

# PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY ANNUAL REPORT

2013

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# BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2013/2014

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| 2013                        | 2014  |
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| Jim Millar<br>Brianne Egeto | Jim Millar Catherine Burns eave Coverage Contract)                              |
| Katie May-Rashke            | Katie May-Rashke Paige Peterson   |
| Jessica Poland              | Jessica Poland  Deb Naso  |
|                             | Jim Millar<br>Brianne Egeto<br>(Mat Le<br>Katie May-Rashke<br>Lauren Vanderdeen |

### PRESIDENTS REPORT

On behalf of the Port Moody Heritage Society Board of Directors I want to express our gratitude to our membership, volunteers and the residents of Port Moody for making 2013 a memorable year for the Society. The celebration of Port Moody's 100 Year Centennial offered the Society and Port Moody Station Museum many opportunities to showcase the museum's significant collection and to present featured centennial events that highlighted Port Moody's heritage and culture.

Beginning on January 1, 2013 at the annual Penguin Plunge and continuing with the Heritage House Tour, numerous events including museum artifacts, oral histories and pictures, the CPR Heritage Train Excursion and loco Days - including the Venosta Vintage Radio Show –the year was filled with excitement and events that are a credit to the creativity and dedication of our staff at the museum.

2013 included a critical review by the Board of the Society's broader role as a center point of influence for heritage preservation in Port Moody. The Port Moody Station Museum provides a safe and accessible site for records and artifacts that preserve the unique heritage present in the communities at the head of Burrard Inlet. Your Society also considers its role as one of education and influence in the preservation of heritage sites and events that portray Port Moody's history. Our continued presentation of loco Days provides a touchstone to one of Port Moody's major historical sites and periods of early development. Recently, after engaging Port Moody's Heritage Commission, the Board and Executive Director highlighted the significance of the Belcarra South Cabins and the irrecoverable loss that would occur if Metro Vancouver proceeded with plans for their demolition. Belcarra South is a key example of areas where the Port Moody Heritage Society can bring awareness to sites or events that require public awareness to preserve these touchstones of our community's heritage.

Your Society continues to review long-term plans for the Museum. As many of you are aware the Society has undertaken preliminary work regarding added amenities and facility requirements. We continue to consult with the City on options and plans. Our desire is to implement a plan that ensures the long-term viability of the Museum ensuring we are able to accommodate a growing number of visitors and also to provide the necessary operational facilities and amenities that can accommodate our growing collection and support events that educate and entertain our quests and visitors.

I want to give special recognition to our Executive Director – Jim Millar. In 2013 Jim was the recipient of the City of Port Moody Heritage Award. This special recognition was made for his tireless efforts regarding work to preserve Port Moody heritage but also for a key

accomplishment in 2013 of co-editing – with Rebecca Clarke – "Tracks In Time – Port Moody's First 100 Years". This book is a keepsake for any Port Moody resident or for anybody interested in the history of Port Moody and what made it a special place historically and why it is a special place today.

The Port Moody Heritage Society values its role of heritage preservation and education in Port Moody. My sincere thanks to my fellow Board Members, our membership, corporate sponsors, benefactors, our staff in 2013 - Jim, Brianne, Catherine, Rebecca, Deborah, Katie, Jessica and Lauren, plus the Government of Canada – Department of Canadian Heritage, Province of British Columbia – Community Gaming and the City of Port Moody for their support of the ongoing work, activities and events of the Port Moody Heritage Society.

Respectfully Submitted: Robert Simons – President

### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

This report will augment the President's Report and covers as well as 2013, through to June 1, 2014.

In preparing this report, I reread my 2012 report and it is interesting the comparisons.

'The Book' continued as an important project of the Society with over 1,200 sold. It has received rave reviews and is another feather in our cap. Thanks again to all that helped see it to completion. I've also been told 'a book is never finished, it is only published'.

Staff changes continued after Rebecca Clarke had left us to become the Executive Director at the Gulf of Georgia Cannery. Brianne Egeto who came on board as the Coordinator, Programs & Events in May, started maternity leave in December with the addition of Rowan to her family. In late November, Catherine Burns joined us to fill for Brianne's mat leave. Our 3 summer students Jessica, Lauren and Katie did a great job. Jessica and Katie stayed with us over the winter and Paige has joined us for the summer of 2014.

We are still in state of future uncertainty: the City's review of the Official Community Plan does not have a definite direction for the Museum site; there is a 4 year delay to 2018 of the capital funds for the second phase of Don Luxton's site feasibility study. This makes future planning a difficult task. A number of people have expressed concerns.

As always, we are appreciative of our volunteers. Over 1,972 hours of volunteer time in 2013 is a very significant contribution. We could not have accomplished what we did without our volunteers. I must acknowledge Tom's work in our Heritage Garden. He has done a trogon's job in maintaining and expanding it. However, his paid work with the move of Vancouver Post Office has consumed all his time and he has been unable to work in the garden since December. And it shows! 15 volunteers with Telus Day of Caring in May helped make a dent in the Gout Weed but I need an ongoing contingent to keep the garden looking as good as Tom did. Also, we can use some new volunteers to fill some vacant Board of Directors spaces. Thank you to all our volunteers.

The Centennial celebration consumed vast amounts of our time in 2013 but was time well spent. The Heritage House Tour which Rebecca worked on; the CPR Centennial Train (thanks CPR for giving us the Train) which Brianne handled as well as an expanded loco Ghost Town to include the Venosta Vintage Radio Show were our major events. All well done! We were involved with all the Centennial events providing historical background or archival images. The Centennial certainly highlighted the benefits we provide to the community.

I would have liked to have reported on some new things but somehow it seems that things related to a museum are "old stuff".

Respectfully Submitted: Jim Millar, Executive Director

# Treasures Report

# PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Statement of Financial Position December 31, 2013

| ASSETS  |                            |  |
|---|----------------------------|--|
| Current Assets  |                            |  |
| Chequing/Savings  |                            |  |
| WS - Community chequing   | \$                         | 9,645.51   |
| WS - Investor Savings - Operating   | \$                         | 97,531.21  |
| WS - Investor Savings - Weldon  | \$                         | 127,235.98   |
| WS - Investor Savings - Capital   | \$                         | 68.85  |
| WS - Display  | \$                         | 1,846.62   |
| <b>Gaming Operating Savings</b>   | \$                         | 2,411.86   |
| <b>Gaming Community Chequing</b>  | \$                         | 103.11   |
| Total Chequing/Savings  | \$                         | 238,843.14   |
| Accounts Receivable & Other   |                            |  |
| Accounts Receivable   | \$                         | 526.00   |
| Undeposited Funds & GST   | \$                         | 362.14   |
| Total Current Assets  | \$                         | 239,731.28   |
| Fixed Assets  |                            |  |
| Capital Assets  | \$                         | 556,445.50   |
| less Acc. amortization  | -\$                        | 221,861.16   |
| Computer - cost   | \$                         | 1,816.86   |
| Less Acc. amortization  | -\$                        | 1,816.86   |
|   |                            |  |
| Total Fixed Assets  | \$                         | 334,584.34   |
| Total Fixed Assets  | \$                         | 334,584.34   |
| Total Fixed Assets TOTAL ASSETS   | \$                         | 334,584.34<br>574,315.62   |
|   |                            |  |
|   |                            |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS  |                            |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES & EQUITY   |                            |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY  Liabilities   | \$                         | 574,315.62   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY  Liabilities  Accounts Payable   | <b>\$</b>                  | <b>574,315.62</b><br>11,504.00   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY  Liabilities  Accounts Payable  Total Current Liabilities  | <b>\$</b>                  | <b>574,315.62</b><br>11,504.00   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  Accounts Payable Total Current Liabilities  Deferred Revenue  | <b>\$</b>                  | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  | \$<br>\$<br>\$             | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  | \$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$       | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  | \$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$       | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  | \$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$       | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65   |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  | \$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$ | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65<br>17,831.65  |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities  | \$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$<br>\$ | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65<br>17,831.65  |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities         Accounts Payable         Total Current Liabilities  Deferred Revenue         Deferred Revenue - PM Foundation         Deferred Revenue - Display         Total Current Liabilities  Equity         Restricted Funds         Property Equipment Fund         Direct Access Fund   | \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$    | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65<br>17,831.65<br>461,820.00<br>2,514.97              |
| TOTAL ASSETS  LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities         Accounts Payable         Total Current Liabilities  Deferred Revenue         Deferred Revenue - PM Foundation         Deferred Revenue - Display         Total Current Liabilities  Equity         Restricted Funds             Property Equipment Fund             Direct Access Fund             Funds for Future Programs | \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$          | 11,504.00<br>11,504.00<br>2,000.00<br>4,327.65<br>17,831.65<br>461,820.00<br>2,514.97<br>92,149.00 |

PMHS Jan to Dec 13 Fin Pos (2)

# PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY FINANCIAL INFORMATION JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2013

| NOTES                             |    | ACTUAL<br>n – Dec 2013 |    | YEARLY BUDGET<br>Jan – Dec 2013 |       |     | 14 YEARLY<br>BUDGET |
|-----------------------------------|----|------------------------|----|---------------------------------|-------|-----|---------------------|
| OPERATING REVENUE  EARNED REVENUE |    | Total                  |    | Total                           |       | . ' | DODGET              |
| Building Rentals                  | \$ | 2,517.63               | \$ | 2,500.00                        |       | \$  | 2,500.00            |
| Visitor Donations                 | \$ | 4,331.25               | \$ | 2,500.00                        |       | \$  | 4,000.00            |
| Education Program Fees            | \$ | 3,798.00               | \$ | 4,000.00                        |       | \$  | 4,000.00            |
| Membership Fees                   | \$ | 460.00                 | \$ | 400.00                          |       | \$  | 800.00              |
| Gift Shop Sales                   | \$ | 1,377.83               | \$ | 1,000.00                        |       | \$  | 800.00              |
| Book Sales                        | \$ | 26,282.64              | \$ | 25,000.00                       |       | \$  | 12,000.00           |
| Sale of Donated Items             | \$ | 1,024.00               |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| *** Special Events                | \$ | 28,528.85              | \$ | 28,900.00                       |       | \$  | 12,420.00           |
| Research Request Fees             | \$ | 535.62                 |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| TOTAL EARNED REVENUES             | \$ | 68,855.82              | \$ | 64,300.00                       |       | \$  | 36,520.00           |
| PRIVATE SECTOR REVENUE            |    |                        |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| Charitable Receipted Donations    | \$ | 1,520.00               | \$ | 2,500.00                        |       | \$  | 2,500.00            |
| 1 Non Tax Receipted Donations     | \$ | 12,864.10              | \$ | 12,000.00                       |       | \$  | 3,000.00            |
| Foundations AND Deferred Income   |    |                        |    |                                 |       | \$  | 6,385.00            |
| Interest Income                   | \$ | 2,269.30               | \$ | 1,800.00                        |       | \$  | 500.00              |
| TOTAL PRIVATE SECTOR REVENUE      | \$ | 16,653.40              | \$ | 16,300.00                       |       | \$  | 12,385.00           |
| GRANT REVENUE                     |    |                        |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| Federal                           |    |                        |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| Service Canada (75% of costs)     | \$ | 11,263.00              | \$ | 11,263.00                       |       | \$  | 14,100.00           |
| Young Canada Works                | \$ | 4,374.72               | \$ | 4,374.72                        |       | \$  | 3,300.00            |
| 2 Federal Grants - Other          | \$ | 7,300.00               | \$ | 6,800.00                        |       | \$  | 7,500.00            |
| Total Federal Grants              | \$ | 22,937.72              | \$ | 22,437.72                       |       | \$  | 24,900.00           |
| Provincial                        |    |                        |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| Gaming Programming                | \$ | 28,000.00              | \$ | 28,000.00                       |       | \$  | 32,000.00           |
| Total Provincial Grants           | \$ | 28,000.00              | \$ | 28,000.00                       |       | \$  | 32,000.00           |
|                                   |    |                        | -  |                                 |       |     |                     |
| Municipal                         |    |                        |    |                                 |       |     |                     |
| 3 Arts Assistance Program         | \$ | 79,215.00              | \$ | 76,139.00                       |       | \$  | 80,000.00           |
| 4 Municipal - Centennial grants   | \$ | 23,661.48              | \$ | 18,444.00                       | To be |     |                     |
| Heritage Commission               | -  |                        | \$ | 2,500.00                        |       | \$  | 2,500.00            |
| Total Municipal Income            | \$ | 102,876.48             | \$ | 97,083.00                       |       | \$  | 82,500.00           |
|                                   |    |                        | ,  |                                 |       |     |                     |
| TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE           | \$ | 239,323.42             | \$ | 228,120.72                      |       | \$  | 188,305.00          |
|                                   | \$ | -                      |    |                                 | 1     |     |                     |

# PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY FINANCIAL INFORMATION JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2013

| NOTES                               |    | ACTUAL                   |    | YEARLY BUDGET         |  |    | 4 YEARLY            |
|-------------------------------------|----|--------------------------|----|-----------------------|--|----|---------------------|
| OPERATING EXPENSES                  |    | JAN – DEC,<br>2013 Total |    | I - DEC 2013<br>Total |  | -  | 14 YEARLY<br>BUDGET |
| Accounting & Consultants Fees       | \$ | 3,721.25                 | \$ | 3,554.00              |  | \$ | 3,700.00            |
| Alarm, Fire & Security              | \$ | 2,449.45                 | \$ | 1,616.00              |  | \$ | 1,600.00            |
| Amortization                        | \$ | 17,609.69                |    |                       |  |    |                     |
| Bank Charges                        | \$ | 515.76                   | \$ | 600.00                |  | \$ | 100.00              |
| Book Project                        | \$ | 1,401.70                 | \$ | 5,000.00              |  | \$ | 600.00              |
| Display Collection Mgmt             | \$ | 1,772.49                 | \$ | 3,000.00              |  | \$ | 5,500.00            |
| Dues Licenses & Memberships         | \$ | 580.00                   | \$ | 711.00                |  | \$ | 725.00              |
| <b>Education Program Supplies</b>   | \$ | 51.97                    | \$ | 662.00                |  | \$ | 400.00              |
| Gift Shop Expense                   | \$ | 201.74                   | \$ | 463.00                |  | \$ | 450.00              |
| Government Agency (G.S.T.)          | \$ | 336.45                   | \$ | 500.00                |  | \$ | 500.00              |
| Insurance                           | \$ | 978.00                   | \$ | 850.00                |  | \$ | 750.00              |
| IT Expenses                         | \$ | 6,385.52                 | \$ | 5,502.00              |  | \$ | 1,500.00            |
| Janitorial Expense                  | \$ | 840.00                   | \$ | 1,200.00              |  | \$ | 1,200.00            |
| Write off computer                  | \$ | 369.97                   |    |                       |  |    |                     |
| Member Services (newsletters)       | \$ | 1,043.38                 | \$ | 200.00                |  | \$ | 400.00              |
| Marketing                           | \$ | 5,669.26                 | \$ | 5,500.00              |  | \$ | 1,000.00            |
| Mileage, Meals, Per Diem            | \$ | 803.14                   | \$ | 845.00                |  | \$ | 700.00              |
| Office Expense                      | \$ | 2,166.57                 | \$ | 3,000.00              |  | \$ | 4,400.00            |
| Payroll                             | \$ | 131,411.47               | \$ | 122,000.00            |  | \$ | 130,000.00          |
| Professional Development            | \$ | 3,061.06                 | \$ | 1,800.00              |  | \$ | 2,000.00            |
| Repairs & Maintenance               | \$ | 2,553.84                 | \$ | 2,000.00              |  | \$ | 4,500.00            |
| 5 Special Events expenses           | \$ | 25,171.11                | \$ | 31,500.00             |  | \$ | 19,335.00           |
| Telephone & Internet                | \$ | 2,311.67                 | \$ | 2,300.00              |  | \$ | 2,200.00            |
| Utilities                           | \$ | 5,610.44                 | \$ | 6,600.00              |  | \$ | 5,200.00            |
| Volunteer Expense                   | \$ | 2,242.97                 | \$ | 2,000.00              |  | \$ | 1,500.00            |
| TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE             | \$ | 219,258.90               | \$ | 201,403.00            |  | \$ | 188,260.00          |
|                                     |    |                          |    |                       |  |    |                     |
| Excess of Revenue over Expenditures | \$ | 20,064.52                | \$ | 26,717.72             |  | \$ | 45.00               |

#### NOTES:

- 1 Imperial Donation \$9800 books for schools & \$2000 CP Rail
- 2 CHIN grant, etc.
- 3 Municipal income
- 4 Centennial grants Heritage Tour and Living History
- 5 Expenses for Heritiage Tour, Easter. CP Rail

# **Auditors Financial Summary**



#### PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY

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Year Ended December 31, 2013

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#### **REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT**

#### To the Members of the Port Moody Heritage Society

I have reviewed the statement of financial position of Port Moody Heritage Society as at December 31, 2013 and the statement of operations and changes in fund balances and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2013. My review was made in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements and, accordingly, consisted primarily of inquiry, analytical procedures and discussion related to information supplied to me by the Society.

A review does not constitute an audit and, consequently, I do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

Based on my review, nothing has come to my attention that causes me to believe that these financial statements are not, in all material respects, in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Port Coquitlam, British Columbia

May 9, 2014

J. FITZPATRICK & ASSOCIATES INC.

CERTIFIED GENERAL ACCOUNTANT



STATEMENT 1

#### PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Statement of Financial Position December 31, 2013

(Unaudited)

|  |     |                 |     |                    |          |                       | Total  |                     |    |                     |
|--|-----|-----------------|-----|--------------------|----------|-----------------------|--------|---------------------|----|---------------------|
|  |     | General<br>Fund | Dir | ect Access<br>Fund | -        | Capital Asset<br>Fund | ī<br>- | December 31<br>2013 |    | December 31<br>2012 |
| CURRENT ASSETS                                     | _   | 300 454         | _   | 0.544              |          | 407.000               | •      | 000.004             | •  | 240.062             |
| Cash   | \$  | 109,151<br>526  | \$  | 2,514              | \$       | 127,236               | \$     | 238,901<br>526      | \$ | 219,963             |
| Accounts receivable Government agencies receivable |     | 304_            |     |                    | _        |                       | _      | 304                 |    | 1,307               |
|  |     | 109,981         |     | 2,514              |          | 127,236               |        | 239,731             |    | 221,270             |
| CAPITAL ASSETS (note 3)                            | _   | -               | ,   |                    | _        | 334,584               | _      | 334,584             |    | 352,565             |
| N N  | \$_ | 109,981         | \$  | 2,514              | \$_      | 461,820               | \$_    | 574,315             | \$ | 573,835             |
|  | -   |                 | ,   | 3-309300-333       |          |                       |        |                     |    |                     |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES                                |     |                 | _   |                    |          |                       |        |                     |    | 00 500              |
| Accounts payable                                   | \$  | 11,504          | \$  | · <del>-</del>     | \$       | =                     | \$     | 11,504              | \$ | 33,588              |
| DEFERRED REVENUE (note 4)                          |     | 6,328           |     |                    | -        |                       | _      | 6,328               |    | 3,828               |
|  | -   | 17,832          | _   |                    | _        |                       | _      | 17,832              |    | 37,416              |
| FUND BALANCES                                      |     |                 |     |                    |          |                       |        |                     |    | 470.000             |
| Invested in capital assets                         |     |                 |     | 0.544              |          | 461,820               |        | 461,820<br>2,514    |    | 479,390<br>7,848    |
| Externally restricted (note 5) Unrestricted        |     | 92,149          |     | 2,514              |          |                       |        | 92,149              |    | 49,181              |
| Onrestricted                                       | _   | 32,143          |     | 10000-0            | =        |                       | -      | 32,143              |    | 40,101              |
| <u>.</u>   | _   | 92,149          |     | 2,514              | <u>=</u> | 461,820               | _      | 556,483             |    | 536,419             |
|  |     |                 |     | (Ki)               |          |                       |        |                     |    |                     |
|  | \$  | 109,981         | \$  | 2,514              | \$       | 461,820               | \$     | 574,315             | \$ | 573,835             |

On Behalf Of The Board

Director

Director



STATEMENT 2

PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balances Year Ended December 31, 2013

| In | - | <br>1:4 | - | đ | ń |
|----|---|---------|---|---|---|

|   | General Fund    |                         | Direct Ac      | cess Fund     | Capital Asset Fund |                |  |  |
|---|-----------------|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|--|--|
|   | 2013            | 2012                    | 2013           | 2012          | 2013               | 2012           |  |  |
| REVENUES                                      | 1 <del></del> - | 3 <del>7 17 - 3</del> / | (2000) (2000)  | <del></del> * |                    |                |  |  |
|   |                 | 9 3Yi                   |                |               |                    |                |  |  |
| Grants  | 125,814         | \$ 253,515              | \$ 28,000      | \$ 28,000     | \$ - \$            | •              |  |  |
| Donations                                     | 47,935          | 53,432                  | -              | -             | -                  | -              |  |  |
| Fundraising/Corporate sponsorship             | 28,529          | 12,514                  | -              | -:            | -                  | <del>=</del> 2 |  |  |
| Membership                                    | 460             | 385                     | -              | <b>≡</b>      | -                  | <u>-</u>       |  |  |
| Interest income                               | 827             | 1,070                   | 50             | -             | 1,393              | 826            |  |  |
| Program fees                                  | 3,798           | 4,018                   | -              | -             |                    | -              |  |  |
| Rentals                                       | 2,518           |                         |                |               |                    | i              |  |  |
| Write-down of tangible capital assets         |                 |                         |                |               | (370)              |                |  |  |
|   | 209,881         | 324,934                 | 28,050         | 28,000        | 1,023              | 826            |  |  |
| EXPENSES                                      |                 | *                       |                |               | W.                 |                |  |  |
| Advertising                                   | 6,984           | 3,950                   | : <del>-</del> | <b>e</b> t    |                    |                |  |  |
| Amortization                                  | =               | -                       | :=             | -             | 17,610             | 14,146         |  |  |
| Alarm, fire and security                      | 2,449           | 574                     |                | -             | -                  | -              |  |  |
| Collection management and display             | 1,772           | 1,465                   | > <del>≠</del> | =             | -                  | ÷              |  |  |
| General and administrative                    | 336             | 15,364                  | 3              | ₩.            | -                  | -              |  |  |
| Interest and charges                          | 496             | 81                      | 18             |               | 3                  | 3:=3           |  |  |
| Insurance                                     | 978             | 1,263                   | t <del>-</del> |               | =                  | ¥.             |  |  |
| Office  | 12,179          | 6,902                   |                |               | -                  | =              |  |  |
| Professional fees                             | 3,721           | 3,296                   |                | -             | -                  |                |  |  |
| Repairs and maintenance                       | 3,394           | 5,020                   | :=             | · •           | -                  | -              |  |  |
| Salaries and wages                            | 100,288         | 108,937                 | 33,366         | 20,284        | - :                | -0             |  |  |
| Special Event and Project                     | 26,573          | 41,136                  | -              | -             | -                  | -              |  |  |
| Training                                      | 3,113           | 1,810                   | 10             | ₩7            | -                  | -0             |  |  |
| Utilities                                     | 5,610           | 5,406                   |                | -             | · ——- ·            |                |  |  |
|   | 167,893         | 195,204                 | 33,384         | 20,284        | 17,613             | 14,146         |  |  |
| Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses | 41,988          | 129,730                 | (5,334)        | 7,716         | (16,590)           | (13,320)       |  |  |
| Fund balances, beginning of year              | 49,181          | 60,709                  | 7,848          | 132           | 479,390            | 351,452        |  |  |
| Interfund transfers                           | 980             | (141,258)               |                |               | (980)              | 141,258        |  |  |
| Fund balances, end of year \$                 | 92,149_\$       | 49,181                  | \$ 2,514_5     | 7,848         | \$461,820_\$       | 479,390        |  |  |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended December 31, 2013 (Unaudited) STATEMENT 3

|                                   |         |            | IVITIES    |               | INVESTING ACTIVITIES |              |           |
|-----------------------------------|---------|------------|------------|---------------|----------------------|--------------|-----------|
|                                   |         | General F  |            | Direct Assess | Fund                 | Capital Asse | et Fund   |
|                                   |         | 2013       | 2012       | 2013          | 2012                 | 2013         | 2012      |
| SOURCES OF CASH                   |         | 6          | •          |               |                      |              |           |
| Grants                            | \$      | 125,289 \$ | 207,695 \$ | 28,000 \$     | 28,000 \$            | - \$         | -         |
| Donations                         |         | 50,435     | 53,188     | -             |                      |              | -         |
| Fundraising/Corporate sponsorship |         | 28,529     | 12,514     | -             | -                    |              | -         |
| Membership                        |         | 460        | 385        | •             |                      | -            | -         |
| Interest income                   |         | 826        | 1,070      | 50            | -                    | 1,393        | 826       |
| Program fees                      |         | 3,798      | 4,018      | =             | -                    | <b>*</b>     |           |
| Rentals                           | _       | 2,518      |            |               | <del>-</del>         |              | •         |
|                                   |         | 211,855    | 278,870    | 28,050        | 28,000               | 1,393        | 826       |
| USES OF CASH                      |         | e.         |            |               |                      |              |           |
| Purchase capital assets           |         | -          | -          | ₩1            | -                    | -            | 115,258   |
| Salaries and wages                |         | 100,388    | 108,837    | 33,366        | 20,284               | -            | -         |
| Purchased materials and services  | <u></u> | 88,585     | 62,312     | 18            | <del></del>          | 3            |           |
|                                   |         | 188,973    | 171,149    | 33,384        | 20,284               | 3            | 115,258   |
| CHANGE IN CASH DURING THE YEAR    |         | 22,882     | 107,721    | (5,334)       | 7,716                | 1,390        | (114,432) |
| Cash, beginning                   |         | 85,289     | 118,826    | 7,848         | 132                  | 126,826      | 100,000   |
| Interfund transfers               |         | 980        | (141,258)  |               |                      | (980)        | 141,258   |
| Cash, ending                      | \$      | 109,151 \$ | 85,289 \$  | 2,514 \$      | 7,848 \$             | 127,236 \$   | 126,826   |

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#### PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended December 31, 2013

(Unaudited)

#### 1 PURPOSE OF THE SOCIETY

The Port Moody Heritage Society ("the Society") is incorporated on June 18, 1979 under the Society Act of British Columbia as a not-for-profit organization and is exempt from income tax as a registered charity under the Income Tax Act. The purpose of the organization is to promote heritage awareness of the communities at the head of the Burrard Inlet.

#### 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

The Society prepares its financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

#### Fund Accounting

The Society follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

The General Fund accounts for the society's program delivery and administrative activities. This fund reports unrestricted resources.

The Direct Access Fund is used to handle funds received from the gaming activities. This fund reports restricted resources.

The Capital Asset Fund reports the assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses related to the Society's capital asset purchases.

#### Capital assets

Purchased capital assets are recorded at cost. Amortization is taken on a straight-line basis over the assets' estimated useful lives, which for buildings is 20 years. Amortization is reported in the Capital Asset

Capital assets are written down when conditions indicate that they no longer contribute to the Society's ability to provide goods and services, or when the value of future economic benefits associated with the asset is less than the book value.

#### Revenue recognition

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be recorded can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

All other restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate restricted fund.

Membership fees are recognized as fees for services. When the members receive the services, the fees are recognized as revenue.

The Society recognizes government funding in the period in which it is received.

#### Contributed services

In its day-to-day operation the Society uses the services of many volunteers. Volunteers contributed about 1,400 hours per year to assist the Society in carrying out its service delivery activities. Because of the difficulty of determining the fair value, contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements.



#### PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended December 31, 2013

(Unaudited)

#### Use of estimates

When preparing financial statements according to ASNPO, the Society makes estimates and assumptions relating to:

- · Reported amounts of revenue and expenses;
- · Reported amounts of assets and liabilities; and
- · Disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities.

Management's assumptions are based on a number of factors, including historical experience, current events and actions that the organization may undertake in the future, and other assumptions that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results could differ from those estimates under different conditions and assumptions. Estimates were used when accounting for certain items, such as the useful lives of capital assets and impairment of long-lived assets.

#### 3 CAPITAL ASSETS

|                      |     | Cost            |                      | Accumulated A | mortization         | Net book    |                |  |
|----------------------|-----|-----------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------|----------------|--|
|                      | £ 3 | <u>2013</u>     | 2012                 | <u>2013</u>   | 2012                | <u>2013</u> | 2012           |  |
| Building<br>Computer | \$  | 556,445 \$<br>- | 556,445 \$<br>1,817_ | 221,861 \$    | 204,252 \$<br>1,446 | 334,584 \$  | 352,193<br>371 |  |
|                      | _   |                 | -                    |               |                     |             | •              |  |
|                      | \$_ | 556,445_\$      | 558,262 \$           | 221,861 \$    | 205,698 \$          | 334,584 \$  | 352,564        |  |

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#### 4 DEFERRED REVENUE

The deferred revenue reported in the General Fund represents restricted operating funding received in the current period that is related to the subsequent period. Changes in the deferred revenue balance are as follows:

| Beginning balance<br>Less amount recognized as revenue in the year<br>Add amounts received related to next year | 90 | \$<br>3,828<br>-<br>2,500 | \$<br> | 6,072<br>(2,244) |
|---|----|---------------------------|--------|------------------|
|   |    | \$<br>6,328               | \$_    | 3,828            |

#### 5 EXTERNALLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Restricted, related to gaming activities \$\frac{2013}{2,514} \\$\frac{2012}{7,848}\$

In the year, the Society has received a community gaming grant of \$28,000 from Government of British Columbia. Related investment income of \$50 is also reported in the Direct Access Fund.

#### 6 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Society uses risk management to monitor and manage its risk arising from financial instruments. These risks include credit risk, interest rate risk, liquidity risk and market risk.

The Society does not use any derivative financial instruments to mitigate these risks.

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#### PORT MOODY HERITAGE SOCIETY Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended December 31, 2013

(Unaudited)

#### Credit risk

The Society's credit risks arise from cash and accounts receivable. Cash are deposited with reputable, major financial institutions to limit the credit risk exposure. The credit risk from counter parties not paying accounts receivable is not considered to be significant.

#### Interest rate risk

The Society is exposed to interest rate risk with respect to cash. Changes in interest rates can affect cash flows related to interest income and expense.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk exposure is dependent on the receipt of funds from provincial government grants and other sources to enable the Society to pay its liabilities as they become due.

### 2013 Statistics

Membership 69

Staff Executive Director Full Time

Coordinator Programming and Events Full Time

Museum Assistants X 3 Full Time Summer

2 Service Canada – 1 Young Canada Works

Winter Weekend Coverage X 2 Part Time

Volunteers Regular Core Team 65 Volunteers

Log Entry Volunteer Hours334 hoursEvent Volunteer Hours678 hoursBoard Volunteer Hours456 hoursGarden Volunteer Hours228 hoursMaintenance Volunteer Hours164 hoursMeeting Volunteer Hours12 hours

1972 hours

### Museum Hours of Operation

Open Daily

Victoria Day to Labour Day 10:00am - 5:00pm

Wednesday to Sunday

Labour Day to Victoria Day 12:00pm - 4:00p

### **Displays**

Feature Displays: Yesterday and Tomorrow/Vancouver Lego Club

1936 Clarke Street Display by Jim Buckley

Seasonal Displays: Easter Event, Christmas

| Special Events  | Event Name         | <b>!</b>            | Visitors |
|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------|
| January         |                    |                     |          |
| February        | Book Launch        |                     | 120      |
|                 | Heritage House To  | ours                | 120      |
| March           | Easter Extravagan  | ıza                 | 1936     |
| April           | Art Walk           |                     | 141      |
| May             | Lego Exhibit       |                     | 743      |
| June            | City of Port Moody | , Centennial Parade | Off site |
| July            | Port Moody Arts, C | Celebration of Wood | Off site |
| August          | CPR Centennial T   | rain Excursion      | 517      |
|                 | City of Port Moody | , Picnic            | Off site |
| September       | Venosta Variety Ho | our/Radio Show      | 120      |
|                 | Riverview Treefest | t                   | Off site |
| October         | loco Ghost Town [  | Day                 | 2200     |
| November        | Recognition Event  |                     | 45       |
| December        |                    |                     |          |
|                 |                    |                     |          |
| <u>Programs</u> |                    |                     |          |
| School Groups   | 17 Groups          | 394 Guests          |          |
| Public Groups   | 24 Groups          | 464 Guests          |          |

# **Visitors**

| 2013 Daily Log Tally |         |         |       |        |                    |       |
|----------------------|---------|---------|-------|--------|--------------------|-------|
| Month                | General | Program | Event | Rental | Research<br>& Info | Total |
| January              | 93      |         | 0     | 0      | 7                  | 144   |
| February             | 259     | 236     | 156   | 0      | 1                  | 652   |
| March                | 291     | 121     | 1972  | 37     | 22                 | 2443  |
| April                | 190     | 45      | 141   | 129    | 0                  | 505   |
| May                  | 275     | 144     | 44    | 26     | 1                  | 490   |
| June                 | 723     | 169     | 20    | 89     | 1                  | 1002  |
| July                 | 964     | 73      | 149   | 77     | 0                  | 1263  |
| August               | 1005    | 48      | 517   | 42     | 0                  | 1612  |
| September            | 315     | 0       | 0     | 51     | 0                  | 366   |
| October              | 116     | 15      | 2200  | 13     | 2                  | 2346  |
| November             | 108     | 20      | 70    | 44     | 1                  | 243   |
| December             | 42      | 0       | 0     | 0      | 1                  | 43    |
|                      |         |         |       |        |                    |       |
| Total                | 4381    | 915     | 5269  | 508    | 36                 | 11109 |

### Port Moody Heritage Society

2734 Murray Street, Port Moody, BC, V3H 1X2 Annual General Meeting, Tuesday, June 18, 2013

- 1. President's Welcome The President, Robert Simons, welcomed the group attending (13) to the AGM and called the Meeting to order at 7:10 P.M. Former Board Member Dianna Brown was present. Jim Millar introduced the new staff people Brianne Egeto our new Program Coordinator, and our three summer students Lauren Vanderdeen (Exhibit and Design) Katie May-Rashke (Programs) and Jessica Poland (Collections). Robert Simons reported that the school programs at the museum are being well utilized as has been experienced with recent groups of 50 plus participants at a time.
- 2. Ouorum was confirmed
- 3. Approval of Minutes -

**Motion #1** - It was moved by Al Davies seconded by Mladen Plecko "that the June 18, 2012 AGM Minutes, as printed in the PMHS 2012 Annual Report, be approved". Carried

- 4. Business arising from Minutes None
- 5. Reports
  - a. President's Report (written report given)

Robert elaborated on the following items:

- The board has been working on a long term site plan for the property and presented it to the City. The City came back to us with the idea that we also consider if we are in the ideal location for the Museum long term.
- The Chinese Exhibition was well received and had the Curator here for the Event.
- Publishing "Tracks in Time" and the success of the launch party. Thank to Jim Millar and Rebecca Clarke for a great job.
- Planning the Centennial Events. Thanks to the City for the Listening Station. It is a great item and we could benefit from more of these.
- A new 5 year Arts Assistance Agreement (2013-2017) has been signed with the City
- Acknowledged the good sponsorship we have had from organizations like from Canadian Heritage, Canadians Pacific and Port Metro Vancouver.

Al Davies thanked Robert for the great year

- b. Manager's Report (written report given)
  - Jim Millar mentioned the book, the loss of Rebecca to her new position and Brianne starting. He is looking forward to the process of determining the ideal location for the Museum. He thanked the volunteers as we could not run the museum as successfully without them. Robert thanked Jim for his work on the Venosta cover which has been even more successful than anticipated. He also thanked Jim for his grant writing efforts as we have been quite successful in obtaining grants.
- c. Treasurer's Report (written report given) Irene Reid reviewed the Financial Year, and review by Auditor, the income and expenses in the Summary, and fielded queries from the audience. The financial position of the society is good, particularly given the current economy. All the book expenses have been covered and now all book sales will be income for us.

**Motion #2** - It was moved by Amanda Maplethorp, seconded by Dan Kirchner "that the President's, Executive Director's and Treasurer's Reports be accepted as printed". Carried

6. Approval of Board Actions

Motion #3 - It was moved by Irene Reid, seconded by Armando Elias "that the resolutions, minutes, contracts, appointments, payments, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors and Officials of the Port Moody Heritage Society up to the present time, be herby ratified and approved, and said directors and officials be released from all liability herein".

7. Assignment for Financial Review

Motion #4 - It was moved by Irene Reid, seconded by Al Davies "that Fitzpatrick and Association be approved to do the financial review for the 2013 fiscal year" Carried

- 8. Recognition of the following members and to grant them Honorary Life Membership: Al Davies, Dianna Brown, Mary Anne Cooper and Nellie Sholund were granted Honorary Life Membership Call for acceptance-Accepted
- 9. Elections of Officers and Board of Trustees for the 2013-2014 Term.

President, Robert Simons outlined the process, and in turn, clarified the number of 1 year and 2 year term positions to be filled. Mladen Plecko, Dan Kirchner and Ron Simpson are returning Board Members as they at the mid-point of their two year term. Jason Hulbert was unable to attend this AGM, but has committed to serving. Returning Director Mladen Plecko conducted the elections.

Officers and Directors elected were:

President Robert Simons - Acclaimed Vice-President Al Davies – Acclaimed

Secretary Amanda Maplethorp - Acclaimed

Treasurer (continuing and appointee), Irene Reid. Director - 2 year term Armando Elias Darrell Penner

Dave Ritcey

Jason Hulbert Acclaimed

This will not be a full complement of board members, but we will be limited in the ability to add a new board member. Robert committed to the Board reviewing the by-laws with the intent to bring some updates to the next AGM.

#### 10. New Business

- a. Museum location options were discussed. Robert reviewed the options that the City is considering. There was concern that the Museum be allowed adequate input into this decision, that we not be forced to move if we feel this is the best location for us and that the process be moved forward reasonably quickly to allow the Museum to move ahead with planned capital projects. It was mentioned that we should also consider the option of not remaining in this building as a new building might allow us enough space to be the official archive for the City.
- b. Robert Simons raised the question as to whether the Society should be involved in the advocacy of the local historical issues. Discussion seemed in favour rising to the challenge of being a voice for heritage within the limits of Port Moody area in a fairly informal manner, respectful of our relationship with the City. There seems a general consensus that we have a useful role to play in this area within our resources.
- c. Centennial Events- Parade this Saturday- looking for participants. The CP Train Event upcoming August 18th.
- 11. Closing Remarks- Robert thanked the board and all present for a successful year.
- 12. Adjournment **Motion # 5** It was moved by Dave Maxwell that the AGM be adjourned at 9:00. An informal wine and cheese gathering followed the AGM.

## Acknowledgements

The Port Moody Heritage Society gratefully acknowledges support from:

The Community of Port Moody, our Volunteers and Members

A & A Steel Enterprises Ltd.

Andrew Peller Limited

Canadian Tire, Coquitlam

City of Port Moody

Cobbs Fresh Bread

Esso Imperial Oil Foundation

Government of Canada

Canadian Heritage Information Network

Heritage Canada and Service Canada

Impact Instant Canopy

Pajo's

Pasta Polo

Port Metro Vancouver

Port Moody Foundation

Province of British Columbia - BC Gaming Commission

Real Estate Evolved.com, John Grasty, Prudential

The Tri-City News

Tim Horton's

Tri-Cities Community Television

### A Case Statement

Our Vision: A valued and vibrant community asset that showcases and celebrates our heritage

Our Mission: PMHS promotes an appreciation of community heritage by preserving and presenting history through exhibits and programs. We welcome everyone to discover our shared heritage.

Our History: The Port Moody Heritage Society, a volunteer based registered non-profit society, was formed from the 1967 Port Moody Centennial Committee and incorporated in 1969 as the Port Moody Historical Society. In 1983 the name of the society was changed to Port Moody Heritage Society to reflect the additional focus of creating and operating the Port Moody Station Museum; preserving information and records of community heritage value.

The Museum is housed in the second Canadian Pacific Railway station built in Port Moody. It was built on the west side of the town in 1908 and moved in 1945 by rail to the center of town at Queens Street. The station building was purchased by the Society in 1978 and moved a second time, by truck to its present location on land leased from the City of Port Moody at 2734 Murray Street, beside Rocky Point Park.

The Museum is a community museum, portraying the history and heritage of the area at the head of Burrard Inlet. Port Moody is the original Western Terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway so the CPR is highlighted to show the importance of the railway in the development of the community and Western Canada.

The Museum is governed by a maximum of thirteen Board of Directors, elected annually from the Society's membership. The Board is comprised of a group of dedicated volunteers who bring together a wide variety of backgrounds, skills, contacts and expertise. A full time Executive Director oversees the daily operation of the Museum with a full-time Coordinator Programming and Events, three federally sponsored Summer Student Staff and Volunteers round out the staff.

## The Museum's Key Features

The station, designed to be a live-in unit, originally consisted of two floors. The main floor of 240 m² is used as community and public display space. The Telegraph Office, the hub of railroad activity, features an operational telegraph system, which is available for visitors to try, and a hand-operated telephone from 1884 when the Port Moody and New Westminster Telephone Co. was the first telephone system in B.C.

The Waiting Room contains wooden benches and CPR travel posters together with a ticket booth. The restored Parlour and Kitchen show the living and working conditions in the station between 1905 and 1930. The Large Exhibition Room features permanent exhibits of historical events from the local area including; a lumber display showing materials from early saw and shingle mills, and a pot-bellied stove as part of Captain Clarke's office, an historic photo collection, a general store and also houses temporary theme displays. The Small Exhibition Room displays include a First Nation's display of Salish artefacts, the fur trade, the Royal Engineers, the First Train and the Western Terminus of the CPR.

The basement of 240 m<sup>2</sup>, was added when the building was moved to Murray Street and is the museum's collection storage area. The upper floor of 60 m<sup>2</sup> is used for offices and administration.

Outside displays feature the "Venosta" a 1921 sleeper car that now displays historic railway pictures and artifacts or set-up as a dining car for events and Heritage Teas. The Venosta is available for rent for private functions. Also, the Heritage Garden planted and cared for by volunteers, features heritage varieties typical to the gardens of the period that dotted the communities along CPR's line.

# **Our Current Programs**

The Port Moody Heritage Society, though the efforts over the years of its many dedicated volunteers, has amassed a great deal of knowledge, a collection of important archival material and a multitude of artifacts relating to our community's heritage and history. The Museum preserves and promotes our Community's heritage and is the only local repository for artifacts and archival materials.

The Heritage Society provides a range of benefits to the Community:

- Port Moody Station Museum The Museum is operated daily by a full time
   Executive Director, a full-time Coordinator Programming and Events, summer
   students sponsored by Service Canada and Volunteers. Admission is by donation.
- A Resource Centre and Archives The Museum is the repository of significant archival materials listed through the B.C. Archives Association. Among the collection are the City of Port Moody's tax rolls from 1913-1974 and over 5,000 photographs, which provide unique historical information.
- Artifact Preservation we preserve many significant historic items in the Museum, which without our care, these items might otherwise be lost or unavailable to the community. Our collection mandate is to preserve items of significance to the development of the area.
- Educational Programs a variety of programs and tours aid in kindling an interest
  of history; assists schools, ESL groups, Day Care Schools, Home School Students
  and Educators meeting their curriculum requirements. The Animating History
  program is a dynamic partnership with Reel to Real and provides students an
  opportunity to create a Stop Motion animated short film on the Building of the
  Railway.
- Assisting the Heritage Commission staff and volunteers have assisted in the delivery of the Stone Marker Program, Heritage Building Inventory, displays, signage; by providing research and data.

- The Book Project A major project supported by Service Canada, New Horizons for seniors, began in late 2010. Seniors' Reminiscing meetings occurred through 2011 to create a book of Port Moody's recent history. The book "Tracks In Time: Port Moody's First 100 Years" was completed in the fall of 2012. The Book was ready and launched in early 2013. Book promotion continues to be a marketing focus.
- Heritage Awareness Museum staff and volunteers promote heritage awareness by taking part in local community events, historical lectures and contributing our expertise. Our main events are: the Easter Egg Hunt, Heritage Week, Canada Day and loco Ghost Town Days. The Venosta Variety Hour was a new event added in the Centennial year to further our efforts to promote Heritage. We continued to participate in other community events such as Fingerling Festival, Treefest and Golden Spike.
- Volunteer Opportunities Museum resources encourage citizens to give back to their community and in turn receive opportunities for personal development. Our partnership with School District 43 provides opportunities for students in the Career Preparation program. Our Volunteers have contributed substantially to the care and organizing of the Collection.
- Tourist Destination Our guest book lists visitors from many far-away places.
   Local residents bring visiting friends and family to the Museum as it helps to bring a real sense of Port Moody "to life". This Museum in 2013 hosted numerous events that brought a focus to our place in the Community.
- Centennial Celebrations 2013 The 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Port Moody becoming a city. This year provided multiple opportunities to support our Heritage through our Parade participation, Venosta Variety Hour, the CP Rail Tour and our well acclaimed events that drew record number of participants throughout the Centennial year.

## Our Accomplishments and Plans for the Future:

Although we have accomplished much over the years, we continue to strive to offer more to the community; opportunities to preserve our past and future heritage, as we create it. The Museum is to be a centre of activity, where our past is highlighted in a living vibrant exciting manner to enable visitors to explore and experience the past, present and future of our community.

### Amongst our accomplishments / plans are:

- Improvements to our physical space -- We must maximize the capacity of our assets through continued improvements: re-roofing outbuildings in 2008, painting the Museum and Venosta and rebuilding the Station platform in 2009. The Station had new cedar roof in 2011. The Venosta cover was constructed in 2012 as well as the major mobile artefact shelving project in the basement Annex.
- Increasing community involvement and heritage awareness -- There is an
  ongoing need to update existing displays in order to reflect the ever-changing needs
  and character of the community. We plan to extend heritage awareness through
  display partnerships and joint events with community groups, for example, the Arts
  Centre, the Golden Spike Society, Community Associations, local businesses and
  SD43 schools. This includes initiatives outside the Museum, such as increased
  exposure of the Walking Tour brochure. Strengthening our relationship with First
  Nations is a focus area.
- Continuing to develop educational programming In 2013 our work placement
  High School students developed 2 Educational Programs. These satisfied our ability
  to share our Heritage with ELSA and school age students regarding Aboriginal
  Heritage curriculum. By creating more specialized educational programs in
  partnership with immigrant service organizations and others we continue to expand
  our reach. This encourages a higher utilization of facilities as programs focus on
  specific curriculum content providing more in-depth learning opportunities.
- Site Development -- Other future capital projects include visitor-focused improvements such as wheelchair accessible washrooms, signage improvements, a programming area as well as expanded displays, conservation work areas and future museum expansion. External factors such as the Evergreen rapid transit line will have dramatic impacts. A 2011 study by Donald Luxton and Associates will guide planning.

### **Contact Information**

The Port Moody Heritage Society, a registered non-profit charity, gratefully appreciates community support and is capable of issuing tax receipts.

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