



Growing Inclusive Communities and Economies

Early Learning Employment Investments

\$655,300

Increased funding to the ECDA will aim to increase the employability of individuals within the licensed early learning and childcare system. The funding will support up to 100 participants in the development of skills and workforce knowledge while gaining work experience specific to the early learning and child care workforce.

Tourism Initiatives

\$850,000

To support a strong recovery over the next 12 months, government will be investing a further \$750,000 to develop tourism marketing campaigns to support our tourism operators, and will be committing \$100,000 in new investments for provincial parks.

Rental Supports and Affordable Housing

\$1.5M for a new total of \$18.4M

An investment of almost \$1 Million to rental supports includes an increase to the number of mobile rental vouchers, an increase of rental supplements for private developers, and provide an increase in other rental supports for seniors and families. Our government is also investing an additional \$500,000 to increase affordable housing grants to support construction of new units.

Employment Focus Initiative for Social Assistance Clients

\$150,000

The Employment Focus Initiative will assist up to 400 Social Assistance clients that are employable and provide a concentrated approach to support them by identifying meaningful employment opportunities, considering upskilling opportunities, and making connections with other service partners.

Diversity and Inclusion Growth Program

\$500,000

A new program will seek to further improve retention, community inclusion, and will provide opportunities for various organizations to submit project proposals that aim to enhance diversity, inclusion and integration for members of the community who traditionally have been marginalized.



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