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Vancouver Foundation's annual list of
contributors and endowment funds

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One simple act of giving is where community begins.

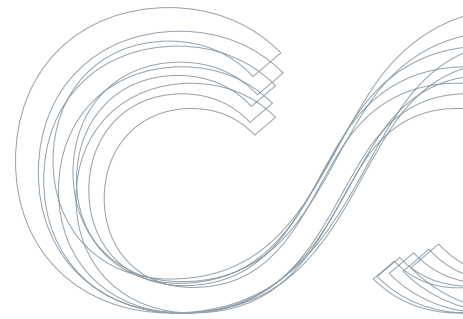
Some people give their time, sharing themselves and their knowledge with the community. Others give their money, which makes so many things possible. All give their inspiration, wanting to find ways to make life better for everyone.

The amazing thing about gifts like these is they become more than what they were. Projects expand, lives are touched and changed, new paths are found. There is an evolution that goes far beyond the intrinsic value of the original gift; an evolution created purely by the act of giving.

Vancouver Foundation shares its mission and work with so many dedicated, generous people who have chosen to give what they can to help their communities grow and prosper.

In 2008, the Foundation had the pleasure of working with over 2,000 individuals and organizations listed in this booklet. Some decided to set up endowment funds to create a legacy for the future. Some donated money to endowment funds held by individuals or organizations. And some gave money to the Foundation, simply to show they cared.

All these gifts will continue to grow, through the work that so many people do for their community, through our shared vision for a better future, because one gift keeps on giving.



2008 Highlights

New Endowment Funds	78
Total Endowment Funds	1,189
Donations and Bequests	\$57,000,000
Grants and Distributions	\$60,000,000
Contributed Principal	\$669,000,000
Total Funds Managed	\$662,000,000