



National Association of Japanese Canadians

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND REPORT

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Full NAJC Member Organizations eligible to receive up to \$3,000 in funding
 Supporting Member Organizations eligible to receive up to \$1,000 in funding
 Maximum Expenditure Approved in 2018-2019 Budget: \$10,000

2018 Submission Deadline: April 29, 2018

Community Development Fund Committee Members: Michiko Yano-Shuttleworth (Chair), Bryce Kanbara, Terry Watada

| ORGANIZATION | CONTACT PERSON | PROJECT: TITLE AND SUMMARY | FUNDING APPROVED |
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| 1. Japanese Cultural Association of Manitoba Inc (JCAM) | Art Miki | Recognition of JC seniors and early pioneers with a luncheon. Presentation about the 30 th anniversary of the historic redress settlement. Requested \$3,000. | None |
| 2. Greater Toronto Chapter | Lynn Kobayashi | Chapter's gala reception in commemoration of the 30 th anniversary of the JC Redress Settlement. Requested \$5,500. | None |
| 3. Calgary Japanese Community Association | Shirley Shigematsu | Compilation of Seniors JC and pictures framed to honor the founders of CJCA. Requested \$3,000 | \$2,000 |
| 4. Nikkei National Museum & Cultural Centre | Sherri Kajiwara | Remounting the traveling exhibit "A call for justice" as a commemoration of the 30 th anniversary of Internment with the NNMCC's annual Community Awards Dinner. Request \$1,000. | \$500 |
| 5. Kamloops Japanese | George Uyeda | Banquet to celebrate the 30 th years of Redress. Request \$3,000. | \$2,500 |



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| 6. Hamilton Chapter NAJC | Patricia Hirasawa Simpson | Transportation to attend the gala event at the Bell Tiff Lightbox Luma to celebrate the 30 th anniversary of Redress. Offset costs for the guest speaker Art Miki. Requested \$3,000. | \$2,500 |
| 7. Ottawa Japanese Community Association | Sachiko Okuda | OJCA will hold a redress commemoration called "Truth, Justice and Community" partnered with Library and Archives Canada. Guest speakers and a short excerpt of the play "The Tashme Project". Request \$3,000. | \$2,500 |
| 8. Japanese Medical Support Network in Canada | Kiyoshi Dembo | Dementia supporter training. Request \$1,000. | N/A – not eligible as not submitted by member organization |
| 9. Greater Vancouver Japanese Canadian Citizens' Association | Lorene Oikawa | Lunch to reconnect internment survivors and document stories. Film through online access and distribution. Request \$3,000 | None |
| TOTAL | | Approved | \$10,000 |

Note that no application received maximum funding. Because more funding applications were received than the amount of funding actually available, the committee had to prioritize and limit funds awarded, and it was not possible to award funding to all applicants.