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# News Release

## **Grant application material for 2010 available now**

**Quesnel, BC, November 18, 2009:**

Looking for funding for your local charity or non-profit? The Quesnel Community Foundation is seeking visionary organizations in search of funding for innovative projects. Grant application materials and information for the 2010 grants are available now.

To apply for funds, start by reviewing the funding guidelines and application package. They are available at [www.quesnefoundation.ca](http://www.quesnefoundation.ca) or from Integris Credit Union, Kevin McKelvie Financial Services, or the *Quesnel Cariboo Observer* office. The deadline to submit letters of intent to the Foundation is 3:00 p.m. on Friday, January 8, 2010. They can be submitted online through our website, to [simon.turner@rbc.com](mailto:simon.turner@rbc.com), or in person at Integris Credit Union.

The Quesnel Community Foundation is a charity created to meet the community's needs by growing and managing permanent investments. The interest from these investments is given out as grants to community groups each year. We have given over \$120,000 in grants to the community since we were founded in 2001. Our endowment, which will never be spent, is \$730,000.

In May, the Foundation gave out grants totaling \$15,000. Organizations that received grants are the Alex Fraser Park Society, the Quesnel Technics Gymnastics Club, the Quesnel Aquatics Swim Club, the Baker Creek Enhancement Society, the Quesnel Women's Resource Centre, and the Quesnel SPCA.

For more information on the Quesnel Community Foundation's 2010 granting process, please contact Simon Turner at 250-991-7669 or [simon.turner@rbc.com](mailto:simon.turner@rbc.com) or visit our website, [www.quesnefoundation.ca](http://www.quesnefoundation.ca).

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**The Foundation is a charity created  
for the lifelong benefit of our community.**