

ANNUAL REPORT 2007



Shelter. Dignity. Hope.

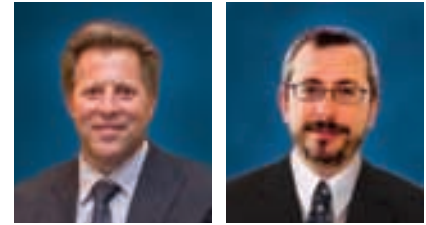


# About Federation

Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver is committed to building a strong, vibrant and enduring Jewish community in the Lower Mainland, in Israel and throughout the world by nurturing the values, practices and traditions which sustain and enrich Judaism and Jewish culture.

Federation works in collaboration with many partners locally, nationally and abroad. Our efforts are combined with other Jewish communities in Canada through United Israel Appeal Federations Canada and in Israel through Keren Hayesod and the Jewish Agency for Israel.

# Planning For the Challenges Ahead



This past fall we ran our annual campaign under the banner of – Live Generously! Shelter. Dignity. Hope. With a successful \$7.5 million campaign behind us we are continuing to work, day-by-day, to fulfill that promise. The annual campaign is driving our ability to provide greater allocations for important programs that provide dignity, hope and support for tens of thousands of Jews here in our community, across Canada and around the world.

Of the many examples of this work one local initiative is indicative of the momentum that Federation has built – the successful purchase by the Tikva Housing Society of an 11 unit apartment in the Marpole area. A description of this incredible project is mentioned later in the annual report. This project was made possible by the extraordinary generosity of the Guincher Family and several other donors from our community, BC Housing, and the sweat equity of the Tikva Housing Society leadership.

Our focus on shelter also relates to work done by the Federation and Canadian Jewish Congress to enhance the security of our local institutions. Federation completed a study on security needs, leading to the development of a Security Grant program to provide matching funds to local institutions for security programs and resources. This coincides with CJC’s enhanced role in helping local institutions assess their needs, and joint Federation/CJC work in trying to leverage federal funding.

The annual campaign has grown 78% over the past six years. With this growth comes increased responsibility for greater stewardship, accountability and strategic use of resources to meet the needs of our Jewish community locally and abroad. Federation undertook a significant restructuring this year to enhance our financial resource development and planning with a comprehensive and integrated approach.

The same focus and energy that drives the CJA campaign forward to continued annual campaign growth is now being applied to a wider field. We seek to increase endowment and other fundraising efforts that can help the community meet a broader spectrum of needs.

There is no shortage of vital work to be done. Preserving and strengthening Jewish identity, a projected burgeoning of our senior’s population and ongoing crises facing Israel are top of mind. Equally compelling is the fact that we have a growing community struggling to catch up on its infrastructure needs. We have accomplished much, and we have an important mission ahead. Fine tuning our planning to better define needs, priorities and potential solutions lays the groundwork. Integrating our annual and planned giving strategies then capitalizes on all of our potential assets so that we can and will have a more profound impact on our community’s future.

To implement this vision we are building on several fronts to effect change in the Federation, including:

- Enabling more senior management time to be focused on development activities by restructuring staff organization;
- Restructuring our board to provide for a more focused approach to governance responsibilities, consistent with trends in the non-profit field;
- Re-branding efforts to unify our image, key messaging and community presence. This is reflected in our new logo, newsletters and website;
- Forging better working partnerships and changing the way we structure our planning activities to strengthen our focus and impact on community priorities.

Your federation is a reflection of the community. We seek to work smarter and harder to ensure our community continues to grow and thrive. Your collective support drives our success and expands the scope of our vision. We continue to try to live up to the highest possible standards – yours!

Garry Zlotnik

Mark Gurvis



# Combined Jewish Appeal 2007 Campaign

We are delighted to report another year of unprecedented growth and commitment to strengthening the Jewish community at home, in Israel and worldwide. Under the banner “Shelter. Dignity. Hope.,” our Combined Jewish Appeal annual campaign reached an all-time high of \$7.5 million in 2007.

A total of 470 volunteers gave their time, expertise and personal financial resources to ensure the phenomenal success of this year's campaign. There were many inspiring events to educate and engage the community, while the Yom Ha'atzmaut Mission to Israel and the Mission to Ethiopia & Israel showed donors first-hand the difference their gift makes.

Twenty-two was a magic number this year: the Major Donors division and Ben Gurion Society each welcomed 22 new donors, and the Women's Division established 22 new Lion of Judah benefactors.

We have been fortunate to have Craig Diamond preside over the 2006 and 2007 annual campaigns as well as the Israel Emergency Campaign. Thanks to his dedication and commitment, these campaigns achieved extraordinary growth, leading Federation to an overall fundraising achievement of more than \$18 million. We acknowledge Craig for his exceptional leadership and commitment.



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**A** Federation held its first ever Men's Night Out event at the Media Club. *From left, Ken Shalinsky, Tim Berman, Steve Shalinsky and Steve Frishling.* • **B** Over 220 women donors and guests attended this year's Night of 100 Dinners, contributing a total of \$562,238 to this year's campaign, an increase of \$133,866 over their contributions last year. *From left, event co-chairs Lianne Hayes-Peretz and Carrie Diamond, Women's Division chair Lana Marks Pulver, event co-chair Josephine Nadel, and Isabelle Diamond.* • **C** Craig Diamond, 2007 General Campaign Chair • **D** 12 members of our local community participated in a mission to Ethiopia and Israel in March 2007. • **E** 13 members of our community visited Israel for a special Yom Ha'atzmaut Mission in April 2007. • **F** The 3rd annual Choices event drew close to 500 women who were moved and inspired by keynote speaker Dr. Marla Shapiro. *From left, Steven RodRozen, Women's Division chair Lana Marks Pulver with event co-chair Lisa Boroditsky, guest speaker Marla Shapiro, and event co-chairs Alisa Charach, Karen Ergas and Myriam Freedman.*



# Shelter — caring for those in need



Every Jew should have a home — somewhere decent, affordable and safe. And not just physical shelter. Everyone needs emotional shelter from the isolation of poverty, the shock of crisis and the pain of illness. This past year, a key focus of Federation was to ensure a social safety net both in our community and abroad to protect those in need. This included isolated seniors who depend on homecare and housing assistance, those in need of affordable housing, food and medicine, and immigrants requiring emergency financial aid to settle successfully into new communities in Israel and at home.

## The Impact of Shelter


Through our beneficiary agencies, Federation in 2007 provided funding for:

- Emergency assistance and basic support — food, clothing, medical needs and transportation — for Jewish Family Service Agency clients
- A needs assessment through the Yaffa Housing Society for adults with mental health issues to better meet their needs through housing, employment and social interaction
- Support for new Canadians and new immigrants through resettlement and integration services
- JFSA's housing coordinator, who helped over 160 clients in their search for affordable housing
- Coordination of programs and services at the Kehila Society for the Richmond Jewish community
- Home-support services that enabled 100 seniors to remain in their homes
- Food parcels and hot meals through the Joint Distribution Committee to nearly 200,000 impoverished and elderly Jews in the Former Soviet Union
- A consultant to Tikva Housing Society, who successfully identified affordable housing opportunities
- Assistance and social services to Israeli immigrants from France, Russia, Ethiopia and elsewhere.

Federation helped to facilitate a remarkable partnership between Tikva Housing Society and the Guincher family, which led to the purchase of an 11-unit apartment building in Vancouver's Marpole neighbourhood. An extraordinarily generous lead gift from the Guinchers made the project possible, along with further support from the Diamond Foundation, Morley and Myrna Koffman, Dan and Trudy Pekarsky, Annette Rothstein, Harley Rothstein and Eleanor Boyle, and the Zalkow Foundation. These funds were matched by BC Housing with a \$740,000 forgivable loan. This is the first affordable housing project brought forward by our housing society and a first step as our community does its part to address the region's critical shortage of affordable housing. In cooperation with the Jewish Family Service Agency, six of the 11 units in the building now house JFSA clients.



# Dignity — giving voice to the voiceless



To live a life in dignity, individuals must have pride and respect and this means ensuring basic needs — physical, emotional and spiritual — are met. Federation provided considerable financial support last year to beneficiary agencies providing counseling services, programs for youth-at-risk and advocacy for those challenged by disabilities. These programs enabled them in developing the knowledge and skills necessary for them to shape their own lives and to live as fully participating members of our community. Jews must also have the ability to ascertain their individual and collective rights and safety within Canadian society. To ensure this, Federation became an even stronger advocate for our community's collective security.



### The Impact of Dignity

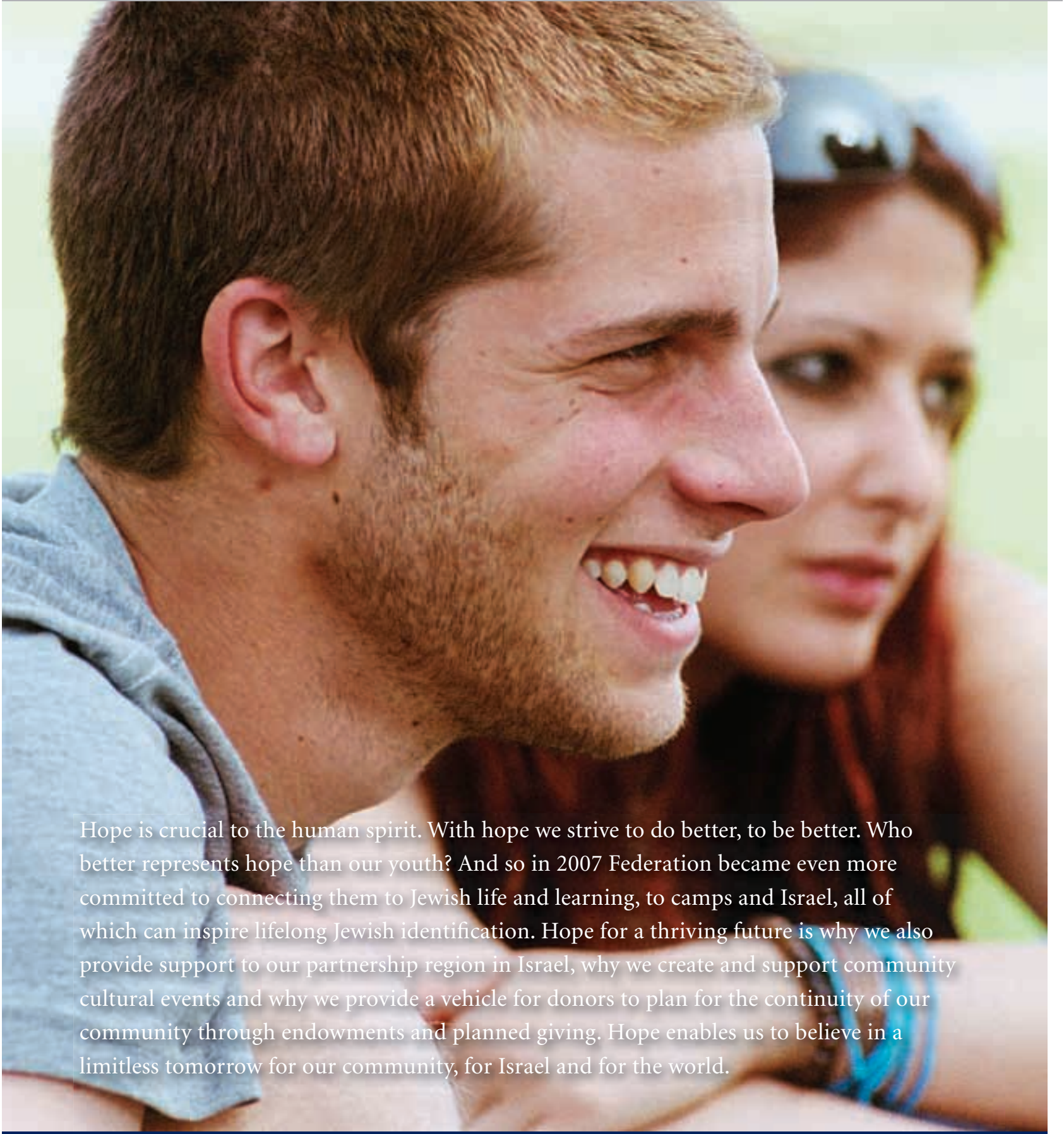
Through our beneficiary agencies, Federation in 2007 provided funding for:

- The JCC's Bagel Club, which offers social and recreational support to participants with developmental challenges and mental illness
- The L'Chaim Adult Day Centre, which provides critical support to frail and vulnerable members of our community as well as support to family caregivers
- Shalom BC, which served 290 new immigrants, and responded to more than 5,000 information queries
- Programs for youth-at-risk in the periphery of Israel designed to strengthen the self-esteem of disadvantaged youth and help high school drop-outs get back on track
- Community kitchens for members of the Russian speaking community in Richmond to overcome their social isolation and to integrate with others
- Our Partnership 2000 region of the Upper Galilee Panhandle to help local leadership be better prepared for crisis situations

During the past year, Federation has worked closely with many community organizations to assist them in addressing their security concerns. In particular, our Allocations Planning Committee approved initial funding of \$100,000 to provide professional resources to the community and funding to implement recommended security measures. A Security Allocations Committee has now been convened and is responsible for grants to community schools, agencies and synagogues.



# Hope — planning for our future



Hope is crucial to the human spirit. With hope we strive to do better, to be better. Who better represents hope than our youth? And so in 2007 Federation became even more committed to connecting them to Jewish life and learning, to camps and Israel, all of which can inspire lifelong Jewish identification. Hope for a thriving future is why we also provide support to our partnership region in Israel, why we create and support community cultural events and why we provide a vehicle for donors to plan for the continuity of our community through endowments and planned giving. Hope enables us to believe in a limitless tomorrow for our community, for Israel and for the world.

Do good. Feel good.  
For generations  
to come.

## The Impact of Hope

Federation strives to ensure a thriving future for our Greater Vancouver Jewish community by:

- Helping Hillel to engage more than 1,000 students at UBC, SFU and U Vic, and providing hundreds of youth scholarships to attend Jewish summer camps
- Supporting EIDAN, a new year-long leadership training program at the JCC for teenagers who want to make a difference in the world
- Operating funds and tuition assistance to make our 5 Jewish day schools accessible to students throughout the Lower Mainland
- Israel programs for students, teens and young adults through the Israel and Overseas Affairs Department
- Professional development opportunities for our community's educators
- Working with Jewish summer camp leaders from BC, Alberta and Washington to create a forum for shared opportunities and concerns
- The Canada-Israel Experience Birthright Program in Vancouver which sent approximately 150 teens and young adults to Israel this year
- Yom Ha'atzmaut event where over 1,200 attendees celebrated at the Chan Centre
- JCCGV Succot, Hanukkah and Purim celebrations, which attracted more than 3,000 participants

Create a permanent legacy at the Jewish Community Foundation, and you are doing a world of good for the causes you support — for generations to come. Our current fund holders recognize this. Already they see their planning paying off, with the Foundation directing permanent resources to services and agencies vital to our Jewish community.

In 2007 the Foundation awarded nearly \$900,000 in grants from our restricted and unrestricted funds which went to organizations committed to education, poverty relief, seniors support and arts and culture.

This past year the Foundation also continued to offer innovative giving options as well as solid, professional expertise to help donors and their families realize their philanthropic goals.

# Federation Highlights

**A** Over 350 alumni of Taglit-Birthright Israel and other Israel experience programs joined together at the 3rd annual Taglit-Birthright Israel MegaEvent.



**B** Dor Chadash performs at the annual Yom Ha'atzmaut celebration at the Chan Centre in front of an audience of 1,200.



**C** Alumni from the first two cohorts of the Leadership and Identity in a New Age group met for a special evening focusing on our Jewish communal agencies. *From left, participants Paul Maurer, Michelle Dodek, Kelly Korbin.*

**D** Karen James and Eve Camerman enjoy the Women's Division first Mission of Discovery, which included visits to 4 communal agencies.



**E** *From left, Allan Gaerber, Jill Diamond and Morry Gaerber* at the Yom Ha'atzmaut Sponsor's Reception.

**F** **Larry Barzelai** awarding student at the 19th Annual Public Speaking Contest sponsored by the Israel and Overseas Affairs Department. Over 130 grade 4-7 students participated.



**G** *From left, Michelle Pollock, Kerri Chetner and Leanne Coleman.* The Ben-Gurion Society held its first 'Insights Into Philanthropy' series which introduced young donors to veteran community philanthropists.

**H** Teachers at Professional Development Day held for educators at Jewish day and supplementary schools.



**I** 55 Lion of Judah donors participated at a special Lion of Judah tea to honour their generosity and commitment to our community. *From left, Liza Rozen-Delman with event sponsor Jill Diamond, Women's Division Chair, Lana Marks Pulver, event sponsor Cheryl Stein, keynote speaker Beverlee Ashmele and event sponsor Anita Silber.*



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Over 200 people attended Federation's Annual General Meeting, chaired by **Diane Switzer**.

**Araleh Lapidot and Mark Gurvis** provided awards to students at the annual High School Debates which had over 50 students participating on 10 school teams.



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The CJA Major Donors division kicked off its campaign efforts with a summer barbecue at the home of **Gordon and Leslie Diamond**.

From left, **Joe Segal, Ted Zacks and Linda Mann Zacks** at the CJA Major Donors summer barbecue event.



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**JCCGV Or Chadash dancers**. As part of our Partnership 2000 relationship with the Upper Galilee, the JCC's youth Israeli dance troupe performed at Festival Karmiel in Israel.

**Lauri Glotman and Tammy Kerzner** at Night of 100 Dinners.



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Over 700 people heard Professor Deborah Lipstadt's enthralling speech at the CJA Campaign Opening Event. From left, event co-chairs **Sherry Levinson and Marcy Schwartzman**, keynote speaker **Deborah Lipstadt**, and event co-chair **Bev Davis**.

Student participants at the Public Speaking Contest.

Volunteer **Bob Markin** pitched in at one of the telethons held throughout Greater Vancouver during the campaign season.



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# Financial Highlights

This statement includes the results of the 2006 CJA campaign and the activities of Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver and Jewish Community Foundation of Greater Vancouver for the period September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2007. The statement also reflects the partial activity of the Israel Emergency Campaign launched in late July 2006 through the end of the fiscal year.

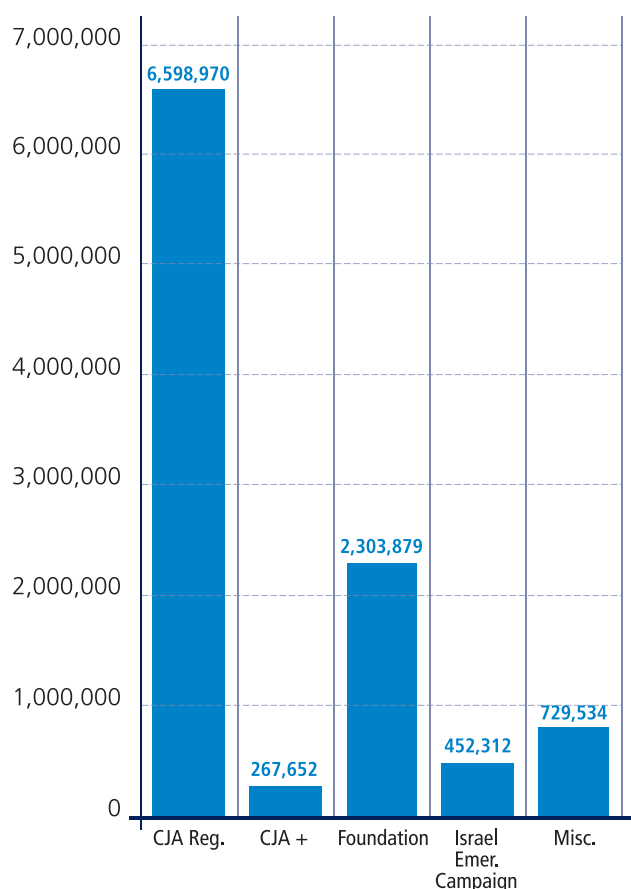
The 2006 CJA campaign raised \$6.88 million (2005 – \$6.41 million). In addition, during the fiscal year the Federation raised an additional \$452,312 (2006 – 3.2 Million) through the Israel Emergency Campaign, and \$784,270 in miscellaneous contributions to local and international Jewish charities (2006 – \$740,632).

The Foundation continued to experience steady growth, with new contributions of \$2.3 million (2006 – \$1.2 million). At August 31, 2007 the Foundation's net assets amounted to \$23.2 million (2006 – \$22.4 million).

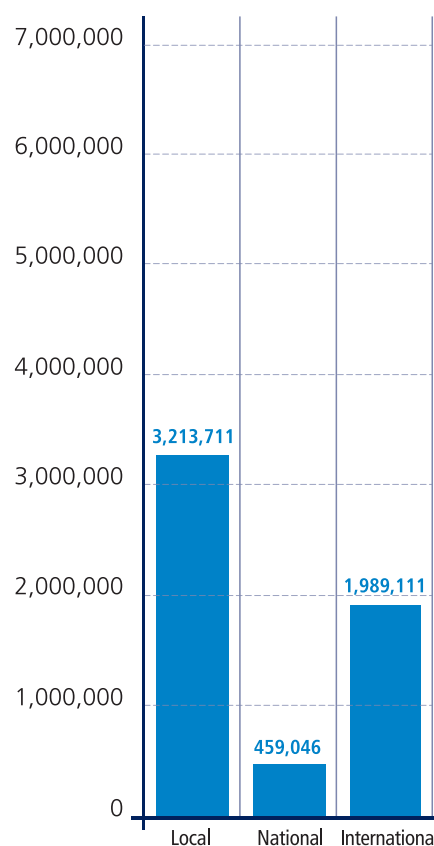
During the fiscal year allocations and distributions from CJA, the Israel Emergency Campaign and Foundation sources to local, national, and overseas agencies and programs amounted to \$8.1 million (2006 – \$10.5 million). Of this amount \$6.95 million (2006 – \$6.45 million) was allocated from CJA funds and miscellaneous contributions, \$452,312 from the IEC (2006 – 3.2 million) and \$892,656 (2006 – \$890,961) was allocated from the Jewish Community Foundation.

For more details, on the financial statements of the Federation, please refer to the full audited statements available at [www.jewishvancouver.com](http://www.jewishvancouver.com).

TOTAL FUNDRAISING REVENUE 2007



2007 / 2006 ALLOCATIONS



## Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver

### Condensed Statement of Financial Position and Operations

Year ended August 31, 2007

<b>FINANCIAL POSITION</b>	General Fund 2007	Foundation Fund 2007	IEC Campaign 2007	Total 2007	Total 2006
<b>Assets</b>					
Cash	\$ 1,585,369	\$ 364,512	\$ 701	\$ 1,950,582	\$ 2,080,148
Pooled Investments	—	22,320,930	—	22,320,930	20,433,361
Bond and Mortgages	60,000	679,038	—	739,038	629,038
Pledges Receivable	2,355,354	—	20,829	2,376,183	4,634,622
Other Receivables and Prepaids	49,673	64,175	—	113,848	456,521
Capital Assets	61,913	—	—	61,913	70,943
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 4,112,309</b>	<b>\$ 23,428,655</b>	<b>\$ 21,530</b>	<b>\$ 27,562,494</b>	<b>\$ 28,304,633</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>					
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 477,254	\$ —	\$ 21,530	\$ 498,784	\$ 2,198,330
Grants and Allocations Payable	50,000	183,263	—	233,263	162,000
Deferred Revenue	1,916,904	—	—	1,916,904	3,539,272
Net Assets	1,668,151	23,245,392	—	24,913,543	22,405,031
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 4,112,309</b>	<b>\$ 23,428,655</b>	<b>\$ 21,530</b>	<b>\$ 27,562,494</b>	<b>\$ 28,304,633</b>
<b>OPERATIONS</b>					
<b>Revenue</b>					
Pledges and Contributions	\$ 6,866,622	\$ 2,303,879	\$ 452,312	\$ 9,622,813	\$ 10,805,711
Provisions for Uncollectible Pledges	(54,736)	—	—	(54,736)	(65,000)
Grant and Other Income	684,460	—	—	684,460	613,265
Interest, Dividends, and Miscellaneous Donations	899,033	491,844	—	1,390,877	2,095,781
Realized and Unrealized Gain in Value Investments	—	399,285	—	399,285	(225,766)
	<b>\$ 8,395,379</b>	<b>\$ 3,195,008</b>	<b>\$ 452,312</b>	<b>\$ 12,042,699</b>	<b>\$ 13,223,991</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>					
Fundraising	\$ 951,209	\$ 167,734	\$ —	\$ 1,118,943	\$ 1,103,578
Administration	199,156	111,822	—	310,978	302,185
Allocations and Grants (Local, National, Overseas)	6,759,298	892,656	452,312	8,104,266	10,529,177
<b>Excess Revenues Over Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 485,716</b>	<b>\$ 2,022,796</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ 2,508,512</b>	<b>\$ 1,289,051</b>
Interfund Transfers and Miscellaneous	\$ (61,078)	\$ 61,078	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Net Assets, Beginning of the Year	1,243,513	21,161,518	—	22,405,031	21,115,980
<b>New Assets, End of Year</b>	<b>\$ 1,668,151</b>	<b>\$ 23,445,392</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ 24,913,543</b>	<b>\$ 22,405,031</b>

# Allocations 2006–2007

The organizations listed below represent constituent agencies which received funding in 2006/2007. The allocations listed in the charts reflect the distribution of funds raised by the annual CJA campaign to our partners in Israel, nationally and abroad.

## Local Constituent Agencies

Beth Israel Hebrew School • Beth Tikvah Hebrew School • Burquest Jewish Community Association • Camp Gan Israel • Camp Hatikvah • Habonim-Dror Camp Miriam • Hillel Vancouver • Jewish Community Centre of Greater Vancouver • Jewish Family Service Agency • Jewish Festival of the Arts Society • Jewish Historical Society of BC • Jewish Seniors Alliance • Kehila Society of Richmond • King David High School • North Shore Hebrew School • Or Shalom Religious School • Pacific Torah Institute • Peretz Centre for Secular Jewish Culture • Richmond Jewish Day School • Schara Tzedek Mesorah School • Shalom BC • TAG Supplementary Community High School • Temple Sholom Religious School • Vancouver Hebrew Academy • Vancouver Holocaust Education Centre • Vancouver Talmud Torah Elementary School • White Rock/South Surrey Community Centre

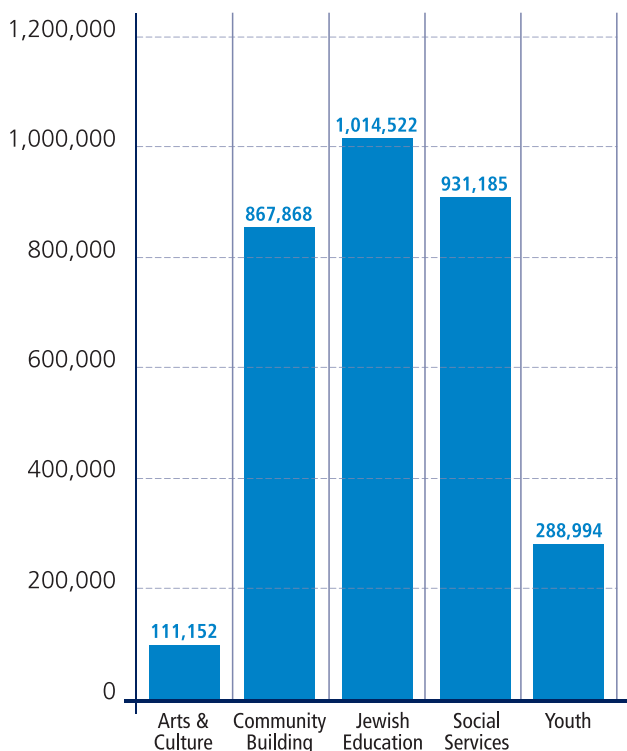
## National Agencies

Canadian Council for Israel and Jewish Advocacy • Canada-Israel Committee, Pacific Region • Canada Israel Experience • Canadian Jewish Congress, Pacific Region • Jewish Immigrant Aid Society • National Jewish Campus Life Board • United Israel Appeal Federations Canada

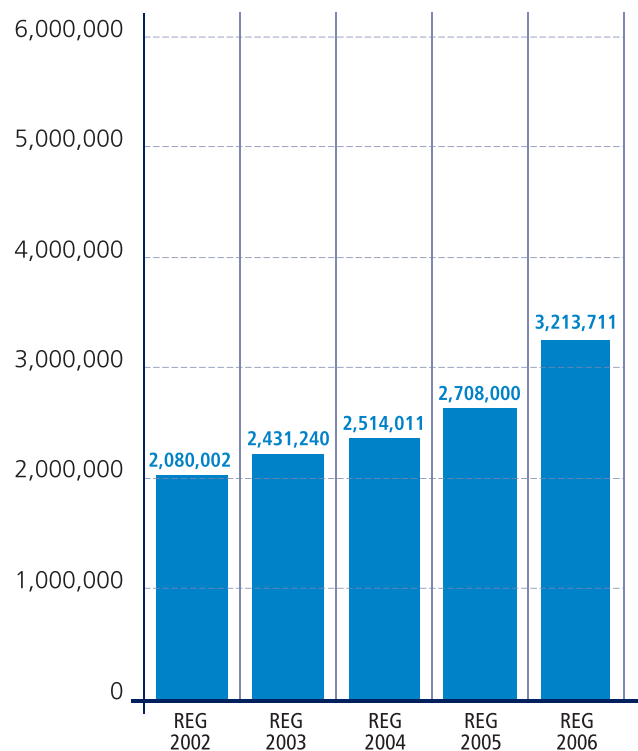
## International Agencies

BeYachad • Partnership 2000 – Galilee Panhandle • Isracorps • Joint Distribution Committee • Jewish Agency for Israel • Keren Hayesod

LOCAL ALLOCATIONS BY AREA 2006-2007



TRENDS IN LOCAL ALLOCATIONS



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