



## TCF FAST FACTS

### 2007 – 2008

- \$43 million received in new gifts
  - asset base of \$327 million
- \$33 million granted to 665 charitable organizations
  - 78 new funds established

- The Calgary Foundation, established in 1955, helps create a giving and caring community by working in partnership with others to identify community needs and facilitate philanthropy for the long term benefit of Calgary and area.
- The Calgary Foundation provides *Grants*, to support organizations in the areas of Arts & Heritage, Human Services, Education, Environment, Health and Neighbourhoods.
- The Calgary Foundation plays a *Community* role in areas of public policy development, community convening and problem solving, ultimately serving as a catalyst for positive change, now and for future generations.
- Approximately 120 volunteers serve on the Foundation Board and the Audit, Development, Investment, Grants Advisory and Professional Advisor Committees.
- Donors and the community expect accountability and integrity from the Foundation, and The Calgary Foundation is skilled at delivering these qualities. A competent investment Committee ensures donors' capital is invested prudently and returns are maximized within acceptable levels of risk.
- The Calgary Foundation is in a unique position as an umbrella organization that works with the broad community in a non-competing way. It is a resource for the philanthropic community, the charitable community, and those that serve these individuals and groups.