

Definity Insurance Foundation Grants (2022-2023)

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| Foundation Partnership Grants |
| Grants recommended by the Definity Insurance Company |

| Grantee | Project Name | Amount | Year | Term Length (Years) | Grant Description |
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| Community Foundations of Canada | Toronto's workforce funders collaborative | CA\$ 300,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support workforce development in the Greater Toronto Area through the creation of high-quality programs and long-term sustainable solutions to workforce gaps and challenges. ▸ |
| Environment Funders Canada | Grassroots Funder Collaborative | CA\$ 50,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | To scope the development of a Grassroots Mobilization Collaborative that aims to resource traditionally excluded community-based leaders to be able to engage in grassroots advocacy efforts. |
| Foundation for Environmental Stewardship | The Youth Harbour | CA\$ 375,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support innovative youth-led climate initiatives that address the systemic problems, social inequalities, and promote climate solutions. |
| Indigenous Peoples Resilience Fund | Gifting of Bundles | CA\$ 1,000,000.00 | 2022 | 2 | To support grassroots Indigenous communities across Canada address issues related to health access, and food security and sovereignty of Indigenous communities. Funding will also support the organizational development of the IPRF program. |
| Makeway Charitable Society | Gaagige Zaagibigaa | CA\$ 450,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support Gaagige Zaagibigaa (GZ) Household Support Program (HHSP) to increase Anishinaabe households capacity for food self-sufficiency in Ontario that will deepen Anishinaabe food self-determination and foster Anishnaabe wellness through food system revitalization. |
| Makeway Charitable Society | Arctic Indigenous Fund | CA\$ 300,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support the shift of operational and administrative management of the Arctic Inspiration Prize (AIP) to the North to align with the AIP's values and purpose. |
| Makeway Foundation | Northern Manitoba Food, Culture & Community Collaborative (NMFCCC) | CA\$ 450,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support the Northern Manitoba Food, Culture & Community Collaborative (NMFCCC) in increasing the capacity of communities in Northern Manitoba to execute self-defined initiatives that improve access to healthy foods and develop resilient local economies. |
| Prosper Canada | Financial Empowerment (FE) services | CA\$ 750,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To address inequality in financial empowerment service provisions by developing partnerships with Black-led organizations to collaboratively explore the unique financial empowerment (FE) needs/barriers, service adaptation and opportunities; and to develop and promote financial policies, programs and resources that transform lives and foster the prosperity of all Canadians. |
| RADIUS SFU | RADIUS SFU Health Equity Action & Insights Lab | CA\$ 250,000.00 | 2022 | 2 | To support RADIUS SFU's Health Equity Action & Insights Lab in creating social infrastructure, tools, resources, knowledge, and connections with and for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color in order to support them in their development of community driven innovations and interventions. |

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| Raven Indigenous Impact Foundation | Indigenous Communities Outcomes Fund | CA\$ 750,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To develop a first-of-its-kind Indigenous Communities Outcomes Fund to facilitate an infusion of dedicated, generative capital into Indigenous communities to support Indigenous communities and social enterprises to deliver Indigenous-led health and/or climate outcomes |
| Rideau Hall Foundation | The Arctic Inspiration Prize (AIP) | CA\$ 2,000,000.00 | 2022 | 5 | To shift operational and administrative capacity of the Arctic Inspiration Prize (AIP) to the North in order to align with the values and purpose of the AIP, while also helping ensure the permanent sustainability of the program to be northern owned, led and operated. |
| Tamarack Institute for Community Engagement | Community Climate Transitions | CA\$ 612,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To advance and resource Community Climate Transitions, a movement for community-based action by ensuring equity deserving communities and those with lived and living experience are leading local place-based climate solutions to achieve a just climate transition. |
| The Circle on Philanthropy | Sector Strengthening | CA\$ 450,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support reconciliation and decolonization of wealth by engaging Philanthropy and Indigenous communities in spaces of learning, innovation, relationship-building, co-creation, and activation that will transform philanthropy and contribute to positive change. |
| The Governing Council of University of Toronto | Reconciling Racial Justice and Climate Resilience | CA\$ 228,000.00 | 2022 | 2 | To develop Toronto's first Racial Justice Climate Resilience (RJCR) Framework by conducting community-based research and engaging Black, Indigenous, and racialized not-for profit leaders, grassroots leaders, academics, and policy makers for long term collaboration and integrated community action, policy making, and research to advance ongoing racial justice-oriented climate resilience systems change. |
| Ulnooweg Indigenous Communities Foundation | Sector Strengthening | CA\$ 450,000.00 | 2022 | 3 | To support the Ulnooweg Education Centre for Indigenous communities and individuals to use as a space for education, learning and dialogue in their pursuit of economic participation in Atlantic Canada. The grant also supports Ulnooweg in expanding offerings and practical tools to help Indigenous people create and operate Indigenous-led charities and strengthen pathways with the philanthropic sector. |
| Annaumakkaijiit Community Foundation | Annauma Community Foundation | CA\$ 470,000.00 | 2023 | 3 | To support the Annauma Community Foundation in delivering grant and sector development programs that are tailored to supporting the growth and resilience of the non-profit and charitable sector in Nunavut. |
| Canadian Association of Physicians for the Environment (CAPE) | Place-Based Power | CA\$ 725,350.00 | 2023 | 3 | To work with physicians and community partners to develop solutions-oriented approach to address the health and social justice impacts of fossil fuel extraction in Northern British Columbia and tar sands tailings deposits in Alberta and the Northwest Territories within the wider context of the climate crisis. |
| Canadian Women's Foundation | The Northern Strategy: Phase 2 | CA\$ 3,138,662.00 | 2023 | 5 | To support entrepreneurship and self-employment initiatives for diverse women, girls, and Two Spirit, trans, and non-binary people living in underserved Canadian Northern Provinces and Territories. |

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| Centraide du Grand Montréal | Collective Impact Project, phase 2 | CA\$ 1,000,000.00 | 2023 | 4 | To support the Collective Impact Project (CIP) in contributing to reducing poverty and social exclusion by supporting Montreal neighborhoods with the tools and support to engage in comprehensive community change processes. |
| Imagine Canada | Supporting the social good sector | CA\$ 450,000.00 | 2023 | 3 | To support strengthening Canada's not-profit sector through policy, research and cultivating diverse, inclusive, just, and equitable communities that will build a stronger, more resilient, and effective sector, thereby creating positive social change and improving the well-being of Canadians. |
| Small Change Fund | Feasibility Study- Public Voice Fund | CA\$ 210,100.00 | 2023 | 1 | To conduct a feasibility study to determine the need for a fund that provides government relations and advocacy assistance on important climate and environmental issues for marginalized and underserved groups, particularly Indigenous and groups living in poverty. |
| Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Edmonton Central Council | | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Sustainability Institute of Canada | Vision2030 | CA\$ 270,000.00 | 2023 | 3 | To collaborate with the environmental sector to deliver Vision2030, a multi-year capacity building initiative for Canada's ENGOs to be better able to face the challenges of the coming decade by confronting and dismantling colonial foundations, fostering intergenerational collaboration and youth engagement, and equitably leveraging technology for the greatest impact to foster a greener and more equitable future. |
| Tamarack Institute for Community Engagement | Canadian Centre for Nonprofit Digital Resilience (CCNDR) | CA\$ 450,000.00 | 2023 | 3 | To build the digital and data readiness of Canada's nonprofits and digitally-enable nonprofits especially those with diverse leadership and that serve marginalized and underserved communities, to advance their mission and multiply their impact. |
| The Learning Enrichment Foundation | Fair Finance Fund: Inclusive Prosperity Phase 2 | CA\$ 280,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | To develop and implement a social finance and business support model that will attract private investments that will provide financial support to assist Black, Indigenous, non-traditional, and equity-deserving farmers in securing capital to gain access to land and pursue their agricultural endeavors. |
| Canadian Biosphere Reserves Association | Incorporate DEI into Canada's biosphere regions | CA\$ 50,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Children's Health Foundation | Preventing injuries, Saving lives and building bright futures | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Cornwall Community Hospital Foundation | Inpatient Mental Health Upgrades | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Ducks Unlimited Canada | Nature Force | CA\$ 100,000.00 | 2022 | 2 | The Nature Force is an action-oriented climate resilience initiative funded by a collective of 15 P&C insurance companies representing a landmark private investment in natural solutions to mitigate flood risks to urban communities. |
| FORA Network for Change | | CA\$ 20,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Furniture Bank | Leg Up Social employment program | CA\$ 20,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Green Communities Foundation | Living Cities Fund | CA\$ 500,000.00 | 2022 | 2 | Living Cities Canada will provide communities with direct financial support and a structured process to build capacity, leadership, and momentum for GI. Their approach is evidence-informed and cultivates diverse participation in the planning of and ongoing implementation of community-led solutions. |
| Green Learning Canada Foundation | Flood:ED - Engaging Youth in Flood Preparedness | CA\$ 45,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |

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| Hamilton Health Sciences Foundation | Labour, Delivery and Midwifery led area sleeper chairs | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Lesbian Gay Bi Trans Youth Line | Organizational capacity | CA\$ 20,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Lil E Coffee Cafe (Calgary) | Toronto Expansion | CA\$ 25,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| REACH Centre Grey/Bruce | Daily healthy snack for youth and adults with intellectual and developmental issues. | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| The Bruce Trail Conservancy | Organizational capacity | CA\$ 20,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| The Learning Enrichment Foundation | Empowering Youth for Climate Action | CA\$ 25,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| The Mosaic Institute for Harnessing Diversity | Increased organizational capacity | CA\$ 20,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| Westend Seniors Activity Centre | Seba Beach Seniors Golden Age Club | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| YMCA of Central East Ontario | Centre for Life - Belleville YMCA | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2022 | 1 | |
| ALUS Canada | Meeting the Moment | CA\$ 300,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | To scale Meeting the Moment program delivery by maximizing capacity of the community network across Canada to produce nature-based solutions that sequester carbon, build resilience, and improve biodiversity. |
| Boundless Adventures Association | The Boundless School Support | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals | Marching campaign support | CA\$ 40,800.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Camp Olier | | CA\$ 2,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Campbellford Memorial Hospital | Transforming Care Together CT Scanner Campaign | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Canadian Centre for Diversity and Inclusion | Content & resource development on intersectionality in the workplace | CA\$ 50,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| CarizonFamily and Community Services | KW Counselling/Carizon/Monica Place | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Central Alberta Child Advocacy Centre Ltd. | Central Alberta Child Advocacy Center | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Childcan The Childhood Cancer Research Association | Preferred Insurance Turkey Bowl and Fall Drive for Childcan | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Community Living North Halton | Project Search Halton Partnership | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Crane Lake Discovery Camp | Crane Lake Discovery Camp | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Crime Stoppers of Halton Inc. | Safer Communities | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Digital Moment | Digital2030 Challenge | CA\$ 25,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Easter Seals Nova Scotia | Learn to Ride | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Feed The Need In Durham | Feed the Need in Durham | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Food Banks Canada | Support matching campaign | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| FORA Network for Change | | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital Foundation | Client and Family-Centred Care (CFCC) | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Huron-Perth Centre for Children and Youth | Mental Health First Aid Training | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| IWK Health Centre Charitable Foundation | | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Jack.org | | CA\$ 2,500.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Kocihta | Content & resource development on Indigenous inclusion | CA\$ 50,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| K-W Working Centre for the Unemployed | Making Home - 97 Victoria | CA\$ 250,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | To support the creation of an additional floor at 97 Victoria in Kitchener that will include 44 supportive housing units for the chronically homeless. |

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| La Fondation Yvon Deschamps Centre-Sud | Develop a quality support program for children with special needs throughout the year | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Lakeside Hope House | The Guelph Community Backpack Project | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| L'Arche Association of Calgary | Run for L'Arche | CA\$ 15,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Lesbian Gay Bi Trans Youth Line | | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Lutherwood | Brief Community Mental Health Services Medical Clinics Program | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Michaëlle Jean Foundation | Power of Youth program support | CA\$ 50,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Northern Ontario Families of Children With Cancer | Supporting families with cancer | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Ocean Wise Conservation Association | Ocean Bridge program | CA\$ 200,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | Provide program participants with the tools to position themselves as changemakers for a sustainable future, while developing a culture of active citizenship and civic action. |
| Orillia Christian Centre | Coldest Night | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| OSEG Foundation | Girls on the Run Ottawa | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Rotary Richmond Foundation | Senior Fitness Equipment Project | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Saving Animals from Euthenasia | | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Scarborough Health Network Foundation | Interventional Technology for Patient Safety and Enhanced Care | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Shalem Society for Senior Citizens Care | The Manor landscaping and infrastructure | CA\$ 5,775.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| St. Joseph's Kingsbridge Community | Community Youth Centre | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Stepping Stones Crisis Society | Re building the crisis centre | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Stollery Children's Hospital Foundation | Stollery Transport Pediatric and Neonatal Team Outreach Program | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Surfrider Foundation Canada Chapters | Vancouver Chapter Community Beach Cleanups | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Belleville General Hospital Foundation Incorporated | Closing the Gap: taking Nuclear Medicine at Belleville General Hospital into the future | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Bruce Trail Conservancy | | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Canadian Mental Health Association | Recovery Colleges programming | CA\$ 100,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | Support for Recovery Colleges programming |
| The Canadian Red Cross Society | Disaster Response Alliance | CA\$ 900,000.00 | 2023 | 3 | Support the Disaster Response Alliance and Be Ready programming |
| The Canadian Red Cross Society | | CA\$ 20,330.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Hospital For Sick Children Foundation | ChildLife Family Spaces program | CA\$ 100,000.00 | 2023 | 2 | Support for ChildLife Family Spaces program |
| The Hospital For Sick Children Foundation | | CA\$ 2,500.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Mosaic Institute for Harnessing Diversity | | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Nova Scotia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty | | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Toronto Humane Society | Support Matching campaign | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| The Winnipeg Humane Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals | Support matching and educational programming | CA\$ 10,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| T'was the Bite Before Christmas Community Foundation | Fight Hunger - Feed Hope & Empower People in Need | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |

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| Victoria County Memorial Hospital Charitable Foundation | Lighting The Way | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Voice Found | Strength Found program | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Windmill Microlending | Financial Newcomer Loan and Impact Fund | CA\$ 350,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | Support for the Financial Newcomer Loan and Impact Fund to break the cycle of poverty and underemployment for newcomers, fostering economic prosperity, diversity, and inclusivity through low-interest microloans to cover the costs of professional certification, education, and training programs, enabling newcomers to pursue their desired career paths. |
| Wood Buffalo Food Bank Association | Charitable donation to the Wood Buffalo Food Bank | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| YMCA of Central East Ontario | YMCA Centre for Life Community Building Campaign | CA\$ 150,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | YMCA Centre for Life Community Building Campaign will positively impact and enhance the quality of life for thousands of children, youth, individuals, and families who rely on the YMCA for access to support and resources they need to lead healthier, more connected lives. |
| YMCA of Simcoe/Muskoka | ESL Supports for Ukrainian Refugees | CA\$ 5,000.00 | 2023 | 1 | |
| Youth Impact Jeunesse Inc. | Coldest Night of the Year | CA\$ 2,500.00 | 2023 | 1 | |