

A young child with dark hair, wearing a pink short-sleeved shirt and grey pants, is being held by an adult whose back is to the camera. The child is looking towards the camera with a slight smile. The background is an outdoor setting with a large blue and green teepee, other people, and trees under a bright sky. The text "2015 YEAR IN REVIEW" is overlaid in white, bold, sans-serif font across the middle of the image.

2015 YEAR IN REVIEW



About Tides Canada

Tides Canada is dedicated to a healthy environment, social equity, and economic prosperity for all Canadians.

We support people to build healthy, vibrant communities that have the social, economic, and natural capital to steward their environments for generations to come.

We collaborate with both donors and social change leaders, build bridges between and among sectors, and help to steer more philanthropy into innovative work that can address tough social and environmental challenges.

From on-the-ground social change initiatives to shaping national strategies and public policy, Tides Canada works on issues that affect all Canadians:

- **Clean Energy and Climate Solutions:** Facilitating education, public engagement, and research to address climate change and build a clean energy future.
- **Healthy Oceans:** Conducting research and supporting community-led action to ensure ocean ecosystems are diverse and resilient.
- **Healthy Watersheds:** Ensuring freshwater health by facilitating partnerships and working with communities on stewardship initiatives.
- **Protected Lands and Forests:** Helping communities design and implement responsible conservation and stewardship initiatives for land and forests.
- **Resilient Communities:** Building equitable and inclusive societies to ensure all Canadians have the opportunity to thrive.
- **Sustainable Food Systems:** Cultivating local, sustainable food systems that benefit all Canadians.
- **Sustainable Livelihoods:** Helping communities build local economies that foster resilience and positive social outcomes.

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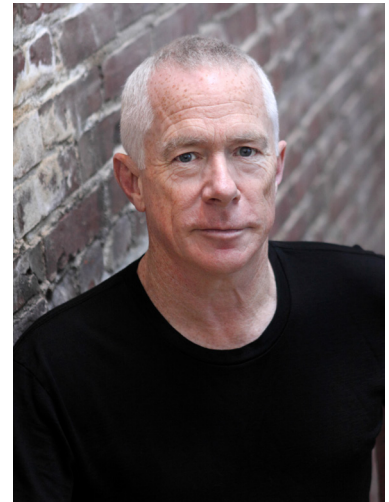


From the President & CEO

It is a very exciting time to be working in environmental philanthropy and social innovation. There's a feeling of optimism across the country. Political change at the federal and provincial levels is leading to new opportunities for collaboration. Canadians are demonstrating a growing appetite for openness, transparency, and inclusion in important decisions—their participation holds significant promise for a better world. And we are seeing governments, civil society, and Canadians respond positively to both the invitation from Indigenous people to build a new relationship and the recommendations of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Tides Canada is ready to take on an even greater leadership role in this new Canada. We have a 15-year track record of success, accumulated experience, and knowledge, and an expanding and diverse network of partners across the country. From this foundation, we are ready to apply all that we've learned—charting a course for the Canada we all want.

We will build on recent successes such as the **final Great Bear Rainforest (GBR) agreement**, which came together at the end of 2015 after two decades of effort by many parties, including Tides Canada. The final agreement established a framework to protect 85 per cent of the region's old-growth forests. It represented an extraordinary collaboration between First Nations, government, environmental organizations, and companies, among others. Tides Canada is proud of its contributions to this outcome, including spearheading the design of the \$120 million financing effort and leading GBR fundraising in Canada. There is still much to do. In the next few years we will collaborate with young Indigenous leaders as they develop community capacity and assert their authority as stewards of the lands and waters of their territories. We will also continue to help build integrated marine plans in the region.



We are accelerating our work in northern Canada, an area facing many urgent challenges but also offering great promise and opportunity. In 2015:

- We launched our first project in Yukon, **Our Voices**, which provides experiential learning, training, and development opportunities for young emerging leaders. As a shared platform project, Our Voices benefits from Tides Canada's financial, human resources, and governance support—maximizing the effectiveness of its important grassroots work.
- We provided grants for staffing and community consultations that enabled the Dene community of Délıne in the Northwest Territories to secure a **UNESCO biosphere reserve designation for Tsá-Tué**, a region encompassing the Great Bear Lake watershed.
- We launched the **Northwest Territories On the Land Collaborative Fund**, which provides easier access to funding and other resources to organizations that build strong communities through the arts, restorative justice, cultural revitalization, youth engagement, family wellness, and other programs.
- And we partnered with various charitable, government, and individual partners and advisors on the **Northern Manitoba Food, Culture, and Community Collaborative**, which improves access to healthy food and builds resilient local economies in this unique northern region. By pooling ideas, past experiences, and resources, this collaborative amplifies impact, achieving much more than any individual partner would have been able to on their own.



From the President & CEO

Beyond the North, we are working across Canada to shape an exciting future defined by sustainable food systems, a stable climate, clean energy, wise land and water stewardship, and caring communities. We are also proud of the work done through all of the projects on our shared platform including encouraging walkable cities (Jane's Walk), helping households track their carbon footprints (Project Neutral), and improving economic opportunities for informal recyclable collectors (Binners' Project).

This is just a glimpse into what we have been up to in the last year. We have so much more planned for the future and we hope you will join us on this incredible journey.

Thank you for your continued support and for placing your trust in us. We could not be where we are today—ready to advance boldly during this exciting period of change—without you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ross".

Ross McMillan
President & CEO



Strategic Philanthropy Impact

Each year, Tides Canada partners with funders, individual donors, and grassroots initiatives to advance environmental and social solutions across Canada.

Our approach leverages philanthropic tools including: strategic grantmaking programs; cross-sector partnerships; funder collaboratives; impact investment; and donor advised funds. The following are highlights from 2015 across our key issue areas.



PROTECTED LAND AND FORESTS

After almost 20 years of hard work, the final conservation and human well-being agreement for the Great Bear Rainforest (GBR) was completed. By working together, First Nations, the Province of British Columbia, logging companies, funders, and environmental organizations achieved a remarkable success—the most comprehensive conservation and commercial forest management plan of this scale in North America, and perhaps on Earth.

Tides Canada’s contributions to the GBR agreements include spearheading the design of the \$120 million financing effort and leading fundraising in Canada, as well as providing support to First Nations and conservation organizations.



HEALTHY WATERSHEDS

The first Canadian gathering of The Great Lakes Funder Collaboration brought together 39 foundations from Canada and the US to discuss how to work together to support the health of the Great Lakes watershed on both sides of the border.

Tides Canada is proud to co-chair and support the strategic direction of the Great Lakes Funder Collaboration.



SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

The Salmon Aquaculture Innovation Fund completed its first phase supporting land-based closed-containment aquaculture systems as an alternative to traditional open-net aquaculture. The initial phase not only produced environmentally sustainable seafood, but also created local economic opportunities.

Tides Canada’s \$6 million Salmon Aquaculture Innovation Fund was built with funding from the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation, the Investment Agriculture Foundation of BC, and a group of committed individual Canadian donors. Direct funding was available to projects located in BC and required matching government or industry funding.



SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS

The Northern Manitoba Food, Culture, and Community Collaborative supported 19 community-led projects with \$247,000 in grants to drive innovative local food solutions. Projects ranged from encouraging cultural practices through medicine picking, teachings on the land, and sweat lodges to building community infrastructure such as processing facilities, summer kitchens, and smokehouses.

The Collaborative is hosted and administered by Tides Canada and is composed of northern community people and advisors, funders, and organizations working together to foster healthier and stronger communities in northern Manitoba.



Strategic Philanthropy Impact



HEALTHY OCEANS

April 27, 2015 marked the completion of the planning phase of the Marine Plan Partnership (MaPP)—an innovative partnership between 18 coastal First Nations and the Province of BC. MaPP’s ambitious recommendations advance human well-being, economic opportunities, and ocean conservation on Canada’s North Pacific Coast.

Tides Canada provides project administration for MaPP and hosts The Great Bear Sea Fund to support MaPP’s ongoing work.



RESILIENT COMMUNITIES

For many Indigenous communities, the land encompasses culture, relationships, ecosystems, social systems, spirituality, and law. Programs held 'on the land' advance community wellness and environmental stewardship. In 2015 the NWT On The Land Funder Collaborative was launched to provide more effective and centralized access to funding and resources for on the land programs in the Northwest Territories.

The NWT On The Land Collaborative Fund partners include: Tides Canada; the Government of the Northwest Territories; J.W. McConnell Family Foundation; PEW Indigenous Leadership Initiative; Dominion Diamond Ekati Corporation; TNC Canada; and Community Advisors from across the NWT.



CLEAN ENERGY AND CLIMATE SOLUTIONS

The Toronto Star and Tides Canada partnered to produce a series of articles addressing a range of pressing climate issues in Canada leading up to the United Nations Climate Change Conference in Paris, December 2015.

Tides Canada supported the partnership to increase public awareness and dialogue around the impacts of climate change on Canada’s economy and communities.



Strategic Grantmaking Funds

Clean Energy and Climate Solutions

- Climate Action Fund

Healthy Oceans

- Arctic Marine Fund
- BC Community-Based Marine Conservation Fund
- BC Marine Planning Fund
- Great Bear Sea Fund

Healthy Watersheds

- BC Freshwater Fund
- BC Freshwater Legacy Fund
- Canadian Freshwater Fund
- Great Lakes Water Fund
- Mackenzie Watershed Fund
- Northern Ontario Water Fund
- Northwest Territories Water Fund
- Pacific Salmon Watersheds Fund
- Wild Salmon Ecosystem Fund

Protected Land and Forests

- Coast Conservation Capacity Fund
- Gitanyow Wilp Sustainability Fund
- Indigenous Stewardship Fund
- Klappan Strategic Initiative Fund
- Northern Terrestrial Conservation Fund
- Prospective Conservation Areas Fund
- Tides Canada Arctic Strategy Fund
- Tlatsini Conservation Endowment Fund

Resilient Communities

- Capacity for Conservation Fund
- Dragonfly Strategic Grantmaking Fund
- Emerging Northern Leadership Fund
- NWT On The Land Collaborative Fund
- Ontario Indigenous Youth Partnership Project Fund
- Tides Canada Science Integrity Project Fund

Sustainable Food Systems

- Northern Manitoba Food, Culture, and Community Collaborative Fund
- Salmon Aquaculture Innovation Fund

Sustainable Livelihoods

- Community Investment Research and Development Fund
- First Nations NGO Capacity Development Fund
- Northern Sustainable Livelihood Fund



Shared Platform Impact

Tides Canada’s shared platform powers environmental and social projects across Canada.

The following highlights are of just some of the milestones and successes reached by our projects over the last year.



SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS

Not Far From The Tree surpassed 100,000 lbs of fruit picked and distributed to local volunteers and community agencies, with the 2015 harvest being the most fruitful yet at 37,000 pounds.

Not Far From The Tree inspires Torontonians to harvest, share, celebrate, and steward the bounty from urban orchards.



SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS

Farms at Work, in partnership with the Dairy Farmers of Ontario, developed tools to ensure dairy products served at Trent University are sourced from local farmers.

Farms at Work promotes healthy and active farmlands in east central Ontario.



HEALTHY WATERSHEDS

The Canadian Freshwater Alliance launched A Communications Toolkit for Strengthening BC’s New Water Sustainability Act to provide a united voice for freshwater groups. The toolkit is centred on shared values and storytelling; it is already being used by over 130 community groups, First Nations, and non-governmental organizations throughout British Columbia.

The Canadian Freshwater Alliance supports an active and engaged network of freshwater groups concerned with protecting and restoring Canada’s waterways.



RESILIENT COMMUNITIES

The School for Social Entrepreneurs won the Startup Canada Award for Ontario, for their innovative approach to supporting entrepreneurs.

The School for Social Entrepreneurs guides students from all backgrounds to drive social change by helping to transform their vision into sustainable solutions. Photo: Solana Cain



Shared Platform Impact



RESILIENT COMMUNITIES

Our Voices, Tides Canada's first project in the Yukon joined the shared platform. This collective is supporting northern Indigenous youth through on the land programming and cultural revitalization.

Our Voices works with Indigenous youth to inspire, engage, and uphold a thriving culture.



RESILIENT COMMUNITIES

Reel Youth led film camps across Canada including Cortes Island, BC, Fort Liard, NT, Mississauga, ON, and Happy Valley-Goose Bay, NL—500 youth produced 126 films, distributed to an audience of 100,000 people.

Reel Youth empowers youth to produce and distribute films about the issues most important to them.



RESILIENT COMMUNITIES

East Scarborough Storefront was one of 16 organizations to receive support from the Province of Ontario's new Local Poverty Reduction Fund. The East Scarborough Works initiative will build local pathways to decent work by supporting institutions and public infrastructure projects to place a local focus on their recruiting practices, and co-ordinating training supports and opportunities so that people in Kingston-Galloway/Orton Park (KGO) can take advantage of local jobs.

East Scarborough Storefront collaborates to support residents and build community in the inner suburban neighbourhood of KGO.



SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

The Binners' Project held their second annual Coffee Cup Revolution where in just one day, 130 binners collected and recycled over 31,000 coffee cups at Victory Square Park in Vancouver. This demonstration project shows both the magnitude of coffee cup waste and the role of binners in the urban waste stream.

The Binners' Project improves economic opportunities for and reduces the stigma of informal recyclable collectors. Photo: Susan Mendel



Shared Platform Impact



Great Bear Education and Research (GBEAR), with First Nations partners and Pacific Wild Alliance, brought international attention to the central coast herring spawn resulting in a commitment to joint fisheries management in 2016.

GBEAR protects marine and terrestrial wildlife on Canada's north Pacific coast. Photo: Ian McAllister



Project Neutral partnered with the City of London to help households monitor and track their carbon footprint. Building on success in Toronto and Guelph, this partnership empowers London, ON residents to monitor and reduce their energy consumption using Project Neutral's CarbonShift tracking tool. Plans are currently underway to streamline the CarbonShift Tracker to enable even more participation in 2016.

Project Neutral transitions neighbourhoods to carbon neutrality, one neighbourhood at a time.



Shared Platform Projects

Clean Energy and Climate Solutions

- Clean Energy Canada
- Project Neutral
- Shift

Healthy Oceans

- Great Bear Education and Research (GBEAR)
- Marine Plan Partnership for the North Pacific Coast (MaPP)

Healthy Watersheds

- Canadian Freshwater Alliance
- Forum for Leadership on Water
- Headwaters Initiative Project
- Rivers Without Borders Canada
- Slave River Coalition

Protected Land and Forests

- Give Green Canada
- Island Conservation Canada
- Rainforest Solutions Project

Sustainable Food Systems

- BC Food Systems Network
- Canadian Biotechnology Action Network
- Farms at Work
- Not Far From The Tree
- Sustain Ontario

Resilient Communities

- Above Ground
- AIDS-Free World Canada
- Arctic Funders Collaborative
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- The Base
- Centre for City Ecology
- Connecting Women with Scarborough Services
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- East Scarborough Storefront
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- Inner Activist
- Jane's Walk
- Northern Youth Leadership
- Organizing for Change
- Our Voices
- Powered by Data
- Reel Youth
- School for Social Entrepreneurs Ontario
- Social Venture Partners Toronto
- Urban Youth Riding Project
- Writers' Exchange

Sustainable Livelihoods

- Access Our Medicine
- Binners' Project



Donors

Tides Canada receives donations from a wide range of individuals, governments, and organizations, including foundations, charities, nonprofits, and businesses. Our donors help us connect and empower a wide range of people and initiatives across the country to take on environmental and social challenges.

We sincerely thank our community of donors for their ongoing support and for working alongside us to build a stronger Canada.

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Aga Khan Foundation Canada	195
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Alzheimer Society of Toronto	11,921
Ancient Forest Exploration & Research	17,881
The Anglican Parish of Christ Church, Elbow Park	25,000
Angel's Animal Rescue Society	2,500
Aqueduct Foundation	1,000
Arctic Eider Society	40,000
Art Starts	10,000
Arts Access Fund	23,142
Arts Club Theatre Company	1,500
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Atlantic Salmon Federation	25,000
Bard on the Beach	500
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BC & Alberta Guide Dogs	1,000
BC Social Venture Partners Foundation	7,000
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Beautiful World Canada Foundation	10,203
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley	7,500
Bird Studies Canada	312,650
Boys & Girls Club of East Scarborough	7,000
Brands for Canada	15,051
British Columbia Blind Sports and Recreation Association	6,280
Calgary Zoo	10,000
Campbell River Indian Band	25,000
Campbell River School District	1,000
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Canadian Centre for International Justice	1,500
Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives	10,000
Canadian Coastal Research Society	21,563
Canadian Congenital Heart Alliance	5,860

NAME	AMOUNT
Canadian Environmental Grantmakers Network (CEGN)	10,000
Canadian HIV/AIDS Legal Network	36,607
Canadian International Freedom of Expression Trust	500
Canadian Journalism Foundation	500
Canadian Music Centre	2,496
Canadian Network for International Surgery (CNIS)	129,809
Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society (CPAWS)	95,377
Canary Research Institute for Mining, Environment, and Health	19,252
Cape Breton University	30,000
Carleton University	27,000
CAUSE Canada	1,313
Centre for Indigenous Environmental Resources	15,000
Charity Science Foundation of Canada	84,458
Chester Municipal Heritage Society	1,005
Chimp Foundation	3,089
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Columbia Institute	19,800
Community Food Centres Canada	500
Community Foundations of Canada	3,000
Compass Point Bible Church	2,000
Compassion Fruit Society	500
Cortes Community Health Association	19,513
Crohn's and Colitis Canada	12,106
Crow's Theatre	45,215
Cultivate Canada Society	65,421
Dechinta Centre for Research and Learning	34,131
Déjine Land Corporation	15,800
Dena Kayeh Institute	7,500
Doctors Without Borders Canada	19,438
Earl Grey School	5,000
Ecojustice Canada Society	67,075



Grants

NAME	AMOUNT
Ecology Action Centre	1,000
Ecology North	26,000
Ecotrust Canada	65,000
Ensemble Caprice	5,000
Équiterre	32,505
Farm Radio International	500
Festival Montréal Baroque	12,000
First Nation of Nacho Nyäk Dun	14,100
First Peoples Innovation Center	5,000
Food Matters Manitoba	26,430
Forest Trust for the Children of Cortes Island	6,031
Fraser Academy Association	10,000
Freshwater Future	25,000
Gairdner Foundation	18,472
Galiano Conservancy Association	57,609
George Brown College Foundation	25,150
Georgia Strait Alliance	500
Gitanyow Huwilp Society	165,200
Gitxaala Nation	25,000
The Glassco Foundation	6,053
Global Medic	1,000
The Global Youth Education Network Society (genius)	1,000
Habitat for Humanity Greater Toronto Area	6,386
Hamilton Victory Gardens	4,000
Heart and Stroke Foundation of Alberta, NWT & Nunavut	1,000
Heiltsuk Tribal Council	69,000
Historica Canada	2,000
Hot Docs	5,000
Ilisaqsivik Society	175,000
Immigrant Services Association of Nova Scotia (ISANS)	1,000
Indian Summer Arts Society	500
Institute for Sustainability Education & Action (I-SEA)	15,500
Instruments of Change	15,000
Inter Pares	25,670
Inter-Cultural Association of Greater Victoria	2,500
International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)	24,330
Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami (ITK)	5,000

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Inuvialuit Charitable Foundation	7,500
K'ómoks First Nation	32,000
Kidsafe Project Society	5,450
Kitasoo First Nation	55,671
Lake Winnipeg Foundation	10,000
Land Trust Alliance of British Columbia	2,000
Lasqueti Last Resort Society	38,669
The Leadership Institute	52,318
Literary Review of Canada	500
Local Food Plus	14,500
The Marigold Foundation	1,000
Manitoba Aboriginal and Northern Affairs	48,529
MaRS Discovery District	23,250
The MATCH International Women's Fund	775
Mary A. Tidlund Charitable Foundation	34,713
Massey College	500
Metlakatla Governing Council	15,000
The Moomba Society	8,924
Multidisciplinary Association for Psychedelic Studies (MAPS) Canada	920
Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada	52,768
Municipality of Chester	6,791
Musique Royale	13,373
My Arms Wide Open	1,950
'Namgis First Nation	378,000
National Music Centre	12,106
Native Child and Family Services of Toronto	7,000
Nature Conservancy of Canada	1,000
Nextwave Foundation	5,500
Nikanihk Ohci Foundation	28,900
North Coast Cetacean Society	41,453
North End Community Health Association	51,348
North Vancouver School District	1,000
Nova Scotia Nature Trust	2,163
Nunatsiavut Government	40,000
Nuxalk Nation	118,500
Office of the Wet'suwet'en	76,762
Ottawa Riverkeeper	20,000
Our Health Centre	6,791
Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish	52,758



Grants

NAME	AMOUNT
Our Place Society	1,600
Outward Bound Canada	12,000
Pacific Salmon Foundation	76,000
Parachute Canada	5,860
Peguis First Nation	25,500
Pembina Foundation	10,000
PEN Canada	2,592
Pillar Nonprofit Network	7,500
Pine River Foundation	12,439
Pivot Foundation	500
Plan Canada	9,975
Plenty Canada	22,500
Porte Parole	23,000
PuSh International Performing Arts Festival	500
Qqs (Eyes) Projects Society	105,000
Raincoast Conservation Foundation	102,400
Raising the Village	29,526
Realistic Success Recovery Society	7,000
The Remix Project	6,300
Reascent Foundation	7,205
Research Institute of McGill University Health Centre	6,339
Resource Library for the Environment and the Law	10,000
Respecting Aboriginal Values and Environmental Needs (RAVEN)	20,000
The Rhodes Trust	87,328
Richard Ivey School of Business Foundation	2,000
Rivershed Society of British Columbia	25,000
Rose Charities	1,200
Rundle College Society	56,000
S.U.C.C.E.S.S. Foundation	100,000
Saint James Music Academy	10,000
Salal Foundation	104,607
Samara Canada	500
Save the Children Canada	10,367
Sayisi Dene First Nation	11,930
SchoolBOX	75,598
Science World	25,000
Seneca College	82,320
Sheldon Kennedy Child Advocacy Centre	643
Sierra Club BC	64,000

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Simon Fraser University Centre for Dialogue	268,703
Simon Fraser University Centre for Sustainable Community Development	25,000
SkeenaWild Conservation Trust	39,885
Small Change Fund	13,400
Social Planning & Research Council of Hamilton	2,000
Société Mère Meera	6,943
Special Olympics British Columbia	1,000
St. Andrew's-Wesley United Church	15,000
St. Paul's Foundation	500
Staal Family Foundation	315,634
The Steele Family Foundation	64,793
Steelworkers Humanity Fund	30,150
Stephen Lewis Foundation	876
Sunshine Coast Arts Council	5,000
Sustainability Network	500
Sustainable Prosperity	1,500
T. Buck Suzuki Environmental Foundation	40,000
Tahltan Band Council	27,168
Take a Hike Youth at Risk Foundation	10,000
Taku River Tlingit First Nation	1,500
Tamil Literary Garden	6,405
Tlicho Government	5,000
TNC Canada	40,000
Trees Ontario	1,800
UNICEF Canada	15,000
United Way Peterborough & District	1,000
United Way Toronto & York Region	15,181
University of Alberta Faculty of Native Studies	5,000
University of British Columbia Department of Zoology	5,000
University of Manitoba Natural Resources Institute	67,784
University of Victoria Indigenous Law Research Unit	50,000
Urban Non-Violent Initiatives Through Youth (UNITY)	(5,000)
Vallum Society for Education in Arts & Letters	269,091
Vancity Community Foundation	13,750
Vancouver Aquarium	6,414
Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation	115,709
Vancouver Folk Music Festival Society	25,674
Vancouver Island University	38,000
Vancouver Opera	34,437



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NAME	AMOUNT
Vancouver School Board	18,000
West Coast Environmental Law	139,864
Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS) Canada	31,361
Wildsight	10,000
Wilfrid Laurier University	7,000
Willing Hearts International Society Canada	275
Wood's Homes	5,000
World Animal Protection Canada	1,200
World Vision Canada	330
York House School Society	25,000
Youth Unlimited	12,261



Donor Advised Funds

Tides Canada's donor advised funds enable donors to support charitable activities and causes they care about.

- 7th Generation Fund
- Adobe Foundation Fund
- African Rural Development Fund
- Aguacene Fund
- AIDS-Free World Fund
- Alexander Graham Bell Innovation Fund
- Amy Carter-Crossley and Shun Hei Lor Families Fund
- Animal Spirit Fund
- Animal Welfare Fund
- AnQi's Little Angels Foundation Fund
- Auerbach Family Fund
- Aurora Fund
- Ayalik Fund
- Bealight Fund
- Big Wild Fund
- Burton Family Fund
- Butterfly Wings Fund
- Canadian Organization for Yoga and Mental Health
- Canadians for Popular Education in Health Fund
- Canodia Fund
- CANRAD Fund
- Challenge Fund
- Chalout Wallace Fund
- Chauvel Fund
- Chosen Waters Fund
- Clayoquot Conservation Fund
- CNIS Surgical & Obstetrical Skills Education Fund
- Cohen Building Fund
- Collette Foundation Charitable Fund
- Communications & Broadcasting Canadian Trust Fund
- Corridor of the Clouds Fund
- Coyle Family Foundation Fund
- CPAWS Nova Scotia Conservation Fund
- Crumbfree Caribou Fund
- Dark Horse Fund
- David J. Sokol Endowment Fund
- Division of UBC PM&R Fund
- DLN Fund
- Don Rubenstein Housing Fund
- Dr. Bik May Wai & Dr. Chung Nin Lam Endowment Fund
- Dragonfly Fund
- Drainin-Haddon Endowment Fund
- Elaine Dulsej Fund
- Endswell Long-Term Fund
- Équiterre Fund
- Erwin Kuechau Fund
- Etisah Foundation Cameroonian Youth Fund
- Evergreen Fund
- Forests Live Fund
- Friends of Qatuwas Fund
- Friends of Qqs Conservation Support Fund
- Fund for Action on Investment Responsibility
- Funding Awesome Fund
- Fuyu Fund
- Glenn Powers and Melanie Wong Foundation Fund
- Great Vow Zen Support Fund
- Green Research Fund
- Harbinger Fund Health and Education Fund
- Hollyhock Scholarship Fund
- Hoops 4 Hope Fund
- Ignite Excellence Foundation Fund
- Illahie Fund
- International Development Fund
- Jantzi Research Fund
- Jesse and Julie Rasch Foundation Fund
- Joel and Dana Solomon Fund
- John Kenneth Galbraith Prize Endowment Fund
- Jokabeca Foundation Fund
- Jon Gates Foundation Fund
- LAM Canada Fund
- Language Documentation and Revitalization Fund
- Laura Louie Hope Projects Fund
- Lindalee Tracey Award Fund
- Lunapads Global Opportunity Fund
- MacGavin Fund McMillan-Dobell Fund
- Medical Education Cooperation with Cuba Fund
- Mentoring Excellence BC Fund
- Michael and Amelia Humphries Earthrise Legacy Fnd
- My Arms Wide Open Fund
- Naramata Conservation Fund
- Natural Burial Association Fund
- New Literacies Fund
- Nonprofit Centers Fund
- Open Media Education Fund
- OSEA Education and Research Fund
- Outreach Zanzibar Fund
- Oxfam Canada Fund
- Pacific Wild Fund
- Planeterra Fund
- Power of Giving Fund
- Rani Luthra Charitable Fund
- Reverence for Life Legacy Fund
- Rhodes Trust Fund
- Richardson Family Fund
- Rideau Institute Research Fund
- Robert Huber Memorial Fund
- Seaver Family Fund
- SHLF Endowment Fund
- Simons Foundation Fund
- Skeena Watershed Fund
- SkeenaWild Conservation Trust Fund
- Social Innovation Conference Series
- Social Venture Institute Fund
- Sokol-Rubenstein Family Life Insurance Gift Fund
- Somos El Barco Fun
- Stand Now Fund
- Stockton Fergus Family Fund
- Strachan Hartley Legacy Foundation Fund
- Strategic Philanthropy Course Fund
- Street Kids International Fund
- Sustaining Design Fund
- Terrevive Fund
- the deer crossing the art farm fund
- The Funding Network-Toronto Fund
- Transformation Fund
- Twin Island Protection Fund
- Tyee Solutions Society Fund
- UFSC Community Outreach Fund
- Urban Forest Fund
- V. Paul Lee Family Foundation
- Valerie Elia Fund
- Vancouver Bicycle Fund
- Vancouver Tomorrow Fund
- Vern's Community Fund
- Wild Faith Fund

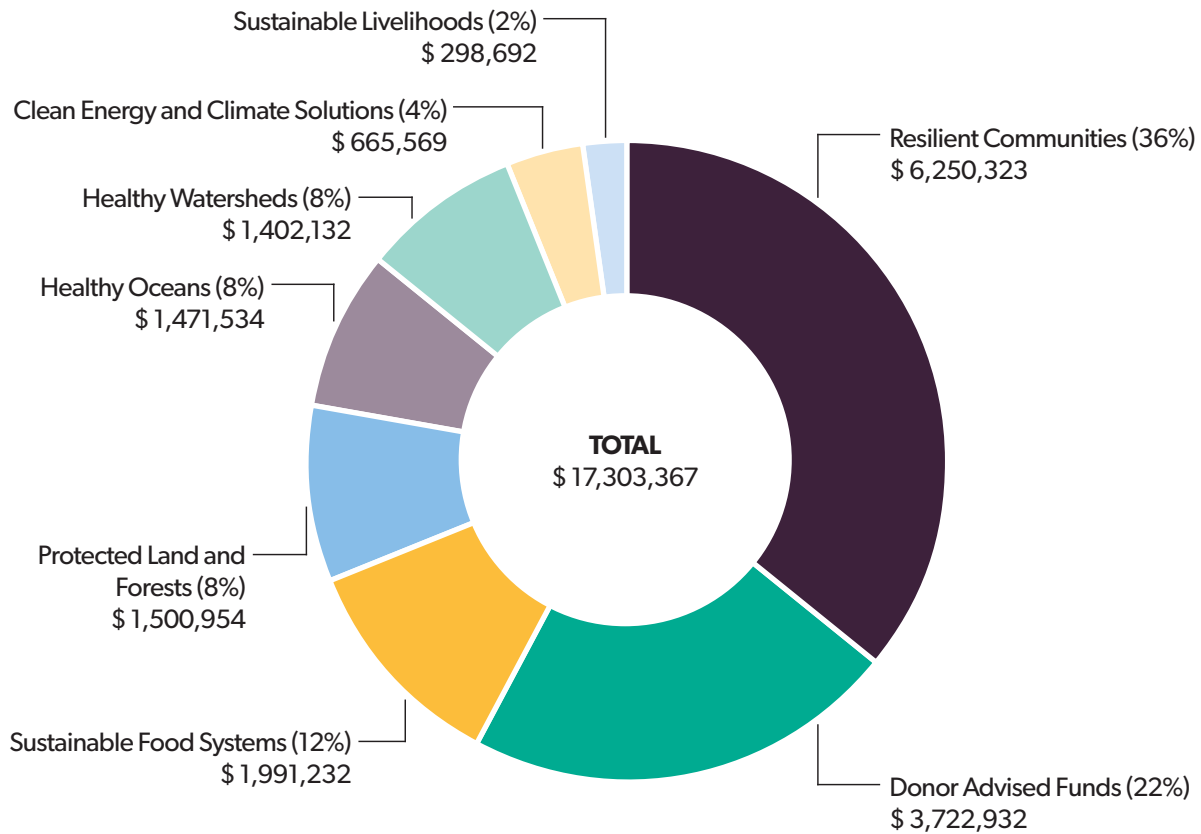


Financial Results

Tides Canada is home to Tides Canada Foundation and Tides Canada Initiatives Society. The following provides a summary of the combined 2015 financial results for Tides Canada.

Grants & Activities

The following is a summary of Tides Canada grants, programmatic activities, collaborations, and project expenditures in 2015 by interest area and grants made by donor advised funds.

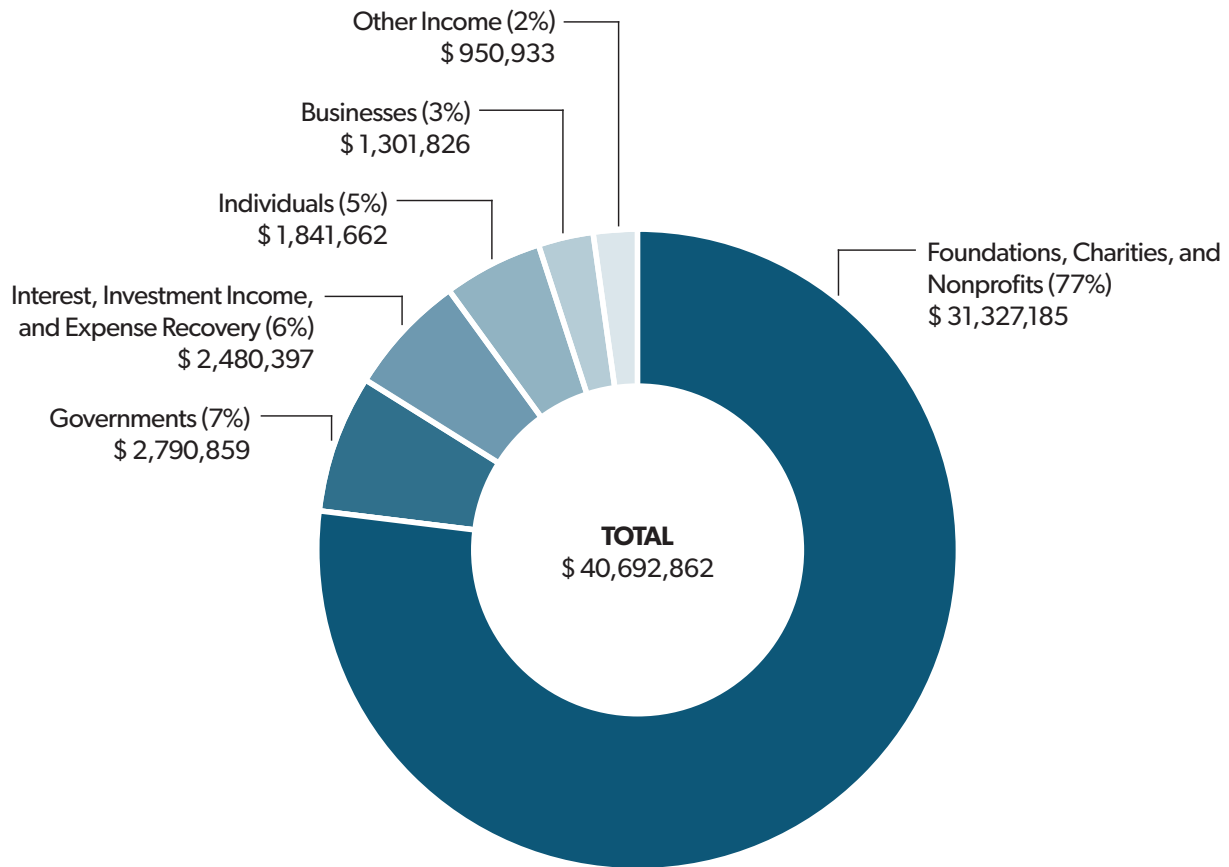




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Revenues

The following is a breakdown of Tides Canada revenue sources in 2015.

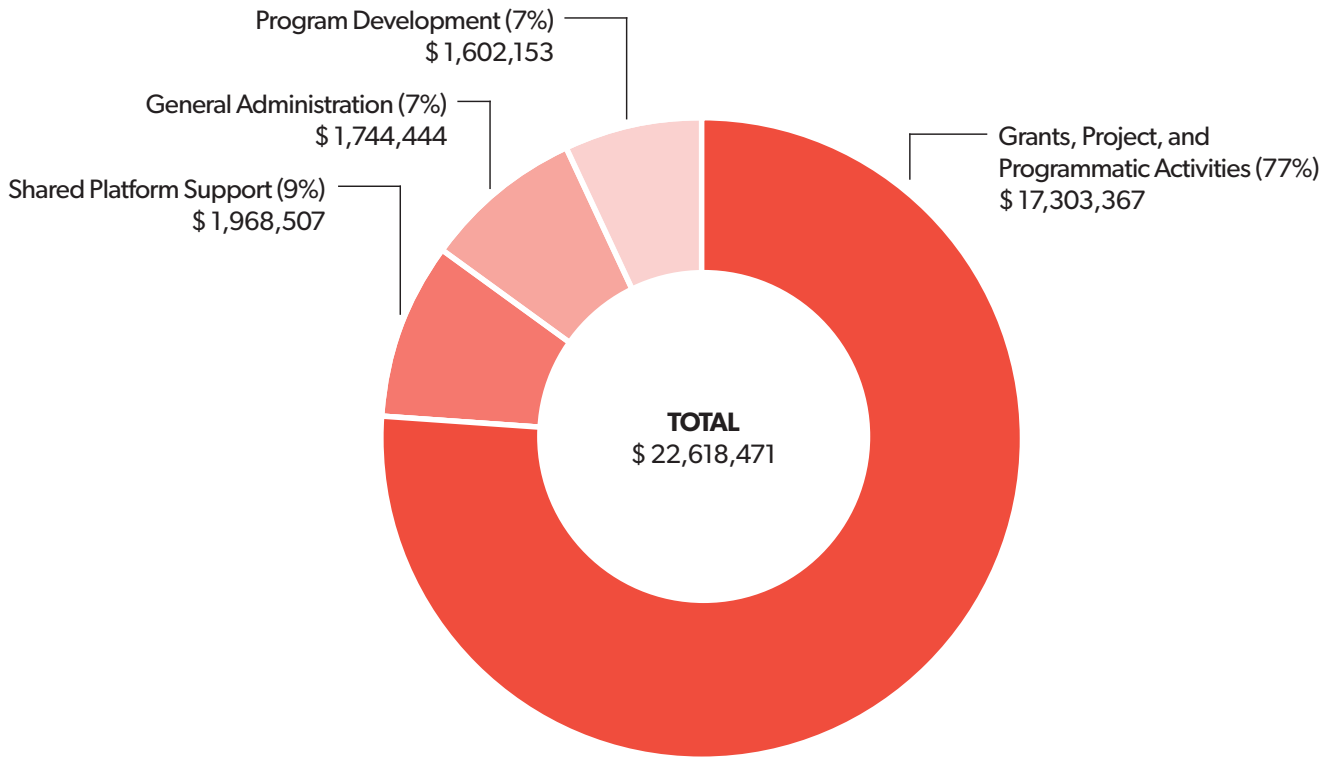




Financial Results

How We Applied Our Funds

The following is a breakdown of Tides Canada expenses in 2015.





Financial Results

Tides Canada

(Incorporated under the Society Act of British Columbia)
Combined Statement of Financial Position

	As at December 31	
	2015	2014 (Restated)
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash	\$ 21,236,898	\$ 6,568,632
Accounts receivable	436,447	495,639
Prepaid expenses	181,798	186,111
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	21,855,143	7,250,382
Investments	35,035,628	32,448,376
Loans receivable	234,000	133,250
Property and equipment	1,135,279	749,890
Intangible assets	105,713	139,764
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 58,365,763	\$ 40,721,662
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 910,583	\$ 1,248,673
Deferred capital contribution	92,200	92,200
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	1,002,783	1,340,873
Deferred capital contribution	184,400	276,600
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,187,183	1,617,473
FUND BALANCES		
General	27,212,218	23,979,301
Externally Restricted	29,966,362	15,124,888
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TOTAL FUND BALANCES	57,178,580	39,104,189
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 58,365,763	\$ 40,721,662



Financial Results

Tides Canada

(Incorporated under the Society Act of British Columbia)
Combined Statement of Operations

	Year ended December 31	
	2015	2014 (Restated)
REVENUES		
Support awards and earned income	\$ 3,662,319	\$ 3,770,157
Other awards and donations	33,599,213	17,934,518
Investment income and other revenue	3,441,301	3,979,693
Realized gain (loss) on investments	392,457	851,503
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	(402,428)	(214,357)
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 40,692,862	\$ 26,321,514
EXPENSES		
General and administrative	5,315,104	5,548,425
Grant and program expenditures	17,303,367	24,798,412
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 22,618,471	\$ 30,346,837
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$ 18,074,391	\$ (4,025,323)

View complete audited financial statements here: <http://tidescanada.org/about-us/financials/>



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Tides Canada Foundation (BN 868947797 RR0001), the country's largest public foundation dedicated to environmental and social issues, and Tides Canada Initiatives Society (BN 130560188 RR0001), an operating charity that powers social change projects ranging from neighbourhood-scale initiatives to national conservation efforts on a shared platform.

