

Councillor S. Dhaliwal Executive Committee of Council c/o City of Burnaby 4949 Canada Way Burnaby, BC V5G 1M2

Dear Burnaby City Council,

RE: GRANT REQUEST #17.09P.

Thank you so much!

Your recent grant to Burnaby Community Services means that you understand just how important it is for low-income families, individuals and seniors to overcome the challenges of poverty and isolation.

Our staff and volunteers would like to extend a heart-felt thank you for your generous contribution of \$3,875 to assist with annual printing costs of our Community Resource publications including: the *Community Resource Guide, As We Age Seniors Resource Guide, Seniors Resource Card, Ready, Set, Learn brochure, and Community Outreach Resources Card.* The Burnaby Community Services offers immediate material, social and emotional support at a time when many vulnerable people are struggling and feeling isolated. Because of your support, we are able to extend our reach to as many children living in poverty as possible. While also providing these families and isolated seniors an important link to other community services, your generosity helps these communities overcome many economic and social challenges.

As our organization continues to grow and expand our services to the community, please know that your support is vital to the success of this development.

Thanks again for the great support!

Sincerely,

Stephen D'Souza
Executive Director