

## **BACKGROUNDER**

## HERITAGE, MUSEUM AND ARCHIVE GRANTS 2020: LIST OF PROJECTS APPROVED FOR FUNDING

In this intake, the Trust is supporting 29 projects with \$240,600.

Area	Organization	Project Name	Project Description	Funding Amount
Ainsworth	JB Fletcher Restoration Society	Museum Collection Management Project	Create storage space for rotating exhibits and surplus items and bring structure to the unmanaged collection.	\$16,604
Castlegar	Kootenay Doukhobor Historical Society	Doukhobor Archives and Research Centre Consultation and Planning	Conduct planning to add an archives and research centre to the existing use of the heritage site and property.	\$7,000
Cranbrook	Columbia Basin Institute of Regional History	Pages From the Past: Elk Valley and Kimberley	Scan and digitize 35 high school yearbooks from Fernie, Sparwood, Elkford and Kimberley from 1949 to 1998 to provide public access.	\$4,718
Cranbrook	Cranbrook Archives, Museum and Landmark Foundation	Community Pop-up Museum Project	Create two mobile exhibits with hands-on activities to display at community locations, enhancing community engagement outside the museum.	\$5,461
Crawford Bay	Crawford Bay & District Hall & Parks Association	Crawford Bay Community Hall Heritage Assessment	Prepare a statement of significance, conservation plan and condition assessment for the 82-year-old community hall.	\$6,500
Creston	Creston Museum	Embracing Cultural Diversity in the Creston Valley Exhibit	Create an exhibit, in collaboration with Creston Cultural Collaborators, that shares the stories of underrepresented communities living in the Creston Valley.	\$2,100
Creston	Creston Museum	Grandfather's Barn Exhibit Development	Develop an exhibit to portray the impact of the disposable lifestyle on our environment and reflect renewed interest in the resourcefulness of previous generations.	\$3,250

Creston	Creston Museum	Logging Arch Restoration	Restore and reconstruct a circa-1908 logging arch using authentic wheelwrighting technology and historically accurate materials.	\$14,165 
Creston	Lister Community Association	Lister History Book	Produce a written and pictorial history of Camp Lister, Lister and Huscroft from 1919 to the present through community collaboration.	\$1,801
Fernie	Fernie & District Historical Society	Fernie Collections Management Phase 3	Complete collection management tasks, correcting past practices and providing a solid foundation for future use.	\$6,000
Fernie	Fernie and District Arts Council	History of the Fernie Station	Compile and digitize historical documentation, including oral histories, of the Fernie Canadian Pacific Railway station, from its construction in 1908 to its current use as an arts and cultural centre.	\$10,500
Golden	Golden and District Historical Society	Collection and Storage Management: Photographs and Deaccession (Selling Items)	Finish reorganizing collection storage by conducting an inventory, doing a conservation assessment, cataloguing, and digitizing.	\$9,000
Grasmere	Triangle Women's Institute	Women's Institute (WI): Women Creating Community	Organize archival materials into a web exhibit that explores the Triangle Women's Institute and its role in the history of the community.	\$8,272
Invermere	Lake Windermere District Rod & Gun Club	Dennis Greenwood Monument	Replace a monument erected to the memory of Dennis Greenwood, who became the first BC game warden to die in the line of duty when he was murdered in 1930.	\$2,850
Kaslo	Kootenay Lake Historical Society	S.S. Moyie Display Upgrade	Replace mannequins aboard the S.S. Moyie to provide a more professional and enjoyable experience for visitors.	\$2,200

Kimberley	Sullivan Mine and Railway Historical Society	1922 Historic Canadian Pacific Railway Caboose Preservation	Preserve a 1922 wooden- sided Canadian Pacific Railway caboose, accessible to visitors, by replacing the roof, and planning for exterior restoration.	\$20,000
Meadow Creek	Lardeau Valley Historical Society	Argenta Archival Digitization Project	Scan and digitize photographic materials representing the history of Argenta for the historical society's archives.	\$8,000
Nelson	Chamber of Mines of Eastern British Columbia	Digitalization of Mineral Specimen Collection	Digitize over 700 mineral specimens from historical mines in the Kootenays and beyond to support a significant repository.	\$6,500
Nelson	City of Nelson	City of Nelson Heritage Planning Phase 2	Complete research and documentation, including statements of significance, for properties listed on the City's heritage register.	\$20,000
Nelson	Nelson Electric Tramway Society	Streetcar and Truck Conservation and Restoration	Conserve and restore Truck #2 (wheel-set) for streetcar) of historic Streetcar #23, which operated in Nelson from 1922 to 1949.	\$5,000
Nelson	Nelson Public Library	Turning Pages: The Nelson Public Library at 100 Years	Celebrate the 100-year history of the library by developing an exhibit and related programming in collaboration with Touchstones Nelson.	\$5,000
New Denver	Silvery Slocan Historical Society	Collection Management and Planning	Hire a consultant to organize and catalogue the archives and train volunteers, establishing best practices for the future.	\$4,500
Proctor	Procter Community Society	Procter Schoolhouse Conservation Plan	Develop a conservation plan to inform the restoration and renovation of the 107-year-old schoolhouse for continued community use.	\$10,000

Revelstoke	Revelstoke Museum and Archives Association	"Washed Away" Film Project	Produce a film on the displacement of people and species in and around the Columbia River as a result of dam construction.	\$10,000
Revelstoke	Revelstoke Museum and Archives Association	Revelstoke Museum and Archives Collections Management	Conduct collections management tasks, including updating collection policies and procedures and planning for the ongoing care of the collections.	\$17,314
Rossland	Rossland Museum & Discovery Centre	Collection Accessibility Development	Upgrade to new collection management software and develop an online access to link to other collection-based portals across the sector.	\$9,300
Slocan	Slocan Valley Historical Society	Merriwake Phase 2b Restoration Completion	Finish restoring the boat Merriwake to contribute to the story of the Japanese internment in the Slocan Valley.	\$15,000
Trail	Kootenay Columbia Educational Heritage Society	Storage Needs	Purchase two storage cabinets to house oversized archival materials.	\$3,500
Trail	Trail Museum & Archives (City of Trail)	Trail Museum & Archives Storage Reorganization	Reorganize museum and sports artifacts stored in Trail City Hall, including updating storage, conducting an inventory and selling or conserving items.	\$6,065
			Total	\$240,600

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