



What do you care about?













We care about it too!

No matter what you're passionate about...

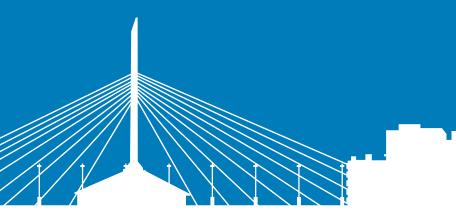
...you can support it through The Winnipeg Foundation.



Your generous gifts help create

'a Winnipeg where community life flourishes for all.'

(which happens to be our vision)



And this supports the community

For Good. Forever.

So why should you choose The Winnipeg Foundation?



There are a lot of great reasons!





The Winnipeg Foundation is a community foundation.

We're a charity, built by generous donors like you, that supports our community.

And we do it in a sustainable way.





When you give to
The Winnipeg Foundation,
you work with others who
are also passionate about
making Winnipeg the best
it can be!

We're **stronger** when we **work together.**

And we have greater impact, too!





When you make a gift to The Foundation, we pool it with other gifts and invest it. The annual earnings are used to make grants to the community.

Every. Single. Year.

Patricia Mainville Winnipeg Foundation donor and Board member







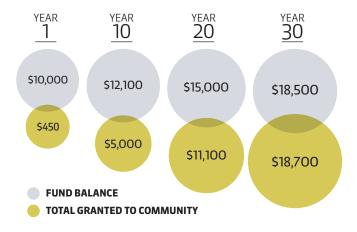
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The Foundation is made up of a collection of endowment funds. These funds support our community forever.

CONSIDER THIS:

if you make a one-time donation, it will be spent on immediate needs. If you make a gift to an endowment fund at The Winnipeg Foundation, its impact will snowball over time.

Here's a simple illustration using a \$10,000 gift as an example:





Predicting the future needs of our community is challenging. When you support our community's CURRENT NEEDS and emerging opportunities, you are providing sustainability for Winnipeg's future.

(Learn more on page 46)



The people who gave to The Foundation 90 years ago probably never imagined they'd be stopping cyber-bullying or supporting reconciliation today.

Similarly, we don't know what Winnipeg will need in the future, but your gift to The Foundation ensures we'll be ready to help no matter how our community changes!





The Foundation has been around for a long time.

We were established in 1921 – which makes us

the first community foundation in Canada.

(Today there are nearly 200!)

This also means we know a lot about our community – and the best ways to help.



In fact, many people look to us to provide insights on community needs.



Our asset managers and financial policies ensure your gift will continue to help our community...

For Good. Forever.

Did Vou know?

Every year The Foundation's responsive **COMMUNITY GRANTS** are only able to support about



of the dollars requested.

That's where you come in!

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Did you know... when you make a gift to The Winnipeg Foundation, you're working with like-minded people to make Winnipeg a place where community life flourishes for all!

health of its individuals."



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"Because our built heritage helps us remember and appreciate our past, and creates a vibrant future."

Cindy Tugwell, Heritage Winnipeg

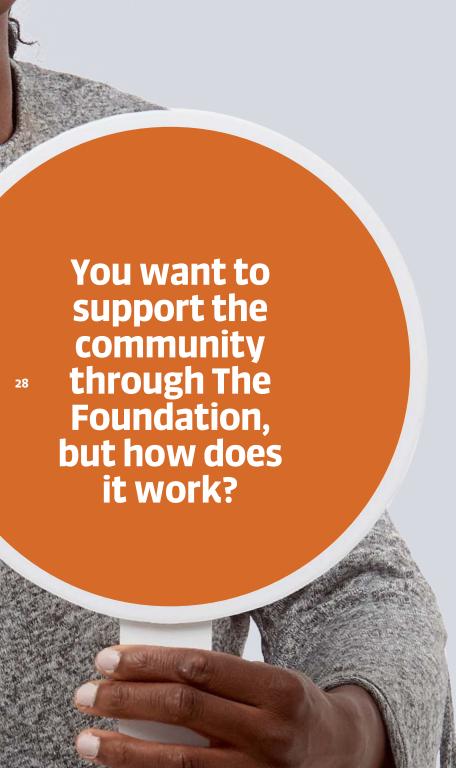
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It's easy!

There are just three steps....

CHOOSE YOUR CAUSE

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CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO HELP

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CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO GIVE

Do you want to...

- MAKE art and culture accessible
- CREATE social change through art
- CELEBRATE our diverse cultural heritage

Choose:



Do you want to...

- HELP individuals develop their potential
- EMPOWER families

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 CULTIVATE belonging and safety in neighborhoods

Choose:



Do you want to...

- PROMOTE sustainable lifestyles
- TACKLE climate change
- PROTECT animals

Choose:



Do you want to...

- ENHANCE food security
- REMOVE barriers to recreation and sports
- REDUCE isolation for seniors and the vulnerable

Choose:



Do you want to...

- CLOSE education gaps
- INCREASE school readiness, high school completion, and postsecondary enrolment
- SUPPORT transition to the workforce

Choose:



Do you want to...

- SUPPORT all the Causes
- DO IT ALL!

Choose:



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Guiding The Foundation's work is our commitment to reconciliation, a value that connects with every facet of grant-making.

"Because people have an inherent right to receive the basic essentials of life with dignity and respect."

Gilbert Vielfaure, Centre Flavie-Laurent



"Because building an inclusive community ultimately creates a robust community that can overcome any obstacle."

Rachel Bernhardt, Youth in Philanthropy intern at Inclusion Winnipeg

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CURRENT NEEDS

FAVOURITE CHARITY

1.1.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS THAT YOU CHOOSE

Do you want to...

• ENSURE our responsive Community Grants can support the changing needs and emerging opportunities in our community?

Sounds like you want to support

CURRENT NEEDS

Do you want to...

• SUPPORT a charity or charities that are close to your heart?

Looks like you should choose

FAVOURITE CHARITY

Step 2 CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO HELP

Do you want to...

• HELP deserving students realize their dreams?

You want to support



Do you want to...

• WORK with Foundation staff to play an active role in your grant-making?

Then you should select

PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS THAT I CHOOSE

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No matter what you care about, The Foundation can help you support it! Contact us to learn more.

"Because participating in sport and recreation helps develop leaders for the future."

Trevor LaForte, Winnipeg Aboriginal Sport and Recreation Association



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Tracy and Doug Amouzouvi, Winnipeg Foundation donors

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Step 3 CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO GIVE

Do you want to...



You can make a **GIFT** or **REPEATING GIFT** to any **Cause** right now!

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You can also make a gift to remember or honour someone.

(It makes a great birthday gift for that person who has it all!)

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To make a gift online, head to

FindyourBeCause.org

or call us at

204.944.9474

We also offer more giving options!
Contact us for details.

Alexis Kanu
Lake Winnipeg Foundation

Step 3 CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO GIVE

You can establish your own endowment FUND for \$2,500 (you have up to five years to build it). The amount varies depending on fund type.

An endowment FUND is a great way for you and friends/family to work together to give back to the community. You can see how much you've given to your fund, and how it's helping the community. Establishing a fund also helps streamline your giving, and you get to name it! Funds are also a great way to honour a loved one. Whatever you've got in mind, a member of our Donor Services Team can work with you.



Step 3 CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO GIVE

You might want to CREATE A LEGACY through your Will or estate plans. To learn more about how easy it is to create a legacy, go to

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"Because the arts enrich, transform, unite and strengthen us through shared understanding and expression."

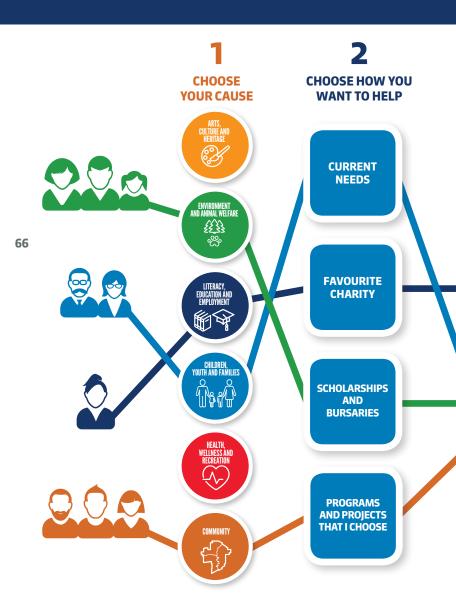
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Spencer Duncanson, Little Opera Company Winnipeg Foundation donor and former Board member

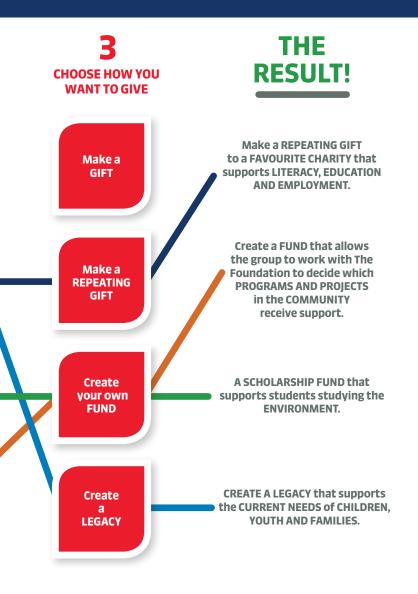




Customize your giving through The Foundation



Supporting your **Cause** the way you want is easy through The Foundation. Here are some examples of what your customized gift might look like. Everyone's experience is different. Head to **FindyourBeCause.org** or contact us to learn more.



Winnipeg needs your help!

You can send kids to camp, promote green living, give someone a warm bed to sleep in, and so much more!





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Or phone us at **204.944.9474**







We want to help you

Find your BeCause!







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What does a flourishing community look like to you? #FindyourBeCause

"Because art has the power to change the world."

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Shawna Dempsey and Dana Kletke, Mentoring Artists for Women's Art (MAWA)



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"Because I want to inspire youth by being a positive role model."

Jennifer Lansang, Youth in Philanthropy intern at Mosaic-Newcomer Family Resource Network

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