

2019-2020

# **TAKE A STAND AGAINST FAMILY VIOLENCE & ABUSE**

2019-2020 Report to Community



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The Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter is focused on ending family violence and abuse in the lives of women, children, youth and men.

**"Taking a Stand Against Family Violence and Abuse"** in the community for more than 45 years, the agency has helped close to **230,000 individuals** build safe lives and healthy relationships.

Although the Emergency Shelter is the cornerstone of the organization, it is **"More than a Shelter"**, providing a number of innovative safety, prevention and healing programs which support individuals and families, and engages the community in dialogue about family violence and abuse.

## CEO & PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Since 1974, the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter has played an important role in the lives of those impacted by family violence and abuse in our community. We are on the front lines to provide safety, hope and support through our various programs and services. Annually, we serve more than 15,000 individuals — women, children, youth and men. With each person and family we support, we continue to move towards our vision of a community free from family violence and abuse.

Family violence and abuse is a serious social issue. Alberta has some of the highest rates in Canada and the Calgary Police Service are seeing record numbers of domestic violence related calls. This continues to drive higher demand on our services and increased efforts and need for public engagement and education.

As needs change and become more complex, the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter continues to adapt and be responsive. We find innovative ways to meet the growing needs of our city and our agency is poised to take on these challenges, while recognizing the critical role our partners play in our work. We believe that solutions lie with collaboration and coordinated efforts.

We work with many community partners to support and lead important discussions and initiatives, which helps better support our clients and effect change.

We are proud of our history of providing support to individuals impacted by family violence and abuse, and for being a voice for victims and leaders in preventative services. We continue to hear and validate client experiences, create non-judgmental, respectful relationships, and provide support where it is needed most. Whether you are a victim, someone looking for information, a friend or a family member looking to support someone, or a man looking for help, we are here.

It has been a challenging year in our city. Calgary continues to experience significantly difficult economic times and at the time of this report, the world is in the middle of the COVID-19 pandemic. Our commitment to deliver high quality and adaptive services doesn't change when our environment does. Without the support from our community, the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter would not have the foundation to maintain our programs and services or continue to evolve.

We are grateful for our staff, volunteers and Board of Directors for their dedication to our mission of ending family violence and abuse, and for our funders, sponsors, supporters and partners, who embrace our work and demonstrate a commitment towards change. More work needs to be done, but together we can all Take A Stand and be part of the solution.

**Kim Ruse**  
CEO

**Shelly Norris**  
President



## PROGRAMS & SERVICES

Since 1974, we have played an important role in the lives of families and individuals impacted by family violence and abuse. Our counsellors and staff are on the front lines to provide safety and hope through various programs and services.

In 2019-2020, we  
helped more than  
**15,000**  
individuals build  
safe lives and  
healthy relationships.



## 24-Hour Family Violence Helpline

**Phone:** (403) 234-7233 (SAFE)

**Toll-Free:** (866) 606-7233

**Text:** (403) 604-6689

**Email:** [help@cwes.ca](mailto:help@cwes.ca)

Staffed by trained counsellors, the 24-Hour Family Violence Helpline operates 24-hours a day, 365 days a year and provides support, information and resources, safety planning and confidential counselling. It is often the first line of contact for individuals concerned about how they are being treated and friends or family looking to support someone, or men looking for help.

All of our programs and services can be accessed through the Helpline.

The Helpline received **10,459 calls**, approximately **29 calls a day**.





## Emergency Shelter

Our 50 bed Emergency Shelter facility provides safe and secure accommodation, basic essential items, referral services, support and counselling for women and children fleeing family violence and abuse.

At the Emergency Shelter, the women and children who arrive find a warm, homelike environment. We ensure that our residents have the security and safety to recover from the effects of violence and abuse they experienced in the family home.

They get comfort, rest, counselling and the knowledge they can put their lives back together without fear.

Partnerships with resources commonly needed by victims of abuse are also brought onsite, ensuring greater accessibility to services, including a Wellness Clinic where women and children can seek medical attention, workshops, weekly group counselling, and a school liaison.

The Emergency Shelter housed **320 women** and **386 children**.

- 98% of women who accessed the Emergency Shelter indicate that their safety and immediate needs were met
- 95% of women have increased their knowledge about family violence and abuse, and know more about the signs of abusive relationships



## Community Services Counselling

For women who are unable, or choose not to enter the Emergency Shelter facility, the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter offers the Community Services Counselling program. Counsellors provide support in a safe place in the community, safety planning, parenting support, and navigation of community resources.

Over 90% of the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter clients are served through community programs outside of the Shelter facility.

Last year, **600 women** and **640 children** benefitted from the Community Services Counselling program.

- 98% of women served through this program gained knowledge on how to keep themselves safe
- 96% of women feel they are not to blame for the abuse they have experienced





## Court Program

The legal system can be very intimidating, but with the Court Program, women experiencing family violence and abuse, who have to go through legal proceedings can do so with hope and confidence.

This program provides navigation of the court system, information, referrals, safety planning, and preparedness for court, assisting women to explore their options so they can make the best choices for themselves and/or their family.

In 2019-2020, the Court Program served **215 women** and **286 children**.

- 100% of women report that they have a better understanding of the court process
- 98% of women feel better able to keep themselves safe through accessing the legal system



## Child, Youth and Family Support Programs

Child, Youth and Family Support Programs are available to all clients. Depending on the family's situation, the age of the child/youth, and the needs of the family, services may include: individual counselling for the child/youth, family counselling with parent(s) and child, parenting support, safety planning, financial literacy for parents, ages and stages developmental screening, play-based therapy for children and/or families, and navigation of community resources.

The Children's Activity Centre within the Emergency Shelter provides a blend of structured and child-led play, where the focus with the children is on keeping oneself safe, identifying emotions, and providing opportunities for socialization.

**124 children** and **43 parents** accessed Child, Youth and Family Support Programs.

- 96% of parents have seen positive changes in their child as a result of the support they received from these programs
- 90% of parents report that their child has learned strategies to keep themselves safe



## Healthy Relationships

The Healthy Relationships Program is for adolescents aged 12-21, experiencing distress connected to their close relationships. Youth participate in group counselling sessions, discussing issues related to family violence, how to build healthy relationships, boundaries, abusive behaviour, and communication. Individual counselling as appropriate is also offered. Referrals are made at the school by teachers and Guidance Counsellors or through school partner programs.

The Healthy Relationships Program is offered in collaboration with the Calgary Board of Education, the Calgary Catholic School District and the Rockyview School Division.

Last year, **410 youth** participated in the program.

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- 92% of youth have learned skills to help them build healthy relationships
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- 96% are able to identify support networks they can go to for help
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## Men's Counselling Service

The Men's Counselling Service offers non-judgmental individual and/or group counselling to men who are concerned their anger and abusive behaviours are negatively impacting their close relationships. It provides a safe, respectful, and non-judgmental environment where men can discuss their concerns with professional therapists who specialize in abuse/anger management issues.

The program addresses the need for men to take responsibility for their abusive behaviours, and their ability to change them.

Men's Counselling Service website:  
[MCScalgary.com](http://MCScalgary.com).

This program helped **524 men** and **137 women**.

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- 89% of men surveyed, report that they take responsibility for their abusive behaviour towards their partner
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- 88% of women surveyed, report that they now feel safe from control and intimidation since their partner participated in this program
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## Take A Stand — A Community Capacity Building Initiative

The Take A Stand Initiative educates and empowers community members to effectively support victims. It provides information and strategies to learn how to identify family violence and abuse in all its forms, ways in which to compassionately and positively respond to victims, and ways to connect them with the resources they need.

Presentations and webinars are available.

In 2019-2020, **946 participants** took part in the Take A Stand Initiative.

- 97% of participants have increased their knowledge of family violence and abuse
- 96% of participants feel more confident to respond to a victim in a supportive and non-judgmental way

**For more information or to book a presentation:**  
**[takeastand@cwes.ca](mailto:takeastand@cwes.ca) or (403) 290-1552 ext. 426.**





## EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

### Turning Points 2019

On Thursday, April 25, 2019, the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter hosted **25 Years of Turning Points** at the Calgary TELUS Convention Centre. This signature fundraising gala commemorated the 25 year milestone and honoured the event founders. It also celebrated the courageous individuals and families in our community striving to live free from family violence and abuse as well as commemorate the important work of the agency. Emcee Dave Kelly, community leaders, and more than 550 distinguished guests joined together to Take A Stand, and help raise awareness and change the conversation around family violence and abuse.

The event raised a record-breaking **\$676,230** towards the agency's programs and services which support women, children, youth and men in our community build safer, happier and healthier lives.

Thank you to the Turning Points Founders, 2019 Co-Chairs: Sherri Logel and Shelly Norris, the organizing committee, sponsors, donors and partners for their passion and commitment, and generous support in helping make the event a success.



### Sponsors and Supporters:

**Platinum:** Cardel Lifestyles, Logel Homes and Norris Family Foundation — Shelly and Alan Norris

**Gold:** Borger Group of Companies, Postmedia and Royal LePage Solutions

**Silver:** Brookfield Residential, CREB Charitable Foundation, Homes By Avi and GDI Integrated Facility Services

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**Event Supporters:** Bill Marsh Photography, brooks & dodd consulting inc., Calgary Marriott Downtown Hotel, Calgary TELUS Convention Centre, Dave Kelly, Frank Hall, Kelly Brothers Productions, Kim Kelly, Orange Frog Productions and Susanne Fox

## Tulip Awards 2019



In November 2019, during Family Violence Prevention Month, Angela Knight from CBC Calgary's The Eyeopener hosted our annual Tulip Awards, honouring community leaders taking a stand against family violence and abuse.

The Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter would not be able to provide our services in the community without the support of our generous donors and volunteers. The Tulip Awards celebrate significant contributions that make a difference in the lives of families taking courageous steps to end family violence and abuse.

It is with enormous pride and respect that we recognize and honour the individuals and organizations taking significant action towards making lives safer and healthier for the women, children, youth and men we serve. Congratulations to all our award recipients.

### Community Partnership Award

YMCA, Mountain Haven Program  
Lions Club of Calgary  
Rebecca Silverberg

### Telling Our Story

Bonnie Barber  
Lana Wells

### Philanthropist Award

Mercuria Commodities Canada Corporation

### Philanthropist of Tomorrow Award

Amelia Walker and Kristen MacDonald

### Taking a Stand Award

Husky and Husky Employees

### Sustainability Award

William S Herron Family Charitable Foundation





## CTV Toy Mountain 2019

From November 18<sup>th</sup> until December 20<sup>th</sup>, CTV Calgary, CJAY92, 98.5 Virgin Radio and Funny 1060 AM, hosted the 6th annual Toy Mountain Campaign, presented by Trail Appliances. CTV's Toy Mountain collected much needed toys, financial donations and basic essential items for women, children, youth and men served by the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter during the holiday season and throughout the year.

With the generosity of the community, the campaign collected **\$648,684** in financial donations, toys and basic need items. In addition to collecting donations and items, CTV's Toy Mountain helps raise awareness around family violence and abuse, as well as the various programs and services provided by our agency in the community.



### Thank you to Toy Mountain 2019 Sponsors and Partners:

CTV Calgary, CJAY 92, 98.5 Virgin Radio, Funny 1060 AM, Trail Appliances, AMJ Campbell, Bankers Hall, Brookfield Place, Calbridge Homes, Denny's, Fifth Avenue Place, Goodlife Fitness, Mayfair Diagnostics and Suncor Energy Centre

Thank you to everyone who participated in CTV Calgary's Toy Mountain Campaign.

## Third Party Fundraisers

Independent special events, or third party fundraisers, big or small, are a very important component of our fundraising activities. Every event held in support of the agency gets us one step closer to achieving our mission to end family violence and abuse. A third party event is a great opportunity to participate in community work that is fun and meaningful in support of families in need.



**For more information:**  
[CalgaryWomensShelter.com](http://CalgaryWomensShelter.com)





## VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

In 2019-2020, **286 volunteers** joined us to Take a Stand Against Family Violence and Abuse, contributing

**5,736**  
**hours**

of service. These dedicated people of all ages and backgrounds are an integral part of our agency.

We are grateful for their continued support, hard work, compassion and commitment. Our volunteers are true heroes, who are willing to contribute their personal time, talents, and energy to help us succeed. We would not be able to accomplish all the work we do each year without their support.

**Thank you!**



## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**Shelly Norris** — President  
**Sherri Logel** — Vice President  
**Dave Newby** — Treasurer  
**Cameron Hughes** — Board Secretary

**Debbie Blakeman** — Director  
**Jason Enns** — Director  
**Laura Estep** — Director  
**Rob Imbeau** — Director  
**Jason McGonigal** — Director  
**Timothy Mitchell** — Director  
**Colleen Purdy** — Director  
**Bart Van Schaayk** — Director  
**Kim Ruse** — CEO, Leadership

## TREASURER'S REPORT

The 2019-2020 fiscal year saw the organization generating a modest surplus, building on the balance sheet strength we've developed over the last few years. Our operating results reflect a combination of exceptional levels of revenue generation and outstanding cost management.

Overall, our operational revenues increased 12% year on year. Of particular note were record returns from our annual Turning Points Gala, and a significant increase in our general donations, supported by, amongst other initiatives, continued involvement in CTV's Toy Mountain Campaign and the annual Shoppers Drug Mart LOVE YOU program.

We experienced a small increase in costs year-on-year, but they were carefully managed within our annual budget. Most of our expenditures relate to facility and front line employee costs.

The surplus provides for additional contingency for more difficult times that may lie ahead. The immediate future from a fundraising perspective remains uncertain, with the broader effects of COVID-19 and turmoil in the oil and gas sector touching everyone across the city in recent weeks.

That said, we are receiving additional, and very welcome, financial support from both Provincial and Federal governments, and with the agency having such a powerful reputation in the family violence sector, we've shown an ability in recent years to attract and retain donors in spite of the financial pressures that our community has faced. You can be assured that the Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter's board and management will be focussed on ensuring that the finances are managed prudently through this period of significant uncertainty.

As a board, we are grateful for the overwhelming support of governments at all levels, corporations across the city and the continued and growing contributions of an incredible group of individual donors, groups and associations. All of these stakeholders allow the organization to continue to provide outstanding service to families impacted by family violence and abuse as well as enhancing awareness of the causes and solutions of this largely invisible, but widespread issue across our community.

**Dave Newby FCA**

*Treasurer*

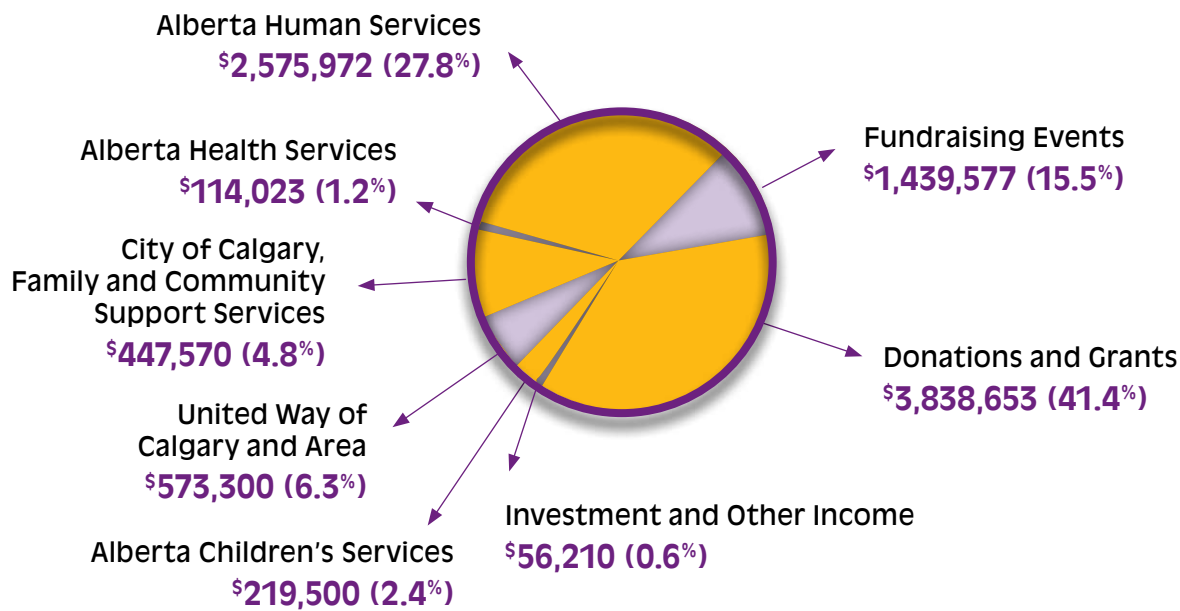
Board of Directors

# Funding Sources and Uses

## Fiscal Period Ended March 31, 2020

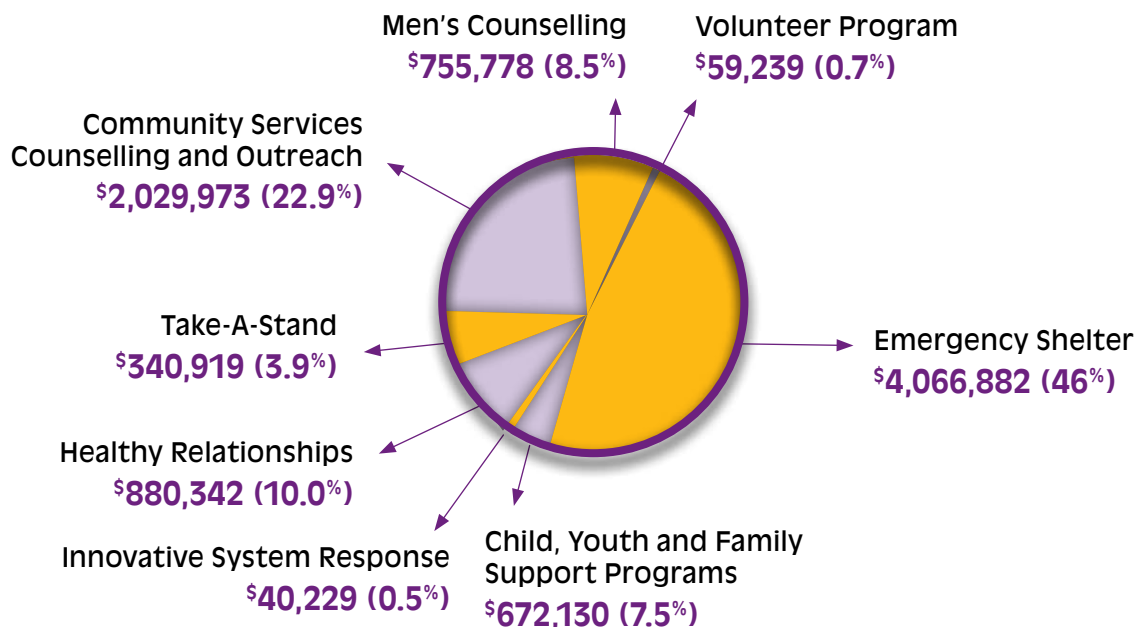
### FUNDING SOURCES 2019 – 2020

**TOTAL REVENUE \$9,264,804**



### FUNDING USES 2019 – 2020

**TOTAL EXPENSES \$8,845,492**



## FUNDERS, DONORS, SPONSORS & SUPPORTERS

Thank you to the following funders, donors, sponsors and supporters who **Take A Stand Against Family Violence and Abuse** in support of individuals and families striving to live safer and healthier lives.

### 2019-2020 Funders

- Alberta Children's Services
- Alberta Health Services
- Alberta Human Services
- City of Calgary, Family & Community Support Services (FCSS)
- United Way of Calgary and Area

## Corporations and Organizations

### Platinum \$50,000 +

- Alberta Law Foundation
- AMJ Campbell
- Brookfield Properties
- Calgary Flames Foundation
- Cardel Lifestyles/Logel Homes
- CTV Calgary – Bell Media
- Enbridge
- Inter Pipeline Ltd.
- Royal LePage Solutions/Royal LePage Shelter Foundation
- Shoppers Drug Mart LOVE YOU

### Gold \$25,000 – \$49,999

- Borger Group of Companies
- BP Canada Energy Group ULC
- Business Fore Calgary Kids
- Cask Brewing Systems Inc.
- Husky Energy Inc./Husky Group of Companies
- Postmedia
- Sinopec Daylight Energy Ltd.

### Silver \$10,000 – \$24,999

- Blythespirit Consulting Inc.
- BOMA Calgary Foundation
- Brookfield Residential Properties Inc.
- Calgary Shaw Charity Classic Foundation
- Computer Modelling Group Ltd.
- CREB Charitable Foundation
- Enerplus Corporation
- Field Management Services
- GDI Services (Canada) LP
- Homes by AVI (Canada) Inc.
- Pembina Pipeline Corporation
- Petrogas Energy Corp.
- RBC Royal Bank
- Sproule
- Spruce Meadows Leg Up Foundation
- TC Energy
- Valentine Volvo
- Velvet Energy Ltd. Postmedia Solutions



## Bronze \$5,000 – \$9,999

- ATB Financial
- ATCO Group
- Bar None Ranches Memorial
- Barjac Construction Management Inc.
- Brydon Stairs Ltd.
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## Donors \$1,000 – \$4,999

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- BMO
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- Canada Pipeline Accessories Company Ltd.
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- Canyon Plumbing & Heating Ltd.
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- CCI Wireless
- Cheque Mate Bookkeeping Services
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- Teine Energy Ltd.
- TELUS
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- Waylta Resources Ltd.
- West Canadian Digital Imaging Inc.

## Individuals, Families and Groups

### Platinum \$50,000 +

- The Donkervliet Foundation
- Norris Family Foundation
- P.E.A.R.L. Foundation
- Ross-Lynn Charitable Foundation
- John Weintz and his late wife Christine

### Gold \$25,000 – \$49,999

- Harold and Betty Allsopp Fund at Calgary Foundation
- Jim and Joan Benedict
- The Arthur J.E. Child Foundation
- The Greene Family Charitable Foundation
- Scott Haggins
- William S Herron Family Charitable Foundation
- KSBK Charitable Foundation
- Diana K. Lovett
- Gary Nissen
- The Rimell Family Foundation

### Silver \$10,000 – \$24,999

- Belich Family Fund at Calgary Foundation
- Max Bell Foundation
- Gerald A. and Beverly Berkhold/Berkhold Family Foundation
- Richard and Cathy Bird
- Coffey Family Fund at Calgary Foundation
- John and Elsie Collins Foundation
- Co-op Community Foundation
- Crist Family Fund
- Patti & Jerry D'Arcy Legacy Fund at Calgary Foundation
- Estate of Alberta Eleanor Ellis
- Michael and D. Jane Evans
- Lois Jeanette Grant Memorial Fund at Calgary Foundation
- Hawthorn Blossom Investments Ltd.
- Horne Family Charitable Fund (Two) at Calgary Foundation
- Jennifer and Chris Janostin
- Paul Lee Family Foundation
- James Lough
- Peter and L. Adele McKeen
- Sandy and Brian Moreland
- Estate of Joan Patricia Nicholson
- Nickle Family Foundation
- Kenneth and Hilary Pischke
- Gordon and Jill Rawlinson

- Neil Roh
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- Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park
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- Kristy Tidmarsh
- Totem Charitable Foundation
- The Ukrainian Self Reliance Association – Calgary Branch

## **Bronze \$5,000 – \$9,999**

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- Rotary Curling League of Calgary
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- Carol M. Shaw and the late JR Shaw
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- The Welty Family Foundation
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## **Donors \$1,000 – \$4,999**

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- Jennifer Bayes
- The Bearspaw Ladies Legacy Committee
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- Lenore Becker
- Stephanie Begin
- Wanda Berg
- Maria, Craig and Lily Berntzen
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- Ryan Boag
- Nils Bodtker
- Kathleen S. Booth
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- Pamela J. and Rick Dart

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- Jason Enns
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- Charles Fischer and Joanne Cuthbertson
- Gregory S. and Susan Fletcher
- Jennifer and Jared Folkman
- Jim Fox
- Gay Lynn Fox
- Richard S. Fox
- Eldon and Faye Fraser
- M. Elaine French
- Estate of Brian Lee Fresco
- Anthony and Elizabeth Fricke
- Matthew Ganes
- Rebecca J. Evans Gilbertson
- Louis and Robin Girard
- Good Shepherd Community Church
- Frank Goodman
- Paul and Karen Graham
- Janet Griesdale Fund
- Gary Guidry
- HAB Family Foundation
- Karen Hall
- Robert T. and Yolande M. Hall
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- Rick Harden
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- Brian Hester
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- The Hindle Family Foundation
- Gerald Hipple Family Foundation
- Dale Hohm
- Don and Della Hohman
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- Jonathan and Alexandra Howlett
- Gerry F. Hrap
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- The Hylcan Foundation
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- Kucharski Bold Foundation
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- Muhua Li
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hope and safety

### LEARN MORE

about family violence and abuse

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someone you know or think is being abused

### SPEAK UP

and start the conversation about family violence and abuse

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