Real Estate Foundation of British Columbia Partnering Fund Award Results for 2009

Project Title & Brief Description	Recipient(s)
Mitigating Wildlife Incursions into Vulnerable Sites at the Prince George Regional Airport	
Animal strikes at the Prince George Regional Airport commonly occur. In an effort to understand the factors	
that attract animals to the airport and what can be done about it, this project completes a final year of	Booth, Annie
observation on test vegetation plots which were seeded with three different vegetation mixes against control	Rea, Roy
plots on airport grounds. Findings will be of considerable interest to municipalities, transportation planners	Otter, Ken
and others undertaking landscaping around areas with the potential for animal – transportation conflicts,	
including roadsides and bridge accesses.	
Documenting Tl'azt'en Nation's Ancestrial History of Yeko (Cunningham Lake)	
This project develops a community-based documented history that will record Tl'azt'en Nation's settlement at	Gall, Christopher ¹
Cunningham Lake (Yeko). The documented information about the land and settlement will be used for	Hoffman, Ross
educational purposes (in the form of an educational book), as well as, for the restoration and protection of	John, Simon ²
these important areas.	
Hydrologic Modeling of Small Watersheds in Northern British Columbia	
This project focuses on hydrologic modeling in smaller watersheds of Northern British Columbia and models	Hirshfield , Faye ¹
changes in watershed hydrology in relation to climate change and change in forest cover due to mountain pine	Sui, Jeuyi
beetle infestation and clear-cuts.	
From a Different Perspective: A First Nation Approach to Marine Near-shore Natural Resource Management	
on Coastal British Columbia	Pepper, James ¹ Hoffman, Ross Johnson, Chris
This project assists the 'Namagis First Nation in the development of a site specific community based marine	
near-shore natural resource management plan within their core traditional territory. The 'Namagis First	
Nation's traditional territory is on Cormorant Island off the northeastern tip of Vancouver Island, within the	
Broughton Archipelago.	
The UNBC / Yekooche First Nation Archaeology Field School at Yeko Bun (Cunningham Lake)	
This Field School ran from June 8 to August 28, 2009 and it provided Yekooche band members and UNBC	Rahemtulla, Farid
students with rigorous training in archaeological field methods and techniques. It also created an inventory of	
archaeological sites at Yeko Bun, northwest of Fort St. James.	

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