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Dear Mayor and Council;

We are writing to you to seek financial support for our Male and Female Softball athletes from across BC that will represent BC at the Canada Summer games in 2022 in Niagara, Ontario. The effects of Covid 19 have been felt in every sector of amateur sports in BC and we have not been immune to the effects of the Pandemic. Our athletes include members from your community and aspiring athletes from all communities in BC.

As you know, amateur sport provides a significant financial benefit to your local economy. When sport is played on your local fields: hotels, restaurants, stores, gas stations, tourist destinations and other sectors of our community benefits.

Our goals are to represent our Province with the highest integrity, to promote this great game of softball, and to see it continue to grow in the future. Many of the athletes that make these teams will attend University and Colleges throughout North America and will become role models in your community. These athletes will be future coaches, parents and possibly council members and they will support and promote the healthy lifestyle that our sport offers.

Our teams have been hit hard by COVID-19 restrictions and your financial support will help us adapt and adjust to this changing environment.

Please mail cheques to Team BC, c/o Softball BC, 201-8889 Walnut Grove Drive, Langley, BC V1M 2N7.

Thank you in advance for your generous support.

As per

Executive Director, Rick Benson Head Coach Men, Doug Allin Head Coach Women, Mark Dunlop



Michael Smith, Technical Coordinator (Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 8:30 am to 4:30 pm)

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We would like to acknowledge that our Softball BC office is located on the traditional and unceded territories of the Katzie and Kwantlen First Nations.

https://softball.bc.ca/resources/550/handbook

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