



Community Experience
Initiative
d'Expérience Communautaire

SOME LONG TERM BENEFITS OF THE SUMMER PROJECTS

Coast Foundation

Vancouver, BC:

We gained a cost effective and responsive performance management system which will support our strategies and focus staff on key results expected.

The Natural Step

Ottawa, ON

The results have helped define our 2006 strategy. The recommendations made were the basis to what was presented to our board. The results from the intern's report strengthened the decision to go with the proposed business model.

ArtStarts in Schools

Vancouver, BC:

The CEI intern presented his findings in a binder that is now used as a primary resource tool for our office. The work has impacted so many areas of our organization and almost everyone has already used the binder to source information. The impact of this is a smoother transition to our new facility with less disruption to our programs and our constituents. It is of great value!

Victorian Order of Nurses

Ottawa, ON:

We have now a better understanding of our employees needs and areas requiring improvement from an organizational point of view as well as a clearer understanding of injury issues. We also have concrete steps for employee satisfaction; a complete review and updating of disaster plan/business recovery manual; and a review of administrative structure and proposed changes. Overall we will be able to use the results to begin addressing specific issues with insight to proceed.

Eva's Phoenix

Toronto, ON:

The impact is significant because the intern's work is the foundation for our strategic planning process to move forward. The intern's research gives us a long-term view of where the industry is headed. Ultimately her work is a key ingredient in a vision now articulated. The structural changes proposed will have benefits for both bottom lines of the social enterprise over the next three years at least.