

**SOCIAL GRANT PROGRAM FALL 2013 INTAKE:
LIST OF PROJECTS APPROVED FOR FUNDING**

Community/Area	Organization	Project Description	Funding Amount
Arrow Lakes	Burton Community Learning Centre Society	Reduce social isolation for older adults living in the Arrow Lakes area.	\$10,450
Castlegar	Castlegar and District Community Services Society	Deliver outreach and advocacy support for seniors to reduce isolation, neglect and elder abuse.	\$91,000
Cranbrook	Cranbrook Society for Community Living	Develop a community-based suicide response protocol for community and social service providers.	\$3,250
Cranbrook	Summit Community Services Society	Provide counselling and support services to men who are not eligible through existing programs.	\$52,000
Creston	Creston and District Community Resource Centre Society	Renovate a safer and more accessible location to deliver programs that benefit isolated and marginalized seniors.	\$150,000
Creston	Kootenay Region Association for Community Living	Re-develop an underused community property to provide services and employment opportunities to people with disabilities.	\$40,000
East Kootenay	Community Connections Society of Southeast BC	Conduct a region-wide childcare needs assessment.	\$31,500
East Kootenay	The Governing Council of the Salvation Army	Provide dental care for low-income individuals and families.	\$20,000
Elkford	Elkford Women's Task Force Society	Deliver an early childhood development program that will emphasize the importance of physical activity, healthy eating and healthy self-body image.	\$4,900
Fernie	Fernie Childcare Society	Renovate a new location to support and improve the delivery of childcare services.	\$40,000
Fernie/Sparwood	District of Sparwood	Provide an opportunity for vulnerable children and youth to develop confidence and independence through	\$13,000

		participation in a summer camp program.	
Golden	College of the Rockies – Golden Campus	Continue the development of an Early Learning and Care Centre.	\$49,375
Golden	East Kootenay Brain Injury Association	Deliver support services and programs for people living with brain injuries.	\$7,700
Golden	Golden Family Centre Society	Continue the delivery of counseling and support services for adult and teenaged men who are not eligible through existing social services.	\$17,900
Golden	Golden Food Bank Society	Implement a food recovery program.	\$8,250
Kaslo	North Kootenay Lake Community Services Society	Build food knowledge and skills among residents living on limited and low incomes.	\$28,500
Lardeau Valley	Lardeau Valley Opportunity Links Society	Conduct a needs assessment to identify and address the needs of seniors.	\$15,300
Nelson	West Kootenay Women's Association	Develop a community kitchen at the Nelson and District Women's Centre.	\$39,450
Nelson	Nelson and District Seniors Coordinating Society	Support isolated seniors to access existing resources and improve coordination between community organizations who serve seniors.	\$18,250
Revelstoke	Revelstoke Community Housing Society	Conduct a feasibility study for developing and operating an emergency shelter facility.	\$20,000
Revelstoke	City of Revelstoke	Develop and deliver a financial literacy program to improve knowledge and skills in the community.	\$38,300
St. Mary's Band	St. Mary's Indian Band	Connect isolated Elders with their community, nation and culture through participating in social events and sharing their wisdom	\$14,325
Salmo	Salmo Child Care Society	Complete planning to expand licensed childcare services and additional toddler/infant spaces.	\$2,500
Slocan Valley	WE Graham Community Services Society	Connect new and expectant parents to community resources and supports.	\$6,325

Slocan Valley	WE Graham Community Services Society	Build a Food Bank Garden to improve organizational sustainability and offer learning opportunities to existing clientele on growing food and gardening.	\$26,800
Slocan Valley	White Pines Aikido Association	Research the feasibility of a program for at-risk youth to learn transferrable skills through the practice of aikido.	\$3,200
Trail	Family Action Network of the Lower Columbia Valley	Improve access and awareness of existing support services for vulnerable children and families.	\$80,000
Trail	Trail Association for Community Living	Support people at risk of or experiencing homelessness to find and maintain suitable housing.	\$30,750
Valemount	Robson Valley Support Society	Support vulnerable seniors to better access community and social services.	\$69,400
West Kootenay (Nelson/Trail/Salmo)	Circle of Indigenous Nations Society	Support parents or caregivers of Aboriginal children to learn about traditional parenting and Aboriginal culture.	\$20,300
West Kootenay (Castlegar/Nelson)	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cranbrook	Pilot the expansion of the Big Brothers Big Sisters program in the West Kootenay.	\$34,300
West Kootenay	West Kootenay Community TEETH Clinic Society	Develop a low-cost dental clinic to support people with financial barriers.	\$9,250

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