

Shannon Daycare
290-1200 West 73rd Avenue Vancouver BC V6P 6G5

October 5, 2004

Dear Carol Ann,

Thank you very much for all your time and effort on our playground upgrade. We appreciate your expertise in helping us try to raise the funds for this important project for Shannon Daycare. We have included a copy of the letter we sent to the Vancouver Foundation as well as a list of all the other organizations we have applied to. We have sent letters requesting funds for our new playground to the following organizations;

- The United Way
- The Variety Club
- Vancouver Sun Children's Fund
- Vancity
- CKNW Orphans Fund
- The Chris Spencer Foundation
- CIBC Children's Miracle Foundation
- London Drugs Foundation
- The Vancouver Rotary Club
- The Hamber Foundation
- Home Depot
- The Leonard Theakoerner Foundation
- The John Mitchell Foundation
- The Kaatza Foundation

We have several parents and board members interested in coming to the City council meeting on November 2. Please let us know the exact time of this important meeting.

Sincerely,

Shelley and Lisa

Shannon Day Care Society

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August 25, 2004

Eva Robinson
Vancouver Foundation
1200 555 West Hastings Street
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Dear Eva Robinson,

My name is Bonnie Kao and I am the Chairperson of the Shannon Day Care Society. Shannon Day Care is a non-profit child care center that has been working for and supporting families in the Marpole area since 1974. The center has successfully graduated hundreds of children through these years but is now in great need of a playground renovation.

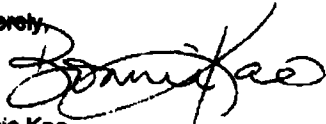
The City of Vancouver has promised to support our project with a \$30,000.00 grant. This helps us tremendously and gives us the confidence that our project will be highly successful. We would like to take this opportunity to ask your foundation for a donation of \$10,000.00. This donation would provide much needed assistance to our project, and help in reaching our goals of strengthening our community based program.

We have met with Carol Ann Young several times and believe the project to be worth approximately \$60,000.00 to \$80,000.00. We would like to begin the project this fall. The board of Directors is committed to the project and all the fundraising efforts it will take to become successful. We strongly believe this newly renovated playground will be a tremendous asset to the community by providing many years of safe challenging play for children of all levels of ability. Marpole is a community filled with families in need of our type of support; we are very committed to provide this highly needed outdoor activity playground for the children.

With your assistance we will be much closer to our goal.

I would like to express my appreciation for your consideration to our request.

Sincerely,



Bonnie Kao
Shannon Day Care Society
Chairperson

Quality licensed child care for children ages 18 months to 5 years