

## 2023 REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

Building healthy and vibrant communities, supporting those in need, making a difference, helping to realize dreams. That's what the Trigon Pacific Terminals (Trigon) Community Investment Fund is all about.

Trigon is proud to be the largest terminal by volume within the Port of Prince Rupert, employing over 130 people and contributing to the well-being of nearby communities and of those farther afield who rely on us to get their natural resources to global markets.

Each year, Trigon gives a portion of our revenues back to the communities that we are proudly a part of, supporting a diverse range of projects and initiatives that, in turn, improve the quality-of-life in the communities of Prince Rupert, Port Edward, Metlakatla and Lax Kw'alaams.



#### **FOCUS AREAS**

We primarily focus on initiatives in two key areas:

- Healthy Communities initiatives address basic needs such as housing, emergency support, food security and nutrition, mental health and literacy.
- 2. Vibrant Communities initiatives are longer-term projects that are helping position all of us for success in our rapidly changing world, through such things as education and skills development, or environmental innovation.

We aim to support a mix of organizations that deliver benefits across the four communities of Prince Rupert, Port Edward, Metlakatla and Lax Kw'alaams, and that benefit both Indigenous and non-Indigenous residents.









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#### BY THE NUMBERS

#### TOTAL COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS

In 2023, Trigon committed some \$379,000 to local community investments.

This was up significantly from the pandemic period, when many community activities were paused. We also made a number of larger-scale and multi-year commitments in 2023, bringing our investments up to a range that we hope to continue moving forward.

The specific amount that Trigon is able to spend each year is based on our annual throughput volumes. So, the more product we handle, the more we can give back.



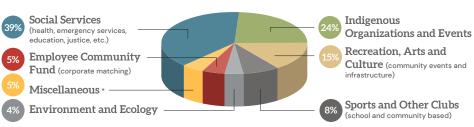
#### **HOW WE GAVE BACK IN 2023**

Over 60 projects, events, community organizations and other recipients received funding from Trigon in 2023. Our community investments varied in size, supporting organizations and initiatives with as little as a few hundred dollars through to much larger, often multi-year commitments.

#### Donation size:



#### Donation categories:



<sup>\* &</sup>quot;Miscellaneous" includes one-off donations as well as Community Investment Fund promotional activities.



### FEATURED PARTNERSHIPS

# PRINCE RUPERT & PORT EDWARD FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Our first responders provide lifesaving support to many in our community. In 2023, Trigon made a three-year, \$75,000 commitment to the District of Port Edward to support the purchase of a replacement fire truck. Trigon also provided \$25,000 to the Prince Rupert Fire Department, for a new automated CPR device, which ensures compression consistency for patients experiencing cardiac arrest.

# NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLE'S DAY

The rich and enduring legacy of Indigenous history and culture is one of the most compelling features of life in Northwest BC, and National Indigenous People's Day is an opportunity for all of us to honour, recognize and celebrate. Trigon was honoured to be the Presenting Sponsor of the 2023 Prince Rupert celebrations, organized by the local school district, with a \$9,000 donation.









#### KAIEN ISLAND TRAIL ENHANCEMENT AND RECREATION SOCIETY

Prince Rupert is surrounded by an abundance of natural beauty, and various efforts are underway to enhance the outdoor opportunities for residents and visitors alike. In 2023, Trigon made a three-year \$75,000 commitment to the Kaien Island Trail Enhancement and Recreation Society in support construction of the first phase of a multiuse Cloudberry Trail pathway.







# HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS & ATHLETICS SUPPORT

BC's northwest is home to many exceptional youth, and for many years Trigon has helped local students advance their post-secondary education and training. Each year, five students receive support through the Bernard W. Willers Memorial Scholarships and the Trigon Scholarships, with a total annual value of \$25,000.

Often our young athletes have to travel long distances to compete at higher levels. With this in mind, in 2023, Trigon established a Trigon Teams Sports Fund at Charles Hays Secondary School, which helps fund the full range of team sports activities, while also supporting travel for Provincials-qualifying teams.

#### EMPLOYEE COMMUNITY FUND

Each year, Trigon supports our employees who are also giving back to local organizations, by matching employee donations by up to \$50 per employee per

pay period.

Beneficiaries of the Employee Community Fund are selected by a Trigon employee committee and in 2023 included such organizations as the Salvation Army, Kaien Anti Poverty Society, the Prince Rupert Hospice, and the Prince Rupert Transition Society. In 2023, the total matching contribution donated to various organizations was \$18,945.



## 2023 COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS AND PARTNERS

# Organizations benefiting from our financial support in 2023 included:

All Native Basketball Tournament

Breakfast Club of Canada

Carrier Sekani Family Services

Charles Hays Secondary School Parent Prom

Committee

Charles Hays Secondary School Sports Teams

Prince Rupert Fire Department

District of Port Edward

**Ecotrust Canada** 

**Growing Space** 

Harbour Theatre

Indigenous Peoples' Day Planning Committee

Jazz Productions Association of BC

Kaien Island Trail Enhancement Society

Kid Sport

Kids 4 Cameras / Friendship House

Lax Kw'alaams and Metlakatla Holiday Dinners

Lester Centre of the Arts

**North Coast Community Services** 

North Coast Ecology Centre Society

North Coast Mountain Bike Association

Northern Indigenous Basketball Association

Play it Forward

Prince Rupert Aboriginal Community
Services Society

Prince Rupert & District Hospice Society

Prince Rupert Firefighters Association

Prince Rupert Gymnastics Association

Prince Rupert Hallowe'en Fest Society

**Prince Rupert Harley Riders** 

Prince Rupert Lion's Club

Prince Rupert Middle School (band program)

Prince Rupert Minor Basketball Association

Prince Rupert Minor Hockey Association

Prince Rupert Minor Softball Association

Prince Rupert Pickleball

Prince Rupert RCMP Victim Services

Prince Rupert Seamen Rugby Club

Prince Rupert Special Events Society

Prince Rupert Youth Soccer Association

Rotary Club of Prince Rupert

Royal Canadian Legion #27

Rupert Rampage Hockey

Salvation Army

School Districts #52 and #82

### TRIGON DIRECT ECONOMIC BENEFITS

Beyond our Community Investment Fund, Trigon generates significant additional economic benefits extending well beyond our operations. Trigon also has Benefits Agreements with local Indigenous Nations to support training and employment, and economic and community development.

2023	All Figures in Millions
Payroll and Benefits	\$26.9
Goods & Services Purchased	\$79.1
Local Region Local Region includes Prince Rupert, Port Edward, Terrace, Lax Kw'alaams, Metlakatla	\$15.2
Rest of British Columbia	\$54.6
Rest of Canada	\$7.7
Outside Canada	\$1.6
Direct Payments to Governments and Government Agencies	\$42.3
TOTAL	\$148.3



## LOOKING FOR SUPPORT?

Are you looking for financial support for your community initiative? Full details, including the Community Fund Request Form, are available at trigonbc.com under Community Investment. We encourage you to:

- 1. Review our criteria and FAQs
- 2. Contact us with any questions or to arrange to discuss your project or initiative.
- 3. Fill out an online Community Fund Request Form

If you are applying for an amount of \$7,500 or more, we encourage you to contact us in advance for an initial discussion on eligibility and funding availability.



We thank our friends, neighbours and business partners for your continued support and collaboration in 2022. Together, we are making our communities and our region a healthier and more vibrant place to live, work and play.



#### WHO IS TRIGON?

Trigon Pacific Terminals is a multi-commodity dry and liquid bulk export facility and the largest terminal in the Port of Prince Rupert. With a skilled workforce and proven operational excellence, Trigon a key link between Western Canadian commodity producers and their Asia-Pacific customers.

Trigon is privately owned, with the Lax Kw'alaams and Metlakatla within the ownership group. Trigon is committed to ongoing excellence in safety, customer service, environmental leadership, and to growth and transformation to support rapidly changing global energy needs.

#### **TERMINAL DIVERSIFICATION**

In late 2022, Trigon started construction of the Berth 2 Beyond Carbon (B2BC) second berth project, which will nearly double the terminal's capacity and provide a platform for diversification into the export of low carbon Canadian energy exports. Trigon has also announced the Trigon Pacific LPG project, which will see the redevelopment of a portion of its existing coal facilities for liquid petroleum gas (LPG) exports (also referred to as propane and butane).