

# **About Fundy Community Foundation**

Established in 1993, **Fundy Community** Foundation is one of almost 200 community foundations in Canada today. We serve rural southwestern New Brunswick, connecting our donors and others to community needs and opportunities. Together, we invest in building strong and resilient places to live, work, and play.

# Our Mission

To improve the quality of life for rural southwestern New Brunswick through developing endowment funds, making responsible grants, and fostering community leadership

# **Our Vision**

An empowered, vibrant community

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In the spirit of reconcilitation, we acknowledge that we live, work, and play on the unceded traditional territory of the Peskotomuhkhati people.

# Message from the Chair

This past year marked thirty years of community for the Fundy Community Foundation. To celebrate, we did what we've always done: supported community service organizations by connecting donors to the causes most meaningful to them!

We are very grateful for everyone who helped us disburse more to local groups than ever before. In 2023 we were able to support 66 deserving organizations with total grants and scholarships of \$447,885.

In addition to our usual granting, we were also responsible for the distribution of \$170,000 in Community Services Recovery Funds to local groups (see page 8). This federal program is intended to improve the resiliency (post-covid) of local organizations by supporting changes to their programming and service delivery.

We were also one of only five community foundations in Canada selected to participate in the Kia Communities in Motion program in 2023. Kia Canada, in partnership with Community Foundations of Canada, launched this program in 2022 to support community-led projects that advance innovative changes that inspire movement. FCF recommended two important organizations in southwest New Brunswick who then received this funding: The Charlotte County Multicultural Association and Neighbourhood Works. You can learn more about these groups on page 9. Access to additional programs and funds like these are one of the benefits of membership in Community Foundations of Canada.

What we do is possible thanks to our generous donors and passionate, dedicated people. Of course, these include the volunteers who serve on the Foundation's Board of Directors. This amazing group continues to be open to new possibilities and to provide thoughtful guidance as we move our Foundation forward. We are also grateful to our staff, Kirsten and Alyssa, who keep our focus on the strategic plan and manage all the day-to-day work. Of course, what we do would not be meaningful without

the various community service organizations at work in

our area.

Thank you for continuing to put your trust in FCF.

Lance Howard **Board Chair** 

# **Board of Directors**



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# Our Impact

2023 in Numbers

66 Organizations Supported

> 177 Donors

153 Grants and Scholarships

\$447,885 **Total Disbursements** 

\$451,484 **Total Contributions** 

\$8,700,000 Value of Investments

\$3,562,500 Grants since Inception

2023 Grants by Grant Type

Environment & **Animal Welfare** 

> Inclusion & Wellbeing

\$97,034

\$105,996

**Education & Literacy** (includes scholarships)

> Food Security & **Social Programs**

Health, Wellness, & Recreation

> Arts, Culture, & Heritage

\$74,290

\$71,655

\$62,560

\$36,350

# **2023 Community Grants**

**Action Ministries of Grand Manan** 

Food Bank Garden Addition: \$860

**Back Bay Home and School Association** 

Back Bay School and Community Garden: \$4,000

Bee Me Kidz

Bee Me Kidz St. Stephen/Milltown: \$7,000

**Big Brothers Big Sisters Saint John** 

PROPEL Program: \$5,000

**BGC Charlotte County Club** 

Leaders in Training: \$4,000

**Brilliant Labs Inc.** 

STEAM Camps in Charlotte County: \$4,500

Charlotte County Alternative Transportation Association

Wheelchair Van Accessibility: \$4,000

**Charlotte County Ground Search and Rescue** 

CCGSAR Lost Person Behavior Application: \$1,000

**Dragonfly Centre for Autism** 

Summer Camp Therapies: \$2,600

Elementary Literacy Inc.

ELF @ Home Summer Program 2023: \$2,100

**Fundy Middle and High School** 

Mental Health Field Day: \$1,300

Multicultural Association of Charlotte County in partnership with Eastern Charlotte

Newcomer Inclusion Project: \$7,500

**Nature Trust of New Brunswick** 

8th Annual Great Fundy Coastal Cleanup: \$2,125

**Neighbourhood Works** 

Community Kitchen: \$6,000



Sophia Recovery Centre -"Get Active" Recovery Program



Swallowtail Lightkeepers Society -Swallowtail Lighthouse Renovations



Boys and Girls Club of Charlotte County -Leaders in Training Cooking Classes



Brilliant Labs -Steam Camps in Charlotte County



Bee Me Kidz -Bee Me Kidz St. Stephen/Milltown



Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre - SCAMPS

\$107,225 was awarded to the following projects from Community Funds and General Funds in 2023

Ronald McDonald House Charities Atlantic Sponsor a Charlotte County Family Stay: \$4,900

> **Shiretown Community Services** Shiretown Community Kitchen: \$7,872

"Get Active" Recovery Program for Women: \$3,250

St. Andrews Arts Council

Summer Performing Arts Program Bursaries: \$3,000

**St. Stephen Elementary School** SSES Playground Project: \$3,600

**St. Stephen High School**Baseball Field Enhancement Project: \$5,000

St. Stephen Middle School Access for All: \$2,250

ASAP (After School Activity Program): \$1,850

Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre SCAMPS - Summer Arts and Nature Camp: \$4,000

> Swallowtail Keepers Society Inc. Swallowtail Restoration Project: \$6,000

The Corporation of the Anglican Parish of St. George
The Hub Free Community Meals: \$5,418

**The Gaia Project** Elementary Literacy Kits: \$3,000

Town of St. Stephen 2023 Skates for All: \$2,400

YMCA of Greater Saint John
Eastern Charlotte Recreational Programming: \$2,700



# **Additional Grants**

| Action Ministries of Grand Manan            | \$1,200  | NBCC Foundation                        | \$11,790 |
|---|----------|--|----------|
| Bishop's University                         | 800      | New Brunswick SPCA                     | 19,125   |
| BGC Charlotte County Club                   | 1,162.50 | Oak Hill United Church                 | 10,000   |
| C.C.S.P.C.A                                 | 19,375   | Queen's University at Kingston         | 1,550    |
| Charlotte County Alternative Transportation | 700      | Ross Memorial Library                  | 4,100    |
| Association                                 |          | Saint John Shelter Ltd                 | 6,375    |
| Charlotte County Archives                   | 1,425    | Saint Stephen Rural Cemetery           | 2,000    |
| Charlotte County Hospital Foundation        | 3,000    | Sir James Dunn Academy                 | 1,500    |
| Charlotte County Museum                     | 3,375    | Sophia Recovery Centre                 | 1,500    |
| Church of Christ - Lord's Cove              | 2,900    | St. Andrews and Area Open Door Program | n 8,800  |
| Dalhousie University                        | 4,125    | St. Stephen High School                | 1,080    |
| Dragonfly Centre for Autism                 | 1,075    | St. Stephen Middle School              | 360      |
| Eastern Charlotte Waterways                 | 31,540   | St. Andrews Civic Trust                | 200      |
| Elementary Literacy                         | 1,400    | St. Croix Estuary Project              | 375      |
| Fairhaven United Baptist Church             | 450      | St. George and Area Food Bank          | 9,300    |
| Family Resource Centre of Charlotte County  | 20,000   | St. Thomas University                  | 3,425    |
| Fredericton SPCA                            | 19,125   | Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre  | 850      |
| Fundy Region Transition House               | 77,484   | Toronto Metropolitan University        | 4,750    |
| Governors of St. Francis Xavier University  | 2,987.50 | Town of St. Andrews                    | 162.50   |
| Huntsman Marine Science Centre              | 6,581    | Town of St. Stephen                    | 2,800    |
| Lakeland Industries Sheltered Workshops     | 500      | Trent University                       | 2,987.50 |
| Leonardville Cemetery                       | 875      | Université de Moncton                  | 1,050    |
| McAdam Historical Restoration Commission    | 750      | University of New Brunswick            | 16,775   |
| Mount Allison University                    | 5,050    | Van Home Estate on Ministers Island    | 650      |
| Nature Trust of New Brunswick               | 1,375    | Volunteer Centre of Charlotte County   | 19,400   |
| Neighbourhood Works                         | 1,500    | Washington County Community College    | 1,000    |
|   |          |  |          |

# **Community Services Recovery Fund**

Fundy Community Foundation is proud to have worked with community foundations across Canada as part of the Community Services Recovery Fund.

This fund is a collaboration between the Canadian Red Cross, Community Foundations of Canada, and United Way Centraide Canada to provide funding to Community Service Organizations, including non-profit organizations, Indigenous Governing Bodies or Registered Charities located in Canada. The Community Services Recovery Fund responds to what Community Service Organizations need right now and supports organizations as they adapt to the long-term impacts of the pandemic.

The Community Services Recovery Fund is a one-time investment by the Government

of Canada of \$400 million to help community service organizations (charities, non-profits, Indigenous governing bodies) adapt, modernize and be better equipped to improve the efficacy, accessibility and sustainability of the community services that they provide through the pandemic recovery and beyond.

# The following projects are being supported in Charlotte County:

\$76,284 was invested to fund The Fundy Region Transition House Inc. to hire a case manager to support survivors of domestic violence and provide additional training;

**\$42,176** was invested to fund Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre Inc. to create a virtual arts centre which will offer online instructionals, lectures, tutorials, exhibitions, and more;

\$31,540 was invested to fund Eastern Charlotte Waterways Inc. to enhance their data management and accounting systems;

\$20,000 was invested to fund Family Resource Centre of Charlotte County Inc. to create and introduce a new strategic plan for future delivery of programs throughout Charlotte County.

# **KIA Communities in Motion Grants**

In partnership with Community Foundations of Canada (CFC), Kia Communities in Motion is a grassroots initiative that will see Kia Canada invest \$1.4M over four years to support local projects that are building inclusive communities through innovative programming that encourages movement. In 2023, Fundy Community Foundation was one of only five community foundations across Canada to be selected to participate.

Thanks to Kia and CFC, we were able to recommend Youth Launch and Charlotte County Multicultural Association *each* receive grants of \$22,500.

# Youth Launch

One in five southwest New Brunswick youth between the ages of 15 - 29 are NEET (not in education, employment or training), directly impacting the socio-economic health and wellbeing of our communities.

Youth Launch, a program run by Neighbourhood Works is dedicated to helping these youth overcome barriers such as unstable housing, food insecurity and addictions, and achieve a place in education or attain employment and build positive momentum in their lives.

Thanks in part to the support of the Kia grant, Youth Launch was able to hire Jodi Smith, its first Case Manager, to assist NEET youth one-on-one.







# **Charlotte County Multicultural Association**

The Charlotte County Multicultural Association welcomes newcomers to our region and provides a range of services and language instruction to help families get settled in Canada.

They work extremely hard to help families integrate into our communities and to educate locals on newcomer traditions, through an extensive series of community events. As of the last census, 7% of Charlotte County residents are newcomers so this is no small task.

Thanks to support from Kia, the Multicultural Association is now creating a volunteer database so that newcomers can include community service in their newcomer experience.









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# **Our Funds**

# **Community Funds**

The Community Fund, and named funds within it, fuel our community grantmaking program. The flexibility of a gift to The Community Fund enables the Foundation's local Grants Committee to respond to Charlotte County's most pressing needs, today and forever.

Arthur B. MacLeod Memorial Fund
Beaverbrook Canadian Foundation Fund
Brian Eric Magee Memorial Fund
Bryce Family Fund
Carter Family Fund
Chang-Lewis Family Fund
Community Fund
Dr. George and Kay Dashner Fund
Duncan and Florence McGeachy Community Fund
Flemer Fund

### John and Pam Clark Community Fund

Griffin Leavitt and Family Fund

Halina Milewski Memorial Fund

J.T. Clark Family Foundation Inc. Fund
John Anderson Fund
Kane Family Fund
Lewis and Mildred Justason Fund
Margaret Raymonde Peterson Memorial Fund
Marion White Eiseman Memorial Fund
Nora Magee Breese Fund
Norma and James Davies Fund
Phelan Family Fund

Richard and Margaret Saunders Family Fund

Richmond and Mabel Steeves Memorial Fund

### Sandra Thurber Memorial Fund

Smart & Caring Community Fund Ste-Croix 2004 Community Fund Tedford/Downe Family Fund Vottero/Field Family Fund

York Cottage Fund

Redmond Trust Fund

### **General Funds**

Max and Willi Wolfe Memorial Fund McGeachy Fund Nancy Fisher Fund

New funds indicated in **bold** Named funds indicated in *italics* 

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Thanks to the generous support of our donors, we are able to support vital programs and initiatives that create community-wide change. We thank you for your commitment to our community.

### Field of Interest Funds

Field of Interest Funds help donors target gifts to address an issue area that they feel is important to community life.

Barbara Stanley and Malcolm Macleod Fund (Education) Charlotte County Sports for Kids Funds (Youth Participation in sport)

Bob Flewelling Sports for Kids Fund Mike Kohler Sports for Kids Funds Environmental Legacy Fund (Environmental programs/projects) George and Karen Wolf Fund (Education)

### **Donor-Advised Funds**

Grants from Donor-Advised Funds are made with advice from our donors who recommend projects they would like to see funded each year.

Duncan and Florence McGeachy Family Fund Haun Family Fund Mary Mooney Healthful Living Fund O'Neill Family Fund

Quoddy Quilters Fund RKF Community Greenspace Fund

SJDA Dream Fund St. George Community Fund Youth Endowment Fund

# **Designated Funds**

Our designated funds provide grants to specific organizations or specific charitable programs as directed by donors for a broad spectrum of causes.

Dick Saunders Memorial Fund
Dorothy & Kenneth Langmaid Animal Welfare Fund
Emerson Oak Bay Rural Cemetery Fund
Frank and Eleanor Stymest Fund
Hathaway & Annie Fountain Family Memorial Fund
J.T. Clark Family Foundation Inc. For Dragonfly Fund
Karen Dorothy Foulkes Environment Fund
Kaye Eagan Memorial Fund

### Moores Mills School and Heritage Fund

Natalie St. Onge Memorial Fund Wall-Bain Charlotte County Museum Fund

# Registered Charity Funds

Registered charity funds, a type of designated fund, are established by local charities who wish to grow an endowment to support their charitable purposes for their long-term sustainability.

Charlotte County Archives Fund Charlotte Dial-A-Ride Fund Ganong Nature Park Fund

### **Huntsman Marine Fund**

McAdam Railway Station Fund
Open Door Fund
Ross Memorial Library Fund
Helen Strait Remer Fund
Marjorie Emerson Memorial Fund
Mary S. Williamson Fund
Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Leighton Fund
Walter and Kitty Williamson Book Fund

St. Stephen Food Bank Fund St. Stephen's University Fund

Sunbury Shores Endowment Fund Van Horne Estate on Ministers Island Fund Dr. Mary Conley Fund

# Sustainability Funds

Sustainability Funds help offset Fundy Community Foundation's operating costs.

Blair and Mary Gordon Family Fund Directors Fund Skretting Fund Stolt Sea Farm Fund

# Managed Funds

These funds are held on behalf of other parties.
St. Croix Estuary Project Inc. Managed Fund
Sunbury Shores Managed Fund

# Scholarship and Bursary Funds

Scholarship and Bursary Funds invest in the future of rural southwestern New Brunswick by providing scholarship and bursary awards to deserving students who fit the criteria as determined by our donors.

Andrew Bartlett Memorial Scholarship Fund Anita Sherman Robertson Bursary Fund Campobello Veterans Scholarship Fund Charlton Family Fund Dawn Watkin Memorial Scholarship Fund Diana and Garnet Boyd Scholarship Fund Dorothy and Kenneth Langmaid Forest Soils and Tree Growth Scholarship Fund

Dorothy and Kenneth Langmaid Scholarship Fund Eastern Charlotte Scholarship Fund

Folsom-MacMorran Fund

H.W. Welch Family Scholarship Fund Ivan Green Scholarship Funds

Jean E. Brown Memorial Scholarship Fund Kate and Clifford Stanley Scholarship Fund Kelly Ann Ingalls Memorial Scholarship Fund Lafe Locke Aspiring Writers Scholarship Fund Lawrence Station Regional School Alumni Scholarship Fund

Lt. Col. D.K. McGeachy, CD, CET Bursary Fund Margaret E. Estabrooks Memorial Scholarship Milltown High School Legacy Scholarship Fund N.B. Teachers' Association Branch 1023 Scholarship Fund

NBCC St. Andrews Alumni Scholarship

Joseph Eric Gervais Memorial Scholarship

### **Quoddy Link Bursary Fund**

Richard J. Ford Memorial Scholarship Fund

St. Andrews Lions Club Bursary Fund

St. Andrews Men's Club Scholarship Fund

St. Stephen Alumni Association Scholarship Fund Lloyd McKenzie Scholarship Fund

St. Mark's Masonic Lodge No. 5 of St. Andrews Bursary Fund

# 2023 Scholarship Recipients

Congratulations to all the recipients of this year's scholarship and bursary awards!

Joshua McCallum Max Bagley Chloe Camic Rianna Newman Bryan Clarke Andrew Noseworthy Rebecca Dougherty Jaren Roberts Ashlynn Dufour William Ruddock Tatum Fraser Ryan Scott Jack Gartside Grace Scullion Aidan Gerrior Sequoia Sky Kaylee Hall Andrew Smith Jacob Halse Keanah Spooner Alexandra Brooke Johnson Sara Stewart Zack Kinney Maya Vukelic E. Maeve Lee Naomi Way Katelyn Wilson Abigail Legacy Stephanie Marr Robert Wilson

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# **New Funds**



# Sandra Thurber Memorial Fund

The Sandra Thurber Memorial Fund was established by the board of Fundy Community Foundation in memory of Sandy Thurber, previous Executive Director of FCF.

Throughout her 19 years at FCF, Sandy helped guide the distribution of over \$2.3 million in grants to charities, schools, and initiatives. She fostered relationships with both donors and grantees and acted as a bridge between the two worlds. She worked with many iterations of boards, working as a sounding board and the "feet on the ground" to bring their creative visions to life. Some of these visions ultimately resulted in the creation of organizations such as Dial-A-Ride and Vibrant Communities Charlotte County which have grown into enormous forces for good in our community.

Sandy was never one to accept praise or recognition for the things she accomplished, insisting instead that it was a collaborative effort and that she was merely part of a much larger picture. While this may be true, it is also true that Sandy made a direct impact on the lives and work of countless students, seniors, families, donors, and charitable organizations. She will be dearly missed.

# John and Pam Clark Community Fund

As long-time part-time residents of Saint Andrews, John and Pam wanted to give something back to the communities that they have grown to love. It is also important to them that their gift can respond to shifting community needs and this community fund will do exactly that.



# RKF Community Greenspace Fund

Rand and Kathryn Forgie became part of the Charlotte County community in 1992 and feel strongly about giving back to this area. The couple have a particular interest in preserving the beauty of our local landscape and encouraging natural green spaces for the health and well being of future generations.



# **Quoddy Link Bursary Fund**

This fund was established by Lisa Eldridge of Quoddy Link Marine and will award the John Eldridge Memorial Bursary each year to a graduate of Sir James Dunn Academy. The bursary will support students pursuing marine biology or other environmental sciences at a qualified post-secondary institution.

The fund was established in memory of John Andrew Eldridge who was an avid outdoorsman and spent most of his life playing and working on the water. John took great pride in encouraging people's interest in nature and in the wonders of the ocean.

# St. Stephen Food Bank Fund

The St. Stephen Food Bank Fund was established to help provide stable annual operating support for the Volunteer Centre of Charlotte County Inc.

This organization supports the people of St. Stephen and surrounding areas with essential and basic needs and so much more! In addition to providing fresh and frozen food on a daily basis, assistance is available to local families and individuals for everything ranging from emergency bill payments to help filing income tax.

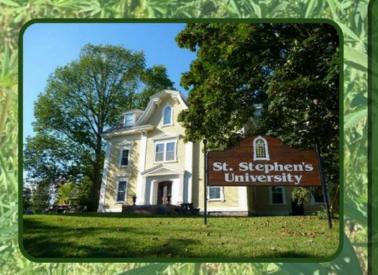


# VOLUNTEER CENTRE OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY INC.

Volunteering: A Great Way To Grow!

# St. Stephen's University Fund

St. Stephen's University is a graduate school that offers a range of hybrid-distance master's degrees and graduate certificates. Its focus is on students from a variety of backgrounds, experiences and ministries who are interested in or require training in the areas of theology & culture, peace & justice or reconciliation studies. SSU's programs draw curious and thoughtful community leaders who want to integrate spiritual and theological considerations with practical peace work, nonviolent activism, peacemaking, and advocacy. Their courses are appropriate for either personal enrichment and knowledge acquisition or professional enhancement or ministry.



# **Huntsman Marine Fund**

The Huntsman Marine Fund was established to support the ongoing operations and mission of The Huntsman Marine Science Centre to deliver the highest quality marine education programs and collaborative research while encouraging sustainability of our ocean environment, resources and economy. In doing so, Huntsman Marine has educated more than 75,000 students of all ages, welcomed more than 1,200,000 visitors to the Fundy Discovery Aquarium, and supported contribution of more than 500 peer-reviewed research publications since being established in 1969. The Huntsman Marine Science Centre is one of the oldest nonprofit organizations in Charlotte County with a forward-looking vision to do more. We are very proud to be the stewards of this fund.





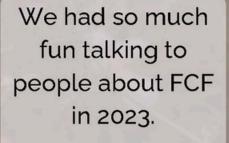
# **Moores Mills School** and Heritage Fund

This fund was established in memory of Kenny and Jean Johnston by Brenda Johnston Sansom and David Sansom. The fund is intended to support the maintenance and upkeep of the Moores Mills School (now called the James E. McGibbon Memorial Hall) allowing it to be used for community gatherings. Growing up next door to the the school, Brenda has fond memories of great friendships, childhood antics, working as a school cleaner and of a favourite teacher - Marjorie Caldwell. Together with her six siblings, Brenda was able to attend school in Moores Mills until grade 8 after which time older students were bused to St. Stephen.

The building is now maintained by a group of local, dedicated volunteers.







We hope to see you in 2024!

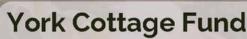












Richard and Margie Clark have been long-standing and quiet contributors to many worthy causes in our area. They recently chose to establish this community fund as another way to support the volunteer organizations working in our communities.





# **Memorials and Honours**

Donations were made in loving memory of the following individuals

Theona Bertin Mariorie Caldwell Iames P Carr Penny Chase-Koshbakhtian David Clarkson Gerald Cleahorn Rosaria Das Neves Kait Denbow Avery Craia Dixon Joyce (Clarke) Douglas Gregory Dunn Joan Stairs Dunwoody Kaye Corby Eagan John Eldridge

James Gallant Hugh Graham Elaine Granville Ivan Green Bill Haley Lila Haughn Mike Henderson Donna Hossack Edgar Johnston Mike Kohler Preston Leavitt Genevieve Lutes Halina Milewski leff Parks Betty Anne Peters George Richmond Lillian Louise Ross Lee Sackett Richard Saunders Toby Sode Terrance Stewart Bob Stinson Ted Tedford Sandra Thurber Nelson Tidd Joan Watkin Roger Wheaton Larry Worrell Linda Worrell

Donations were made in honour of the following individuals

Margaret E. Estabrooks

Brenda Hoeksema (Birthday) Peter Lyman (Birthday) Nancy Mandly (Birthday)

# **Donor Recognition**

We are so grateful for the support provided by our donors in 2023!

Alan & Cathy Dunfield

Bill Eagan

Patrick Eagan

Evan Embree

# Individuals

Chris & Graziella Aerni Nancy Aiken Veletia Anderson Steve Backman Charlie & Felicia Bartlett Peter & Cindy Bartlett Kimberly Beaton Tammy Bisch Ruth & Detlef Boltersdorf Suzanne Bousquet Kate Boyd Harry & Martha Bryan Brian Burridge Less & Holly Burridge Tom Butterfield Joan Carlisle-Irving Muriel Carrothers Marie-Paule Casey Barbara Chaffe & Rob Weir Heather Chase John & Pam Clark Richard & Margie Clark Paula Coffey Monica Cole Therea Comeau Karen Coombs & Alex Hanke Conrad E. Coughlan Scott Cousins Neville Crabbe Leslie Cuthbertson Dale & Sharon Dauphinee Jim & Mary Lou Davidson Caroline Davies lessie & Hu Davies lennifer DeBues Dave & Gayle Doncaster Connie & Michael Dow May Doyle Mark Drexler

Kevin & Elizabeth Estabrooks Ronald Estabrooks Allan Fiander David Ford Kathleen Ford Rand & Kathryn Forgie Ellen V. Foulkes Susan Friedman Lynne Fries Patrick & Margaret Gallagher Gary & Tooie Garber Peter & Jane Garnett Paula Gault Kevin & Colleen Gick Gordon Gilman Christopher & Claire Gordon Leona & Alan Golding Sarah Goulding Tom & Ella Goulding Debbie Grant Linda Green Daniel Greenberg Elizabeth Greenshields Iris Griffin R. Keay Halstead Andrew Hamilton Brenda Harrison Joe & Martha Harrison David & Janice Hashey Katsuji Haya Alyssa Hazzard Peter & Norah Heelis Terry Henderson Bill & Deborah Hogans Carole & Doug Hovey-Smith Lance & Francie Howard

J. Edward Hurley Tim Jarvis Peter & Mary Kane Nora Kelly Krista Kesselring Anne Klein-Horsman Mark Kohler Brenda Law Harriet Leggett Heather Lewis & Blythe Chang Kim Lewis John & Mary Littleford Ann MacKay Carol MacLean Alana MacLeod Malcolm Macleod & Barbara Stanley Bill & Joan Smith Herbert & Bridget Madill Lorna & James Maxwell Ann McCain-Evans Tom McFarland Sharon McGladdery David R. McInroy Catherine McQueen Michael & Kelly Meighen Inka Milewski Patrice Milewski Suzanne & Bob Monaghan Kelly Nicholls Brenda & John Norris Mary-Ellen Nowlan Alex Newton Derek O'Brien Marilyn O'Connor Richard Peterson Michael & Susan Phelan Keith & Brenda Pierce Miranda Plunkett Vincent Prager

Shawn Robinson & Lesa Pomeroy Cathy Ross Michael & Kirsten Rouse Cathy Hutch Dwight Ingalls Margot Sackett Sandra Sackett David & Brenda Sansom Ryan Sargent Margaret Saunders Michele Saunders & lan Stewart Bruce Schom Lynn & Wayne Scott Cinnie & JD Segsworth Barbara Sheen Donne Smith Helen & Rob Stephenson Colleen Stewart lane Stewart Linda & Timothy Stewart John & Bronwyn Tanner Suzanne & Bill Taylor Beverley H. Tedford Mary Carmelita Thompson O'Neill Catherine Underhill Norma Van Devander Miriam Verschoor Barbara Vottero Lynn & John Vottero Susan Waddy Kenneth & Brenda Waiwood David & Diane Walker Mark & Geraldine Wallace Lee Wells Brenda Wentzell Martha Wilder Mary Wobma George & Karen Wolf Matthew Ramsay & Florence Small Doug & Ingrid Wyles

Bill & Winnifred Young

# Organizations

Aldo Drumond

Alcool NB Liquor BenefAction Foundation Canadian Online Giving Foundation CBCL Ltd Char and Chowder Community Foundations of Canada David A. Bartlett Professional Corp. Dr. Rand Forgie Professional Corp. Felix & Belle Fidelity Charitable Greater Saint John Community Foundation Griffin Plumbing Inc. Hastings Investments Inc.

I. Donovan Law Group KŌV LH Boutique Maree Mer et Soleil Ministers Island Moore Agencie Ltd My Space Giftshop NBTA Branch 1023

Huntsman Marine Science Centre PLNGS/NB Power Indulge Food and Wine Festival Quoddy Link Marine Inc. R. Howard Webster Foundation Johnson Scholarship Foundation Rossmount Inn Leavitts Lawn Care & Lanscaping LTD Serendipin' Art Sheppard Chiropractic Centre SJRH Respiratory Therapy Department Southwest Electric & Security Inc. St. Andrews Brewing Co.

Patricia Pratt

Ronald & Jessie Riley

St. Andrews & Area Open Door Program Inc. St. Stephen's University Treadwell Inn Village of Grand Manan Volunteer Centre of Charlotte County Inc.

# 2023 Financial Statements

The following is an excerpt from the Audited Financial Statements by Spack, Armstrong and Norrad CPAs. Full copies of the financial statements are available at www.fundycommunityfoundation.ca

# December 31, 2023

|   |    | 2023      |    | 2022      |
|---|----|-----------|----|-----------|
| ASSETS  |    |           |    |           |
| CURRENT   |    |           |    |           |
| Cash  | \$ | 97,217    | \$ | 123,794   |
| Marketable securities (Note 4)                    |    | 8,786,228 |    | 8,311,671 |
| HST receivable                                    |    | 4,144     |    | 4,408     |
| Prepaid expenses                                  |    | 3,260     |    | 3,083     |
|   |    | 8,890,849 |    | 8,442,956 |
| CAPITAL ASSETS (Note 5)                           |    | 848       |    | 2,537     |
|   | \$ | 8,891,697 | \$ | 8,445,493 |
| LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS                        |    |           |    |           |
| CURRENT   |    |           |    |           |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 6) | \$ | 21,875    | \$ | 13,554    |
| Deferred revenue                                  | •  | ,         | *  | 25,000    |
| Funds held on behalf of other parties (Note 7)    |    | 631,829   |    | 633,686   |
|   |    | 653,704   |    | 672,240   |
| NET ASSETS  |    | 8,237,993 |    | 7,773,253 |
|   | \$ | 8,891,697 | \$ | 8,445,493 |

### FUNDY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION Statement of Revenues and Expenditures Year Ended December 31, 2023

|   | Ge | neral Fund<br>2023 | Restricted<br>Funds<br>2023 | E  | indowment<br>Funds<br>2023 | 2023<br>2023  | 2022<br>2022    |
|---|----|--------------------|-----------------------------|----|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| REVENUES                                      |    |                    |                             |    |                            |               |                 |
| Donations                                     | \$ | 76,171             | \$<br>152,723               | \$ | 222,590                    | \$<br>451,484 | \$<br>375,348   |
| Management fees                               |    | 9,612              | -                           |    | -                          | 9,612         | 9,349           |
| Interest income                               |    | 19,742             | 34,587                      |    | -                          | 54,329        | 42,497          |
| Dividend income                               |    | 70,054             | 122,894                     |    | -                          | 192,948       | 224,693         |
| Realized capital gain (loss)                  |    | 7,442              | 12,349                      |    | -                          | 19,791        | 237,995         |
| Change in unrealized capital gain             |    | 156,703            | 271,632                     |    | -                          | 428,335       | (807, 264)      |
|   |    | 339,724            | 594,185                     |    | 222,590                    | 1,156,499     | 82,618          |
| EXPENSES                                      |    |                    |                             |    |                            |               |                 |
| Restricted disbursements                      |    | -                  | 187,156                     |    | 140                        | 187,156       | 165,310         |
| Community grants                              |    | 94,425             | -                           |    | -                          | 94,425        | 112,690         |
| Flow through grants                           |    | -                  | 166,304                     |    | -                          | 166,304       | 55,900          |
| Community projects                            |    | -                  | -                           |    | ( <del>-</del> )           | -             | 6,400           |
| Operating expenses (Schedule 1)               |    | 81,946             | 127,822                     |    | -                          | 209,768       | 205,320         |
| Investment management fees                    |    | 12,387             | 21,718                      |    | -                          | 34,105        | 33,665          |
|   |    | 188,758            | 503,000                     |    | -                          | 691,758       | 579,285         |
| EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES | \$ | 150,966            | \$<br>91,185                | \$ | 222,590                    | \$<br>464,741 | \$<br>(496,667) |

### FUNDY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION Statement of Changes in Net Assets Year Ended December 31, 2023

|   | General Fund |                               | Restricted Funds |                            | Endowment<br>Funds |                                  | 2023 |                           | 2022 |                        |
|---|--------------|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|------|---------------------------|------|------------------------|
| NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR Excess (Deficiency) of revenues over expenses Transfers during the year (Note 9) | \$           | 2,804,180<br>150,966<br>1,450 | \$               | 320,899<br>91,185<br>9,532 | \$                 | 4,648,173<br>222,590<br>(10,982) | \$   | 7,773,252<br>464,741<br>- | \$   | 8,269,919<br>(496,667) |
| NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR  | \$           | 2,956,596                     | \$               | 421,616                    | \$                 | 4,859,781                        | \$   | 8,237,993                 | \$   | 7,773,252              |

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# imagine an endowment fund with your name on it

Donors from all walks of life establish funds at Fundy Community Foundation. Setting up a fund allows you to support the things most meaningful to you while receiving the tax benefits of your philanthropy. While each fund type expresses a donor's unique charitable goals and wishes for our community, all share our vision of an empowered, vibrant community for southwestern New Brunswick.

### More freedom

# **Community Fund**

You leave it up to us and our grants committee to ensure the community's most pressing needs are supported.

# Field of Interest Fund

Target gifts to address an issue area that you feel is important to community life

# **Designated Funds**

You select your favourite charities and we ensure they are supported, year after year.

# More control

# **Donor-Advised Fund**

You choose which specific charities to support each year.

# Registered Charity Fund

Allows registered charities to create their own endowment, building a sustainable source of funding

# Gift in Will

Giving through your will allows you to support your favourite causes even after you are gone



# Philanthropy through the Fundy Community Foundation

**Community Funds:** The needs of our community our continually changing and in order to respond effectively to grant applications, or to pressing community needs, the Foundation encourages gifts that are "undesignated" and can be applied to a community fund. This allows the Foundation's Grants Committee discretion to support community projects that may emerge as priorities or be identified by charitable agencies.

**Field of Interest Funds:** These funds work much like the Community Fund, except that the donors identify a target area of interest that they would like to support (eg. environment, youth, relief of poverty, arts and culture, education, etc). The donor empowers the Foundation to select worthwhile projects to support within these guidlines.

**Designated Funds:** By establishing a designated fund, donors have the opportunity to specify a particular charity or charities to support in perpetuity. A designated fund may also be created by a registered charity.

**Donor-Advised Funds:** Donor-advised funds enable a donor to have ongoing participation in the selection of charities that will benefit from their gift. Donors may prefer this type of fund instead of creating a family trust or private foundation.

**Scholarships:** Some donors wish to endow a scholarship or bursary which relies on the academic institution to recommend the beneficiary each year.

**Sustainability Fund:** Many donors understand that one of the best ways to help the Foundation achieve its mission is by helping to defray the costs of running the Foundation on a day to day basis. Grants from these funds are used to support the general operations of the Foundation.

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# Ten reasons people choose Community Foundations

### One

We are a local organization with deep roots in the community, and part of a nationwide movement whose support we build and share.

### Two

We bring donors to the table as community builders working closely with them to align their philanthropic vision with the community's needs.

### Three

We identify long-term needs and opportunities and invest in solutions that let our communities guide their own future.

### Four

We take a broad and inclusive view of what a community is, and provide grants to the widest possible range of organziations and initiatitives.

### **Five**

We provide highly personal and flexible service, accepting a wide variety of assets and offering donors maximum tax advantage.

### Six

We build permanent funds and those that can respond to immediate needs, helping our communities ensure vital futures.

### Seven

We multiply the impact of gift dollars by pooling them with other gifts

# **Eight**

We believe that diversity is strength, so we bring the entire community together to stimulate new ideas, build participation, and strengthen community philanthropy.

### Nine

We are transparent and reputable stewards of community resources, committed to being accountable, accessible, and responsive.

### Ten

We build community vitality - the unique and essential spirit that flourishes when people believe their community holds possibilities for everyone.

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