



United Way
Central & Northern
Vancouver Island

For Immediate Release

BC Building Trades Vancouver Island Donates \$1821 to United Way

Nanaimo, BC – July 15, 2013 – The United Way Central & Northern Vancouver Island (UWCNVI) gratefully accepted a \$1821 donation from *BC Building Trades Vancouver Island*. The funds were generated from a recent golf tournament and will go towards the 2013 ***Change starts here*** fundraising campaign.

BC Building Trades has affiliation with 14 trade unions with 40,000 members across BC & the Yukon including 5,000 members on Vancouver Island.

“Support from various trade union and labour groups are an important part of our United Way campaign,” said Signy Madden, Executive Director, UWCNVI. “We are delighted to accept this donation from Mark Curtis from BC Building Trades Vancouver Island, which will go towards our 2013/14 funding for local programs. United Way and BC Building Trades Vancouver Island both believe in building a better community together.”

Employee giving programs, donations and volunteers are sought throughout the year. Contact UWCNVI at 250-729-7400 or info@uwcncvi.ca or visit www.uwcncvi.ca to learn more how you can help.

About United Way Central and Northern Vancouver Island

UWCNVI improves lives and builds community by engaging individuals and mobilizing collective action. Since 1958 UWCNVI has help strengthen the communities it serves. Because of the generosity of donors and volunteers, UWCNVI is able to fund 44 charities supporting 49 programs for children, youth and seniors in Central Island, the Comox Valley and Campbell River this year. UWCNVI also manages the Success by Six early childhood development programs throughout the Central and Northern Island and plays a part in working to reduce homelessness by being the Community Entity for Nanaimo’s Homelessness Strategy. United Way’s Better at Home program to help keep seniors living at home will begin in Nanaimo, Parksville, Port Hardy, Comox Valley and Port Alberni in 2013.

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Signy Madden, UWCNVI accepts a cheque from Mark Curtis, Secretary, Building Better Trades.

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