

Community Foundation  
of Mississauga

# 2021 Annual Report



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# Celebrating 20 Years of Community Building



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# A Report From our Chair & CEO



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The Community Foundation of Mississauga officially celebrated 20 years of community building in 2021 and we are very proud of our amazing accomplishments. Cumulatively, the Foundation has granted more than \$21 million in grants to charities supporting our community.

Thanks to the generous support of our fundholders, nearly \$1 million was granted to projects across Mississauga, and over \$200,000 in additional flow-through funds reached our community in 2021. Together, the Foundation made 144 individual grants to support a broad spectrum of charitable organizations.

In 2021, two new funds were launched with the Foundation – the Douglas Markoff Riverwood Horticultural Fund and the Winsborough Family Memorial Fund. Launching a fund with the Foundation often marks the beginning of an incredible journey of giving that can have a remarkable impact on our community. Such was the case with Joanne Winkworth, who began her relationship with the Foundation when she opened a small fund to support homeless youth in 2007. Joanne regularly attended events with the Foundation and steadily built her fund over time, eventually making a bequest in her will to establish the Winkworth Family Fund. For her ongoing support of homeless youth and her long-term commitment to the Foundation, Joanne was posthumously awarded the Pendle Award for Philanthropy for 2021.

Novo Nordisk was the 2021 corporate Pendle Award for Philanthropy recipient. In 2020 Novo Nordisk established a fund to tackle type 2 diabetes and obesity with a specific focus on Health Equity for Racialized Communities. During their first year of granting, Novo Nordisk granted \$85,000 to charities in Mississauga who are working to tackle type 2 diabetes in our community. Novo Nordisk also sponsored our 2021 Vital Signs report and has committed to continuing their granting program in Mississauga. We thank all of our fundholders and corporate partners for their ongoing and generous support of our community and the Foundation.

2021 was a year of transition for our community and for the Foundation as both emerged from the grip of the COVID-19 Pandemic. Our 2021 Vital Signs report provided a comprehensive look at the impacts of COVID-19 in our community. The report highlighted the disproportionate

impact that COVID-19 had on youth, newcomers, racialized communities and people with disabilities. The report also highlighted the value and need for public spaces and natural areas in our city. Our Vital Signs report has highlighted the needs in our community and brought into focus the areas where the Foundation can have the greatest impact.

Like most organizations in the charitable sector, the Foundation was also financially impacted by the pandemic due to disruptions in our operations and the cancellation of fundraising events over the past two years. As a result, the Foundation is in the process of restructuring our operations to protect the organization against future operating disruptions.

Looking forward, the Foundation will be re-focusing our efforts on growing our endowed funds, creating stronger alignment with our charitable partners, and re-vamping our corporate partnership program. All of which is intended to double our community impact within the next ten years.

As the Foundation looks to modernize its operations, we will be investing in a new cloud-based integrated software solution to run our operations. This project will launch early in 2023 and will leverage an online portal system for managing grant applications, interfacing with fundholders and managing online donations. Once fully operational, we anticipate that this project will vastly improve our operational efficiency, while improving the user experience for our charitable partners, donors and fundholders.

Together, the Board of Directors and our staff are very excited about developing a new strategic plan to double the impact of the Foundation over the next ten years. The work has already begun and we look forward to sharing our plans and our progress in 2022 and beyond.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Erica Teklits".

Erica Teklits, Chair of the Board

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Glenn Gumulka".

Glenn Gumulka, President & CEO

# 2021 Grant Recipients



Acclaim Health and Community Care Services  
Active Adult Centre of Mississauga  
Afghan Women's Organization  
Alzheimer Society, New Brunswick  
Armagh  
Art Gallery of Mississauga  
Arthritis Society, New Brunswick Division  
Bereaved Families of Ontario Halton/Peel  
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Peel  
Campfire Circle  
Canadian Jesuit Missions  
Canadian Wildlife Federation  
Child Development Resource Connection Peel  
Citizens for the Advancement of Community Development  
Community Living Mississauga  
Credit Valley Conservation Foundation  
DEEN Support Services  
Diabetes Canada  
Easter Seals Ontario  
EcoSpark  
Eden Food for Change  
Embrave: Agency to End Violence  
EveryMind Mental Health Services  
Food4Kids Ontario  
Friends of the Museums of Mississauga  
Heart and Stroke Foundation of New Brunswick  
Heart House Hospice  
Hemophilia Ontario  
Ian Anderson House Foundation  
Jack.org  
Junior Achievement of Central Ontario  
Lakeshore Community Outreach Centre  
Learning Disabilities Association of Peel Region  
MADD Canada (Mothers Against Drunk Driving)  
MakeWay Charitable Society  
Meagan Bebenek Foundation  
MIAG Centre for Diverse Women and Families  
Mississauga Arts Council  
Mississauga Children's Choir  
Mississauga Festival Choir  
Mississauga Food Bank  
Mississauga Heritage Foundation Inc (Heritage Mississauga)  
Newcomer Centre of Peel  
Northeastern Junior College  
Options Mississauga Print and Office Services  
Orchestras Mississauga  
Our Place Peel  
Peel Career Assessment Services Inc  
Peel Children's Aid Foundation  
Peel Family Education Centre  
Peel Learning Foundation  
Presbyterian World Service & Development  
Princess Margaret Hospital Foundation  
Punjabi Community Health Services  
Queen's University  
Safe City Mississauga  
Salvation Army Canada  
Salvation Army Oakville Community Church  
Sampradaya Dance Creations  
Scientists in School  
Second Harvest  
Sickle Cell Awareness Group of Ontario Inc.  
Sikhs Serving Canada Association (Seva Food Bank)  
Silent Voice Canada  
Small Change Fund  
St. Leonard's Place Peel  
St. Mildred's-Lightbourn School  
Starlight Children's Foundation Canada  
Start2Finish Canada  
Team Unbreakable  
Tetra Society of North America  
The Canadian Arabic Orchestra  
The Canadian Jesuit Missions  
The Concerned Kids Charity  
The Dam - Develop Assist Mentor  
The Kidney Foundation of Canada  
The Lighthouse for Grieving Children  
The Riverwood Conservancy  
Toronto Wildlife Centre  
Trillium Health Partners Foundation  
United Way Greater Toronto  
University of Toronto at Mississauga  
University of Waterloo  
Victim Services of Peel  
Visual Arts Mississauga  
Vita Centre  
VON Peel  
Wellspring Cancer Support Foundation  
YMCA of Greater Toronto  
Youth Without Shelter



Toronto Wildlife Centre nursing injured falcon

# Our 2021 Impact



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Total Grants made in 2021

\$960,804

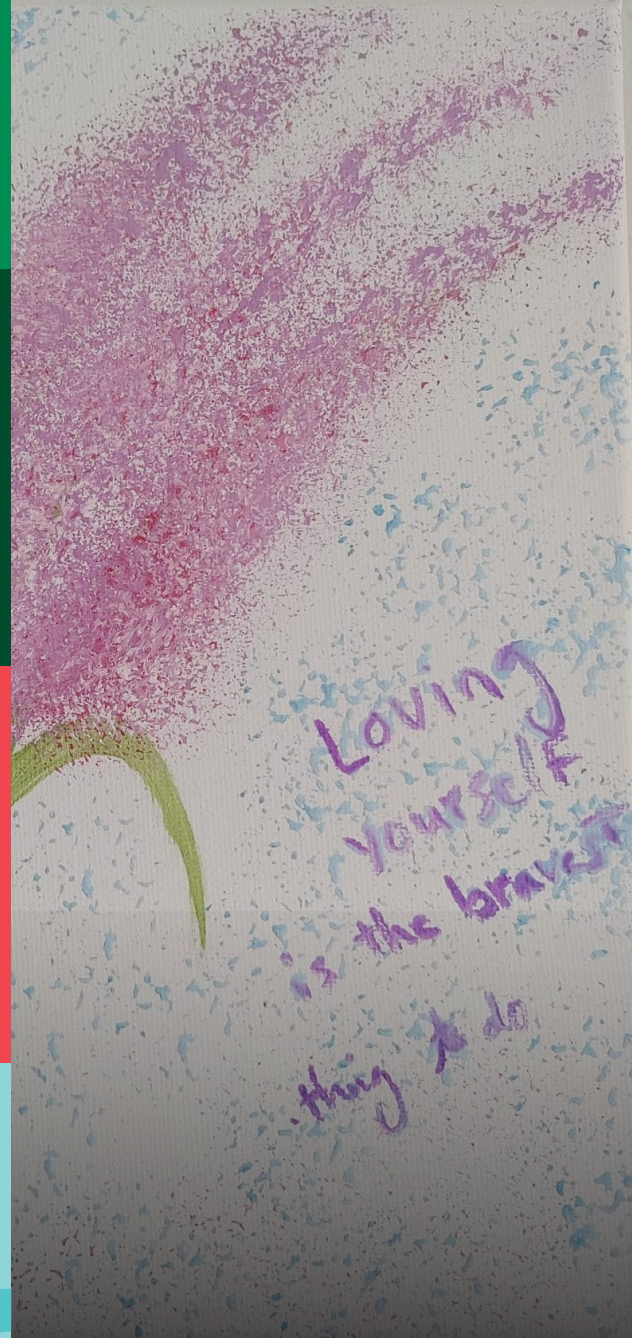
Endowment Grants distributed in 2021

\$208,350

Flow Through Grants made in 2021

\$21,543,351

Cumulative Grants to Date



# Featured Grant Recipients

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## ARMAGH

### PENDLE FUND GRANT

Armagh has operated a transitional supportive housing facility for victims of family violence at its current location since May 1991. Since that time Armagh has provided service to women, with or without children, referred from emergency shelters in the Region of Peel and the Peel Children's Aid Domestic Violence Team. Armagh is the only organization of its kind in the Region of Peel, and families can now reside at Armagh for up to two years. Armagh is committed to continuing to provide affordable shelter, assistance, and programming to this vulnerable segment of the Region.

Thanks to funding from CFofM and the Pendle Fund, a Child and Youth Worker project enabled Armagh to co-ordinate weekly arts-based interventions that employ a psycho-educational approach, providing "bite-sized" pieces of information to children while teaching them strategies for safety

and managing their feelings. The Child and Youth Worker along with a psychotherapist implemented 16 weeks of successful art-based activities. The drop-in occurred weekly on Thursdays from 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm. It created a safe space where children who have witnessed or experienced domestic violence can create artwork in a group setting. From time to time children and their caregivers created art together.

Each year, Armagh serves more than 30 children who have witnessed or experienced abuse. Many arrive at Armagh angry, sad, scared, confused, and introverted. Many of these children do not know how to express their emotions. This program has made a demonstratable difference by teaching emotion management to the children and families staying at Armagh, particularly for one family with children of different ages who were able to connect through art.



Armagh Art Project



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## DEEN Support Services

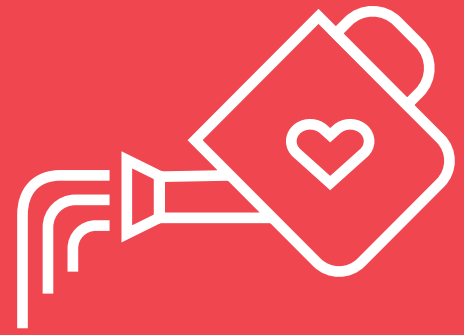
### NOVO NORDISK FUND GRANT

For the past 8 years, DEEN Support Services has successfully provided a weekend activity program for persons with disabilities (PWD), improving their health and mental wellbeing. The weekday Community Inclusion Day Program provides a safe space for teaching life skills (e.g. employability) and healthy living activities in a culturally and spiritually relevant environment for isolated PWD, based on identified life-long learning goals. Other programs include the Sunday Activity Program for recreation and respite care, Modified Soccer Activities for PWD, Peer Support for blind persons/persons with visual disabilities, Peer Support for Families or Caregivers of PWD, and Peer Network for Professionals.

The Novo Nordisk Diabetes & Obesity Fund grant was utilized to support “Healthy Food, Healthy Communities: The Urban Community Farm to Table Project”, which empowered the community to make healthy/nutritious food choices through an urban garden initiative.

25 participants with intellectual and developmental disabilities, along with 19 staff and 6 volunteers, learned how to plant and maintain an accessible urban garden for growing vegetables (e.g. tomatoes, eggplants). Additionally, participants learned nutritional food recipes through engaging cookery classes, using the very vegetables they harvested, while also discussing the impact of diabetes on health and healthy food alternatives. Fun and healthy exercise routines were also incorporated to support healthy living to combat diabetes and obesity, including personalized music, routines and neighbourhood walks. The Novo Nordisk grant was used to pay for gardening materials, accessible cooking tools and instructor fees.

The project aims to increase awareness of healthy food choices within the South Asian/Arab community of PWD, providing participants with the knowledge and tools to cultivate their own food to boost long-term health.



Deen Support Services Urban Garden



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## Lighthouse for Grieving Children

### SMART & CARING CHILDREN AND YOUTH FUND (SCCYF) GRANT

The Lighthouse for Grieving Children provides peer support for grieving children, youth and their families in the Halton and Peel area. They offer open-ended, ongoing grief support groups to help children and their families re-adjust after the death of a parent or sibling, providing a forum to connect with others who have experienced a similar loss and develop coping skills after a life-altering death, so that no child has to grieve alone. The Lighthouse is also a valuable community resource providing training, consultation and educational presentations on the topic of children's grief to different sectors such as school board staff, health care professionals, social services professionals, etc. In addition to over 350 children, youth and parents served in support groups annually, Lighthouse serves hundreds of individuals each year through consultation, training and education initiatives including their Annual Children's Grief Awareness Symposium.

This year's grant supported a podcast series that was built on relationships established with leaders from Lighthouse's multicultural outreach, to learn and gain insights into how grief is experienced, expressed and supported within these communities. The multimedia platform allowed Lighthouse to share these insights and learnings with the broader community as an educational

offering, thereby enabling a grief-informed community while gaining a better understanding of the needs and barriers to access support, to better serve multicultural communities. This 9-episode podcast resulted in 513 downloads worldwide, with 409 in Canada alone. The SCCYF grant was used to pay for outreach coordinators, their Uberconference subscription for editing and recording, the podcast platform annual subscription, a microphone and marketing and communications support.

The latest strategic plan for Lighthouse includes more work on building capacity, better serving children and families from multicultural communities who have been underrepresented among participants, enhancing grief resource and training offerings, continuing to offer virtual support groups in combination with in-person services, and supporting collaboration with a national network of organizations for children in Canada to advocate for funding and resources to support this work.





## Mississauga Children's Choir

### HAZEL MCCALLION FUND FOR ARTS, CULTURE AND HERITAGE FUND GRANT

The Mississauga Children's Choir (MCC), now in its 41st season, provides children ages 4 through 18 with the opportunity to experience the challenge, joy, and reward of choral singing of the highest calibre. MCC teaches singing, music theory, sight singing, and performance. With over 130 members, the choir is divided into three ensembles: Training Choir, Junior Choir, Senior Choir. In normal years, MCC has four self-produced concerts; two at the Living Arts Centre (LAC) and two at local churches, in addition to numerous community performances, including civic events. In the era of COVID-19, MCC has shifted its programs outdoors and online, including participation in virtual concerts. MCC won the CBC national children's choir choral competition in 2010 for excellence in singing, winning over all other children's choirs in Canada. In 2016, MCC expanded its offerings to the community by launching a second location and initiating 'Cantiamo', a successful music program for children aged 4 to 6.

The Hazel McCallion Arts, Culture and Heritage grant was utilized

to support 3 workshops for music teachers in Mississauga, with 3 clinicians, who specialized in an area of choral conducting or music education, presenting a workshop for two hours that was free to all music educators. Over 80 music educators from Mississauga and 12 more from other parts of Ontario attended the workshops and they have now begun attracting more music students who are working towards degrees or diplomas in music education. One of the workshops was a rhythm and drumming workshop for kids which was moved to MCC's parking lot due to COVID restrictions on indoor gatherings. Music teachers were invited to attend the workshop in their cars and parked around the drumming circle, it was a highly successful event. The grant money was used to pay the clinicians, artistic staff, recording engineers and for the space to do this project safely.

The pandemic has made teaching music to students very challenging. Music classes are very difficult to translate to zoom and MCC provides support for music teachers to get them through this difficult time.



Mississauga Children's Choir Outdoor Drumming Workshop

# Sampradaya Dance Creations

## HAZEL MCCALLION ARTS, CULTURE AND HERITAGE FUND GRANT

Sampradaya Dance Creations has been an integral part of the Mississauga arts culture since 1998, with a mission of re-defining Indian dance through invigorating bharatanatyam with fresh and original approaches to choreography, content and collaboration. The goal is to deepen the relationships with our communities through a diverse portfolio of initiatives built from a position of trust and respect, mutual benefit and sharing. The company's wide range of activities includes concerts, touring, inter-cultural collaborations and community outreach activities. Through its Kalangan series, Sampradaya presents a regular series of interactive audience development presentations by some of the world's finest artists. And through its Horizon series, the Company presents emerging professionals in a solo series.

Their Hazel McCallion Arts, Culture and Heritage funding was used towards a special event called the Family Day Arts Fest, that was held on the Family Day Weekend of Feb 19 & Feb 20th, 2022. Due to COVID-19 restrictions and challenges, they had to postpone the Summer Skies Festival event from July 2021 to July 2022. The almost

continuous restrictions and isolation were having an adverse impact on the mental wellbeing of both performing artists and potential audiences and a decision was made to present the Family Day Arts Fest indoors at Sampradaya Theatre despite the reduced seating capacity due to the restrictions.

Sampradaya's vision finally came to life through this grant and they were able to expand their programming objectives, by not only showcasing South Asian art forms including Indian classical dance, but also other diverse groups. They hosted presentations by Mississauga based organizations such as the Canadian Arabic Orchestra, Kaleidoscope Chinese Performing Arts, Frog in Hand group, as well as the Indigenous group All Nations. Although the audience was limited to 50% of Sampradaya Theatre's capacity, the energy in the space was infectious. They also live-streamed the event on Facebook, increasing their reach substantially with about 1500 social media engagements. The grant received enabled many artists to perform in this two-day event.

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## The Concerned Kids Charity

### HAZEL MCCALLION ARTS, CULTURE AND HERITAGE FUND GRANT

Since 1989, The Concerned Kids Charity have been providing immersive art and puppetry event-based experiences to children and youth. Their team of professionally trained actors animate 20 puppets, each with their own unique backstories, abilities, and personalities, in their school-based program and online shows. They utilize an ‘edutainment’ style of teaching to help children develop a deeper understanding of empathy, ally ship, humility, self-confidence, and respect while discussing difficult issues ranging from bullying, mental health, equity and diversity. Finally, their Encore Arts program works with 2SLGBT+ seniors to reduce social isolation, gain self-confidence, learn artistic skills, deepen their understanding of wellness, and develop strategies for managing mental health.

The Hazel McCallion Arts, Culture and Heritage (HMACH) grant was utilized to support the “Rainbow Voices” project, a series of artistic performances that showcased 2SLGBTQ+ artists in Mississauga. They were

able to work with 4 different artists and three dancers to produce 5 original drag and dance performances. Each performance was Bollywood themed and consisted of 3-5 dancers. The performances were developed by the artists and told a story of growing up queer in Mississauga. The artists were able to work with Priyanka, winner of Canada’s Drag Race, to develop an original performance. Partnering with Bollywood Monster Mashup, they were able to showcase the performances during their virtual festival in September 2021. Each artist shared their personal story prior to their act. The show received more than 1.4 million views. The HMACH grant was used to pay for the artists, dancers, videography, editing, post production work, and marketing.

The Concerned Kids Charities have impacted the lives of over 650,000 children within the GTA and Mississauga, reaching between 15,000 to 20,000 kids annually. In the first 6 months of Covid, they were able to touch the lives of over 45,000 people.



The Concerned Kids Charity with Bollywood Monster Mashup



Eden Food For Change & Vita Centre Volunteers

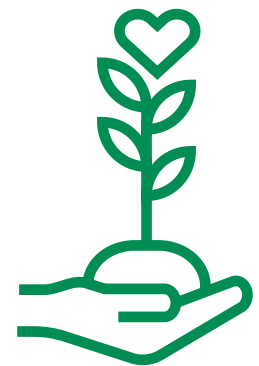


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# Our Dedicated Donors

Donor support is helping to build a better community by creating or contributing to endowed funds, supporting the Foundation's programs and events and ensuring the sustainability of the Foundation's operations. Along with our community, we extend appreciation to the individuals and organizations who made lead gifts in 2021.



Josephine Adad  
Renaë Addis  
Anonymous  
Mahesh Aravamudan  
Jag Benet  
Michelle Berger  
Peter and Karen Campbell  
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Robert and Susan Chan  
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CIBC World Markets Children's  
Miracle Foundation  
Tom and Stella Cooney  
Robert D'Alimonte  
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Susan and Merle Zoerb

# Our Corporate Partners



## CHAMPIONS

Keyser Mason Ball, LLP  
Novo Nordisk Canada Inc.

## AMBASSADORS

Assante Capital Management Ltd  
Bayshore Home Health  
BDO  
Lakeside Process Control  
Mississauga Board of Trade  
MNP

## ADVOCATE

Farnham Accountants + Advisors  
Green Benefits Group  
MDP LLP  
Pallett Valo LLP

## EVENT PARTNERS

Alectra Utilities  
Audi of Mississauga  
CharityAcCounts  
LIUNA Local 183  
Novo Nordisk Canada Inc  
Oakville Optometry  
TD Wealth Management





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## **Creating endowed funds is the heart of what our community foundation offers to donors.**

Efficiency, cost-effectiveness and responsiveness to donor's philanthropic interests are hallmarks of our work. People from all walks of life can create, or contribute to existing funds, which are held in perpetuity by the Community Foundation of Mississauga. In this way, people create a lasting legacy that will support the charitable causes they care about and their community for good, forever.

The Foundation offers a wide range of funds from which donors can choose to best fit their interests. We also offer donors the ability to name their fund at certain fund minimums. Donors can establish a fund in their own name, their family's name, the name of anyone they wish to honour, or any organization.

**The following page contains a list of named funds held by the Community Foundation of Mississauga as of year-end 2021. ►**



# Endowment Funds

## New Funds

Douglas Markoff Riverwood Horticulture Fund  
Winsborough Family Memorial Fund

## Charity Endowed Funds

Community Living Mississauga Inclusion Fund  
Credit Valley Conservation Foundation Fund  
Heart House Hospice Fund  
Mississauga Festival Choir Endowment Fund  
Riverwood Conservancy Endowment Fund (The)

## Donor Advised Funds

Addison Jenner Rolke Wish Fund  
AlectraCARES Fund  
Claude King Fund (The)  
Cooney Family Fund  
Gale and Paul Taylor Family Fund  
Meyer Family Fund  
Pendle Fund  
Peter and Barbara Wood Family Fund  
Wordham Family Fund  
Winkworth Family Fund

## Donor Designated Funds

Brad and Kathy Shoemaker Fund for World Service  
Carter Fund  
Chief Mbulu Family Fund  
CIBC Wood Gundy Fund for Children's Charities  
Cristofaro Family Fund  
Douglas Markoff Riverwood Horticulture Fund  
Gordon Fund  
Hazel McCallion Endowment Fund  
Ida E. Barnes Memorial Fund  
Julian Martinez de Hoz Jesus Cares Education Fund  
Kathy A. Drury Fund  
Liz Nilsen and Bernie Gross Fund  
Luke Gillin Fund

Petrie Family Fund  
R. Chan Family Fund  
Reamey Family Fund for Women and Children of Interim Place  
Scott and Steve McNair Memorial Fund  
SKM-Chari Family Fund  
St. Clare of Assisi Fund

## Emerging Funds

Webber Family Fund

## Field of Interest Funds

### Children and Youth

G. Ruth Gray Fund  
Paul Coughlin Fund  
R. Lessard Family Fund

### Culture and Heritage

Hazel McCallion Fund for Arts, Culture & Heritage

### Environmental

McGregor-Fielding Fund

### Financial Literacy

Advocis Peel Halton Community Fund

### Smart and Caring

E. Hofmann Fund for Children and Youth  
Farnham Family Fund  
Fred and Eileen MacKenzie Fund  
Gabriel Fund  
Hazel's Foundation Fund  
The Maries' Fund  
Retired Educator's Fund

### Flow Through Funds

Novo Nordisk Fund

## Long Term Flow Through Funds

AstraZeneca Canada Adolescent Health Fund  
Astra Zeneca Charities Aid Fund

## Mississauga Fund

Allan and Susan Horner Fund  
Anne Marie and Tom Peirce Fund  
Beacon Fund  
Craser Family Fund  
David & Shari Lane Family Fund  
Feher-Teklits Family Fund  
Kennedy Family Fund  
Lewis Lawrence Fund  
Robert D. (Bob) Scott Fund  
Sanjib Choudhuri Fund  
Scott and Betty Franklin Family Fund  
Susan and Merle Zoerb Fund  
Winsborough Family Memorial Fund

## Operating Endowed Fund

BMO Nesbitt Burns Patiopalooza Fund  
Brad and Kathy Shoemaker Fund for Operations  
Directors Fund  
Mendel and Ruth Cohen Fund  
Misscon Foundation and Rainbow Ball Fund

## Scholarship Funds

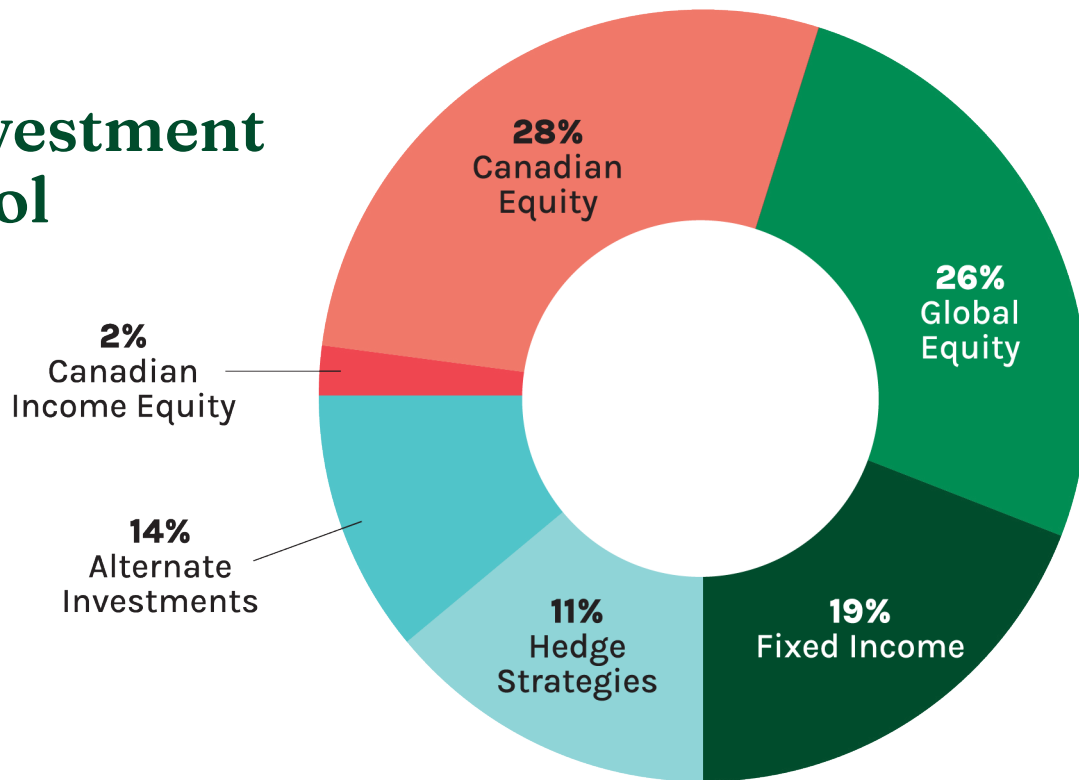
Nancy Salmon Scholarship Fund  
Joe Schembri Scholarship Fund

## Smart and Caring Charity Endowed Funds

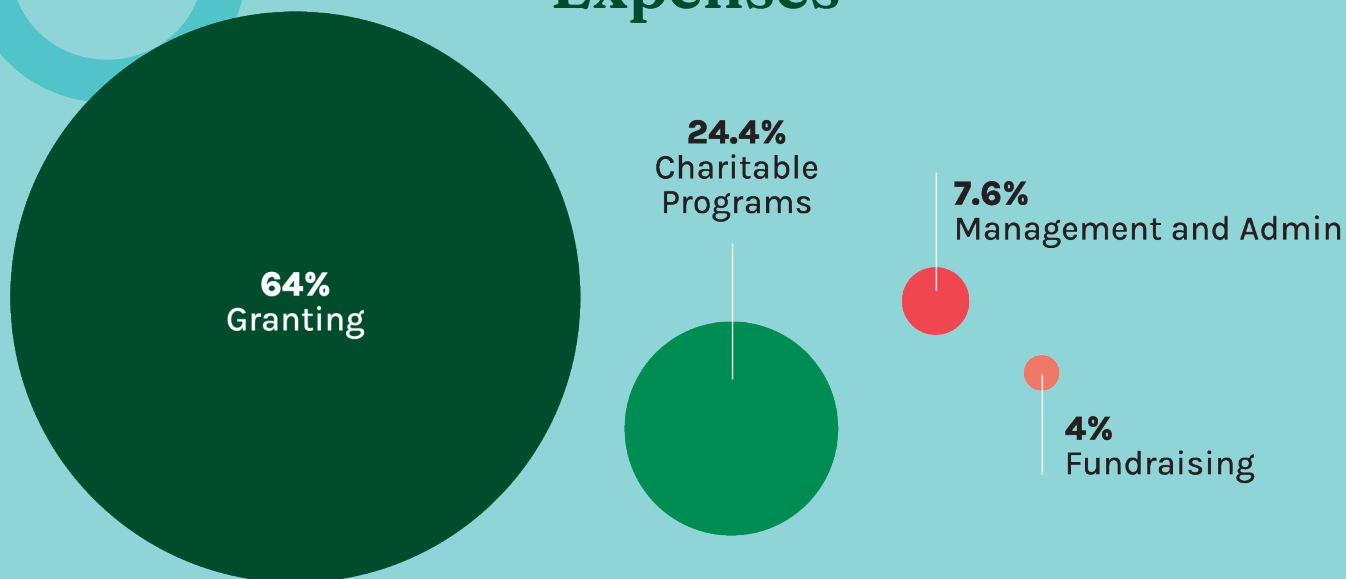
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Peel Fund  
CDRCP Fund  
Mississauga YMCA Fund  
Peel Children's Aid Foundation Fund (formerly Peel Children's Aid Society Fund and the RBC Fund for Peel Children's Aid Foundation)

# Our 2021 Financials

## Investment Pool



## Expenses



The complete Financial Statements for the year ended have been audited 2021 by Tinkham LLP, Chartered Professional Accountants and are available on our website or by request from the Foundation.

# 2021 at a Glance

GRANT TOTAL

144

ENDOWMENTS\*

\$960,804

FLOW-THROUGH GRANTS

for corporate and family philanthropy

\$208,350

\*Includes internal grants

## Return on Investment

1 Year

13.7%

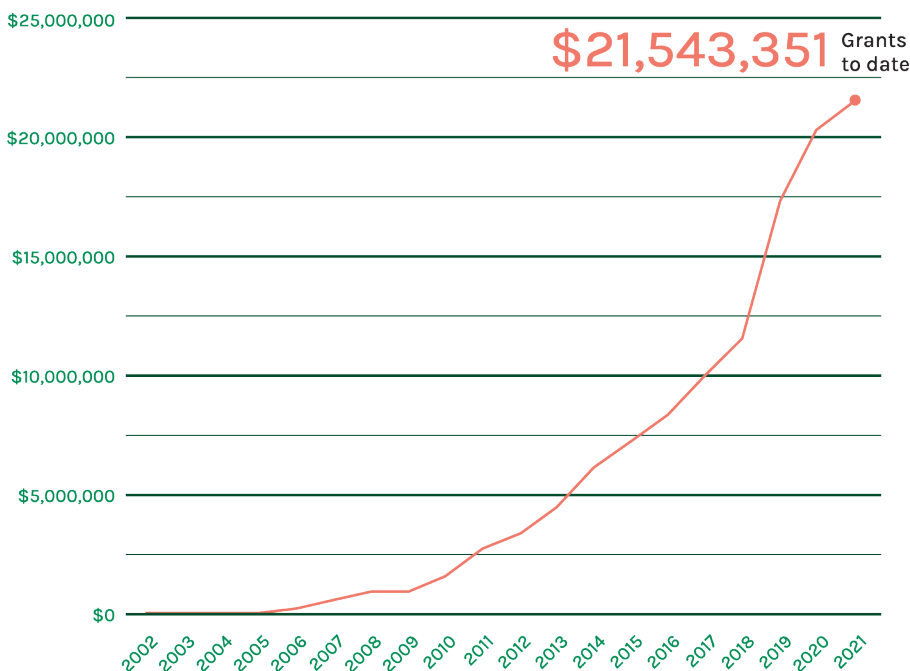
4 Year

14.1%

5 Years

9.5%

## 20 Years of Granting



Our Assets are professionally managed by Connor, Clark & Lunn Private Capital Ltd.



# Staff & Volunteers

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS



**Erica Teklits**  
Chair



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Vice Chair/Secretary



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## OUR STAFF



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Office Administrator



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Controller



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Controller

## STUDENTS & INTERNS

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\* Completed term or resigned in 2021

# Volunteers & Committees

## 2021 STANDING COMMITTEES

### Community Leadership Committee

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Lisa Sticht-Maksymec  
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### Investment Committee

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Erica Teklits

## AD HOC COMMITTEES

### Pendle Award Selection Committee

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Ray Lessard

### Events

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Dionne Edwards  
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Leslie Gomes  
Muhammad Idrees  
Olubunmi Jaiyesimi  
Negjn Jobbehdari  
Barbara Kennedy  
Svitlana Kuzavova  
Manreet Lachhar  
Tiffany Shimizu  
Smriti Srivastava  
Paul Webber



Streetsville Village Square from  
The Mississauga News

# About Our Foundation

Our Vision is a strong, vital community that has the resources it needs to ensure quality of life for everyone.

Our mission is to create sustainable support for community needs in Mississauga by building partnerships with donors and stakeholders who establish endowed and other related funds, to maximize our community impact by ensuring that we identify and understand community needs, and to invest in solutions.



# Our Values

- We build community vitality
- We understand our communities
- We create opportunities for dialogue and inclusion
- We embrace partnerships
- We tackle pressing issues
- We embrace diversity and foster renewal
- We grant for breadth and impact
- We build community assets and champion philanthropy
- We learn and share what we know
- We are responsive and accountable

**While there are many organizations working for better communities, a few important factors make our approach special.**

We bring donors to the table as community builders and help them formulate and realize their philanthropic goals, matching their interests and concerns with community needs and organizations and finding innovative and responsible ways to give their investments lasting impact.

We take the broadest view of what a community is and what it needs to succeed. This is why our grants support everything from shelter, sustenance and care for those most in need, to recreation, the arts, and the environment.

We take the long-term view for our communities: we identify long-term needs and opportunities and invest in sustainable solutions, helping our community become resilient, resourceful and ready for the future we want.



Our Place Peel Volunteer Event



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