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TO: Chair and Directors
Regional District Board

FROM: Director B. Jolliffe, Baynes Sound – Denman / Hornby Islands (Electoral Area A)
Director R. Nichol, Lazo North (Electoral Area B)
Director E. Grieve, Puntledge - Black Creek (Electoral Area C)

RE: **2015 Grants in Aid**

We respectfully request the board's consideration of the following:

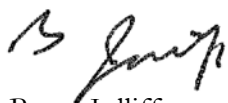
THAT the following grants-in-aid, payable from the respective area indicated, be approved:

- Anderton Therapeutic Gardens Society to assist operating expenses:
Area B - \$2,000.00
- Arts Denman to assist with a concert series, and the readers and writers festival:
Area A - \$250.00, Denman Island - \$2,500.00, Hornby Island - \$250.00 Area C - \$250.00
- Association for Denman Island Marine Stewards to assist with community and school programs:
Denman Island - \$2,200.00
- Beachcombers Education Society to assist with installation of art to the exterior of the building:
Area A - \$2,000.00, Area C – 500.0
- Black Creek Old Age Pensioners to assist with Halbe Hall insurance costs and facility improvements:
Area C - \$4,000.00
- Blazing Paddles Dragon Boat Society to assist with therapeutic and recreational programs, and insurance costs:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$500.00, Area C - \$500.00
- Comox Fire Protection District to assist with the beach fire prevention program at Little River:
Area B - \$1,500.00
- Comox Valley Exhibition Association (Fall Fair) to assist with facility rental, electrical, and other costs associated with hosting the 2015 fall fair:
Area B - \$1,500.00, Area C - \$6,000.00
- Comox Valley Food Bank to assist with printing costs for a 2016 calendar:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$500.00, Area C - \$500.00
- Comox Valley Head Injury Society to assist with their weekly food program:
Area B - \$750.00, Area C - \$750.00
- Comox Valley Land Trust to assist with protecting and restoring natural systems in the Comox Valley:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$3,000.00, Area C - \$6,500.00
- Comox Valley Multicultural and Immigrant Support Society to assist with promoting multiculturalism through public events and activities:
Area A - \$200.00, Area B - \$350.00, Area C - \$350.00
- Comox Valley Therapeutic Riding Society to assist with the 'barn buddies' program:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$1,000.00, Area C - \$1,000.00

- Comox Valley Youth Music Centre to assist with a recruitment strategy through faculty-led workshops:
Area B - \$500.00, Area C - \$1,000.00
- Denman Community Land Trust to assist with a solar power integration project:
Denman Island - \$2,500.00
- Denman Island Memorial Society to assist with the cost of the entrance structures in the cemetery:
Denman Island - \$1,000.00
- Denman Island Preschool Society – Blackberry Lane Children’s Centre to assist with operating expenses:
Denman Island - \$2,000.00
- Denman Island Residents Association to assist with ramp improvements and a camera monitoring system for the community dock/ramp:
Denman Island - \$3,000.00
- Dora Drinkwater Community Library to assist with book purchases and operating expenses:
Denman Island - \$500.00
- Dove Creek Community Association to assist with facility improvements:
Area C - \$5,000.00
- Fanny Bay Community Association to assist with the purchase of a heat pump:
Area A - \$3,500.00
- Hornby Community Radio to assist with the purchase of an FM processor:
Hornby Island - \$1,000.00
- Hornby Island Arts Council to assist with operating expenses:
Hornby Island - \$4,000.00, Area C - \$250.00
- Hornby Island Daycare Society to assist with the replacement of playground equipment:
Hornby Island - \$4,000.00
- Hornby Island Educational Society to assist with electrical upgrades:
Hornby Island - \$3,000.00
- Little River Enhancement Society to assist with Little River and Scales Creek restoration and hatchery maintenance:
Area B - \$4,000.00, Area C - \$4,000.00
- Millard Piercy Watershed Stewards to assist with operating expenses:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$1,000.00, Area C - \$1,000.00;
- Mountaineer Avian Rescue Society to assist with operating expenses:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$1,500.00, Area C - \$3,000.00
- Royston Community Club and Recreation Commission to assist with facility improvements:
Area A - \$3,500.00
- Saratoga Miracle Beach Residents Association to assist with operating expenses:
Area C - \$400.00
- Strathcona Wilderness Institute to assist with wilderness centre operations and programs:
Area B - \$1,000.00, Area C - \$2,000.00
- The Alberni Project Society to assist with raising awareness and support of veterans of all ages:
Area C - \$500.00

- Transition Denman (Arts and Entertainment Committee) to assist with a 'celebrating community' sustainability summer festival:
Denman Island - \$2,100.00, Area C - \$100.00
- Tsolum River Restoration Society to assist with restoration of the Tsolum River:
Area B - \$2,000.00, Area C - \$8,000.00
- Union Bay Community Club and Recreation Association to assist with facility improvements (\$3,500.00) and landscaping (\$300.00):
Area A - \$3,800.00
- Upper Island Retriever Club to assist with operating expenses:
Area B - \$500.00, Area C - \$500.00
- Volunteer Comox Valley to assist with to assist with one stop access to volunteer resources and information:
Area B - \$500.00, Area C - \$500.00
- Youth and Ecological Restoration Program to assist with costs for a biologist to work with the youth to maintain professional standards:
Area A - \$500.00, Area B - \$1,000.00, Area C - \$1,000.00

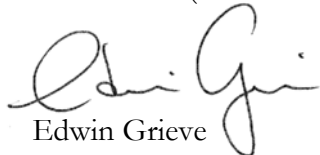
Respectfully submitted by:



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