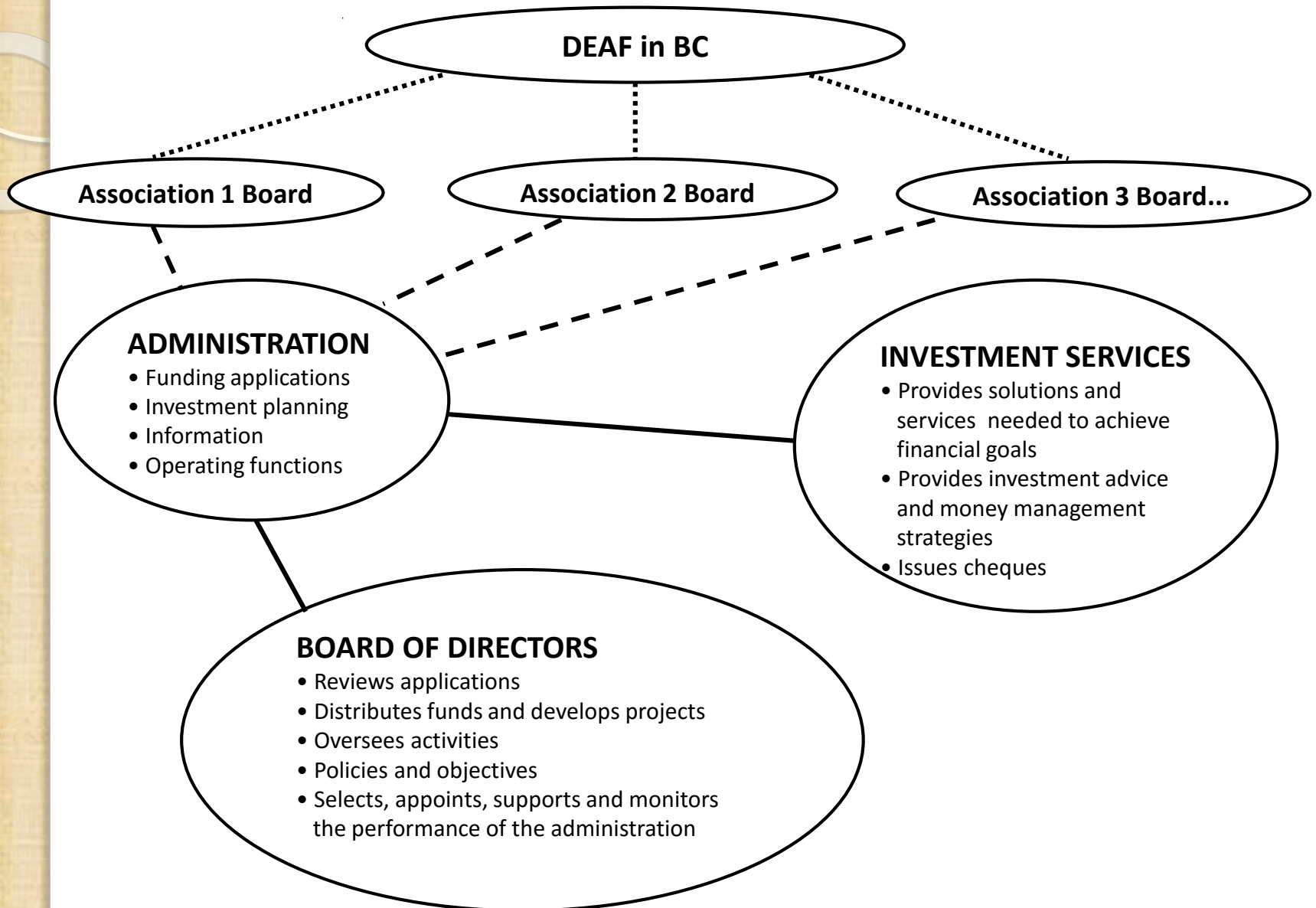
Tim Lane

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Gordon Rattray

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Communication and Application Chart



Association

- Who:
A group of people
- What for:
Same interest in activity; advocacy; recreation; or the like
- Example:
BCSD Alumni Association of the Deaf (BCSDAA); Northern Interior Association of the Deaf (NIAD); Northern Interior Association of the Deaf (NIAD); Greater Vancouver Association of the Deaf (GVAD)

Foundation

- Who:
A legal categorization of non-profit organizations
- What for:
Holding and managing monies for distributions or donations to support associations
- Example:
BC Deaf Scholarship Trust (formerly JHLT); Central Okanagan Foundation (Kelowna); Deaf Foundation of BC; Law Foundation BC; United Way and many more

Foundation — Distribution → Associations (Beneficiaries)

ABOUT THE FOUNDATION

- The Deaf Community Foundation of BC is a private foundation incorporated in 1999 to hold monies for safekeeping and earning for Deaf British Columbians.
- The Foundation's primary objectives are to support, promote and encourage the development of projects that benefit Deaf British Columbians.
- The Foundation funded activities provide a service directly linked and related to the community, or initiatives allowing the community to address any issues affecting Deaf British Columbians.

OBJECTIVES

- To support and to promote the well-being of the Deaf;
- To contribute to the betterment and the enhancement of the social, cultural, and educational activities of the Deaf;
- To preserve and to promote Deaf heritage, culture, and language.

BELIEFS

- The cultural and linguistic preservation of Deafhood;
- Encouraging the development of volunteer opportunities for the enhancement of individual skills;
- Working partnerships that respect the dignity and independence of participants;
- Educating and working together to find strong and proactive solutions for the community's overall betterment and wellbeing;
- Supporting new and creative avenues addressing the needs of socio-economically disadvantaged Deaf individuals/groups.

AUDIT?



**DONE BY RBC-DS
INTERNALLY**

**NO EXTERNAL
BANKING ACCOUNTS
ASIDE RBC-DS**

Grant Applications



WHO CAN APPLY
FOR GRANT
FUNDS?

WHO CAN APPLY

- Associations with charitable registration numbers and other qualified applicant(s) under the Income Tax Act can apply for funding.
- Organizations who apply for funding must show fiscal responsibility, accountability and good management of their organization.
- Fifty-one percent (51%) of the board members should be Deaf.
- ***The Foundation does NOT award money to individuals for personal use.***

FUNDING MAY BE GRANTED FOR:

- * Arts and Culture
- * Educational Workshops
- * Health and Welfare
- * Information Network
- * Literacy
- * Women's Issues
- * Youth Activities
- * Advocacy

THE APPLICATION PROCESS

If your organization meets the requirements to apply for funding, complete the application form and send it to the Foundation **at least 12 weeks** prior your project's start date to allow time for the Foundation to review your application

Applicants are invited to send their proposals any time throughout the year.



Deaf Community Foundation of BC

GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Welcome to the Deaf Community Foundation of BC. In order to request a grant, please complete and email your application form to the Program Manager for action.

To avoid any delay in the process of your application, complete all fields highlighted in: 

You can save data typed into this form.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING APPLICANT ORGANIZATION

Organization name: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

City: [REDACTED]

Province: **BC** Postal Code: [REDACTED]

Contact Name: [REDACTED]

Title: [REDACTED]

Email Address: [REDACTED]

Registered Charity No.: [REDACTED]

B.C. Society No.: [REDACTED]

Your organization Board has 51% or more Deaf members? **Yes or No**

Board of Directors list attached? **Yes or No**

Annual Report attached? **Yes or No**

2. APPLICATION SUMMARY: (Use extra paper if you require more space)

Project Title: [REDACTED]

Time Length from: (dd month yyyy) to: (dd month yyyy)

Project description: [REDACTED]

Explain why project is needed: [REDACTED]

For what items the grant request used: [REDACTED]

Involve other associations and/or agencies in project? **Yes or No**

If yes, names of associations and/or agencies: [REDACTED]

Number of Participants: [REDACTED]

Ages: Children? **Yes or No** Teenage? **Yes or No** Youth? **Yes or No**

Adults? **Yes or No** Seniors? **Yes or No**

Total Project Budget: \$ [REDACTED]

Project Budget Summary attached? **Yes or No**

Amount Requested: \$ [REDACTED]

3. SIGNATURES

When submitted, you certify that the information given on this form and in any documents attached is correct.

Board Representative:

Title:

Contact Person:

Title:

Date:

4. EMAILING ADDRESS: DeafFoundationofBC@gmail.com



**WHO OR WHAT
GROUPS HAVE
BEEN RECIPIENTS
OF THE GRANT
FUNDS?**

As of August 16, 2015 (# of grants received)

Annual Job Readiness Program Leadership Project at VCC
BC Association of the Deaf-Blind
BC Cultural Society of the Deaf (3)
BC Deaf Scholarship Trust (formerly Jericho Hill Legacy Trust)
BC Deaf Sports Federation
BC Rainbow Alliance of the Deaf (2)
BC School for the Deaf (7)
BC School for the Deaf Alumni Association (2)
Bright Place for Deaf Women
Canadian Deaf Women's Conference 2007
Deaf Canada Conference Vancouver '10 Society
Deaf Indo-Canadian Organization
Greater Vancouver Association of the Deaf (3)
Happy Hands Club for Deaf Seniors
Mid-Island Association of the Deaf
Northern Interior Association of the Deaf (3)
Norwest Deaf Outdoors Club
Okanagan Valley Association of the Deaf (3)
South Vancouver Island Association of the Deaf
Trinity Lutheran Church of the Deaf
And others

Eleven Grants Distributed Since January 2014

1. Norwest Deaf Outdoors Club
2. BC Cultural Society of the Deaf
3. BC School for the Deaf
4. BCSD Alumni Association
5. Trinity Lutheran Church of the Deaf
6. VCC – Job Readiness Program
7. BC School for the Deaf
8. Happy Hands Club
9. BC School for the Deaf
10. BCSD Alumni Association
11. BC Deaf Sports Federation

In-Process Requests

BC Rainbow Alliance of the Deaf
Deaf Youth British Columbia
BC Cultural Society of the Deaf



DEAF
COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION
IS **YOURS**

FEEDBACK,
SUGGESTIONS
& SOLUTIONS




CONCERNS
TRANSPARENCY
COMMUNICATION
ACCOUNTABILITY
ROLES

EXPLANATION
&
CLARIFICATION



Thank You Letters Received

Stacy #24
#24
EAW #19
Barney
#1
Lisa M...
Principal, BC





BURNABY SOUTH SECONDARY SCHOOL
at
THE BC PROVINCIAL SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF



Alison Anderson, Presi
Deaf Community Foun
2134 West 32nd Ave,
Vancouver, BC
V6L 2A9
April 15, 2015

Dear Alison and Board

On behalf of H
will be put to good use

Once again, th
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Happy... Club presi

3/24/14

Alison Anderson
President
Deaf Community Foundation
2134 West 32nd Avenue
Vancouver, BC, V6L 2A9

Dear Alison & Board Members

The Okanagan Valley Association of the Deaf wishes to thank the Deaf Community Foundation of BC for its kind and generous support of our FoodSafe course. Your grant of \$2,000 was put to good use and the surplus will be put to good use as well. This course was attended by 15 people from the Deaf community. Interpreters were provided by the Okanagan College, which was the site of the course.

8 people passed the course, and 7 failed. Those 7 can take one free re-test at their own convenience at the Continuing Studies Office of Okanagan College by appointment. However, the course being an all-day session of 6 hours, we all learned a lot. Apparently there's more material in the course and the test is tougher than before.

Once again, the Deaf Community Foundation has come to our assistance with a very much appreciated grant that benefits the Deaf of the Okanagan area.

Paul Landry
Paul J. Landry
President

Board Members,
unity to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude for
For our school lunch event, Cinco de Mayo on Monday 5th,
sican army's victory over the French army at the Battle of
support of this event made it possible for all the BCSD
and enjoy a delicious 'Mexican' lunch. After lunch the
at the pilsner. Everyone had a good time!
support of BCSD. It is with the help of your generous
earn about important historical events like Cinco de Mayo.

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THANKS Thanks *thank*
KS Thanks *You* thank *
ANKS A LOT *THANKS
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Deaf Foundation of 5/13/2015
ish Columbia,
I'd like to thank you for
generous donation of
for our BC Dance on
18th. We appreciate all of
support! Thank You!
XSD Student Council 2014-2015

How we welcome!



INFORMATION

Application forms,
Guidelines, Reports,
Contact us and others
can be found in

www.deafbcfoundation.ca



Any Questions?





Best wishes to
all of you for a
healthy and
enjoyable
fall season.

ONE for ALL
ALL for ONE

THANK YOU