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Our Mission

The mission of the Phoenix Foundation is to make the Boundary region a better place in which to live and work by *“Building a Better Boundary”*.

We strive to:

- Develop and grow permanent endowments
- Assess and respond to emerging and changing needs
- Provide a vehicle and service for donors with varied interest and levels of giving
- Serve as a resource for charitable activities in the Boundary
- Provide Community Leadership

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Report to the Community 2025/2026

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Donation Categories Under Management

- Community Unrestricted Donations (16 endowments) - \$813,379
- Field of Interest Donations (6 endowments) - \$253,078
- Designated Fund Donations (14 endowments) - \$443,116
- Scholarship Fund Donations (12 endowments) - \$570,861
- Agency Fund Donations (11 endowments) - \$288,994
- Donor Advised Fund Donations (5 endowments) - \$1,324,540

\$3,693,969 total value of endowments (64 under management)

\$129,288 investment income available for granting purposes.

Phoenix Foundation/BEEM Credit Union Legacy Healthcare Grant is \$400,000. This is being distributed to students and healthcare workers in the Boundary since 2024. There has been \$275,000 distributed to date.

Community Impact Expo

Each year, the Phoenix Foundation partners

with Christina Gateway Association to chat with organizations that support causes that are important to the Boundary communities.



Grants Distributed in 2025

- Beaverdell Community Club \$11,500
- Big Effort Swim \$3,000
- Boundary Arts Council \$2,562
- Boundary Autism Society \$5,000
- Boundary Community Food Bank \$1,777
- Boundary Community Ventures \$2,200
- Boundary Curling Club (Midway) \$10,000
- Boundary Disc Athletics \$3,500
- Boundary Helping Hands Feline \$17,000
- Boundary Motorcycle Club \$5,000
- Boundary Museum/Archives \$6,500
- Boundary Women's Coalition \$2,500
- Boundary Youth Baseball \$2,500
- Christina Lake Artisans \$7,500
- Christina Lake Stewardship \$1,000
- Fourth Street Studios \$500
- Grand Forks Music in the Park \$3,000
- Grand Forks Public Library \$7,000
- Grand Forks ATV Club \$5,000
- Grand Forks BMX Club \$2,500
- Grand Forks Christmas Dinner \$2,500
- Grand Forks Community Trails \$6,400
- Grand Forks Curling Club \$10,500
- Grand Forks Farmers Market \$20,000
- Grand Forks Masonic Lodge \$3,200
- Greenwood Public Library \$5,100
- Kettle River Cycling \$1,750
- Kettle River Horse Club \$500
- Kettle River Museum \$1,811
- Midway Social Centre \$2,000
- Phoenix Manor Seniors \$10,000
- Rotary Club of Grand Forks \$10,000
- Route 3 Racing Greenwood \$12,000
- Special Olympics BC –GF \$6,500

Phoenix Foundation is proud to be working with the Vancouver Foundation in distributing Neighbourhood Small Grants throughout the Boundary.



Neighbourhood Small Grants

Grants Distributed in 2026

- Beaverdell Community Club \$5,000
- Boundary Community Food Bank \$1,868
- Boundary Disc Athletics \$2,500
- Boundary Helping Hands Feline \$5,000
- Boundary Invasive Species \$5,000
- Boundary Motorcycle Club \$5,000
- Boundary Youth Soccer \$1,000
- Christina Lake Community Hall \$4,000
- Christina Lake Stewardship \$2,000
- Christina Lake Waterfront Owners \$500
- Citizens on Patrol-Grand Forks \$2,500
- Forks Film Festival \$3,000
- Grand Forks ATV Club \$10,000
- Grand Forks Christmas Dinner \$2,500
- Grand Forks Community Trails \$10,000
- Grand Forks Concert Band \$1,600
- Grand Forks District Fall Fair \$2,000
- Grand Forks International Baseball \$5,000
- Greenwood Recreation Assn. \$11,500
- Kettle River Cycling \$5,074
- Kettle River Horse Club \$1,500
- Phoenix Cross Country Ski Assn. \$5,000
- Route 3 Racing Greenwood \$15,000
- Special Olympics BC—GF \$4,200
- Whispers of Hope \$4,500

Scholarships Distributed in 2024/2025/2026

Scholarships were awarded to graduating students from Grand Forks and Boundary Central Secondary Schools.

\$19,445 in 2024 (11 students)
\$21,958 in 2025 (14 students)
\$19,980 in 2026 (15 students)