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2022 Annual Report

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- Search and Rescue Alberta
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Alberta Chapter
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EST. 2018

25 CHARITIES & NON-PROFITS

SHARING 93,000 SQ. FT.

SERVING OVER 100,000 ALBERTANS

Jerry Forbes Centre Foundation – A Charity for Charities

Established in 2018, the Jerry Forbes Centre for Community Spirit is an innovative, one-of-a-kind, shared space home for 25 local charities and non-profits.

We are strengthening our community by fostering non-profit collaboration, promoting volunteerism, and providing an affordable shared space so more non-profit funds and resources are available to meet the diverse and growing needs of people in our communities.

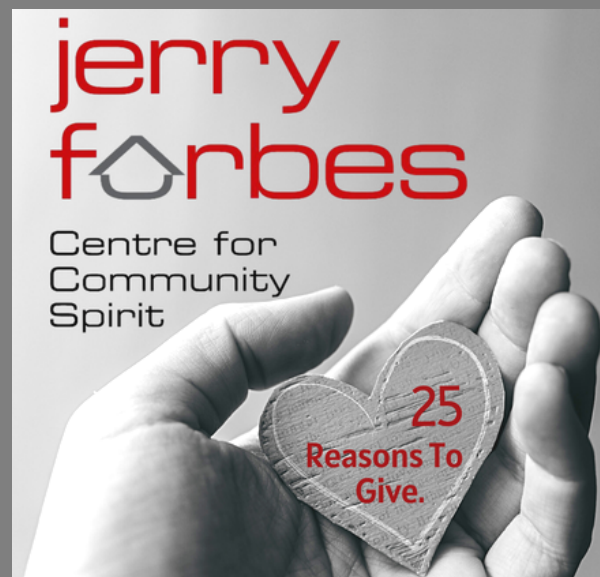
MISSION

To provide healthy, affordable, and vibrant work spaces for Edmonton non-profit organizations as we dream, grow, and work together.

VISION

To create a legacy of volunteerism in Edmonton, fostering collaboration among non-profit organizations by developing a sustainable multi-tenant centre promoting synergy, innovation, and community spirit.

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Canadian Hard of Hearing Assoc – Edmonton
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Edmonton Folk Music Festival



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Next Chapter Society
Paralympic Sports Association
SafeGen
Search and Rescue Alberta
Special Olympics Alberta
The Navy League of Canada – Alberta
The Rainbow Society of Alberta
WECAN Food Basket Society



Board Chair's Message

by *Brian Farrell*

The Jerry Forbes Centre Foundation celebrated another successful year at the Jerry Forbes Centre for Community Spirit which returned to full operation for the first time since the COVID-19 pandemic interruption.

While we remained open for essential services during the pandemic, many organizations chose a hybrid work model. There is a renewed vibrancy within the Centre and excitement for what we will accomplish together in the year ahead.

We retained all 24 partner organizations to remain at 100% occupancy and expanded our warehouse capacity to accommodate an additional nine non-profits.

Our efforts are now focused on sustainable operations and fostering opportunities for collaboration amongst our resident organizations.

2022 Highlights

- Re-opening of the Centre for normal operations
- 2nd Annual Love Local Outdoor Market
- Launch of Radical Generosity Movement
- Welcomed Paralympic Sports Association
- Unveiling of Volunteer Appreciation Mural
- Installation of Donor Recognition Wall

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Director



Performance and Results

The Jerry Forbes Centre Foundation's purpose is to provide an innovative and affordable shared space to other non-profits and charities. This allows them to direct more of their funds and resources to serving the people of Edmonton.

All operating costs for the Jerry Forbes Centre for Community Spirit were recovered. Every effort was made to keep operating costs as low as possible at a time when the non-profits were the most vulnerable for their own sustainability.

With regards to the financial results for the Jerry Forbes Centre Foundation, we are showing a shortfall on expenses. As we transitioned from a capital campaign to a sustainable operations campaign, our fundraising efforts were significantly impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Now that restrictions have been lifted, we will accelerate our fundraising strategy for both short-term and long-term funding revenue.

The financial health of the Jerry Forbes Centre Foundation drives the sustainability of the Centre for Community Spirit.

To obtain the complete financial report, please visit the following link:

<https://jerryforbescentre.ca/about/>



"Our association has been happy to call the 'Jerry Forbes Centre' our home since the doors opened in October of 2018. CHHA-Ed had been looking for a location that we could share a sense of belonging and community with others. The community spirit we now feel with the other non-profits who share this space is one we did not have before, alone in our own downtown office.

The affordability now allows us full time staff and programs for the community. The sharing of ideas, assistance when needed, and social activities makes this more than just a place to work. We hope to remain in this HOME for years to come!"

Cindy Gordon, Executive Director
Canadian Hard of Hearing Association-Edmonton Branch



Founding Partners Recognition

As we move from a Capital Campaign to a Sustainable Operations Campaign, it is important to recognize our founding partners for their contribution to the opening of the Jerry Forbes Centre for Community Spirit.



RADICAL GENEROSITY

"This is how YOU change the world, the smallest of circles first...That HUMBLE ENERGY, the kind that says, 'I will do what I CAN DO right now in my own small way,' creates a RIPPLE EFFECT on the world."

Richard Wagamese

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