

Request to Appear as a Delegation

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Name of Delegation:	Future Bright
Name of Primary Contact Person:	Marian Gayed
Name(s) of Delegation Member(s) in Attendance:	Marian Gayed
Purpose of Delegation:	<p>The Goal is to share the Future Bright Program with the City of Port Moody and the school District, in hopes of reaching out with as many families as possible to help children benefit from both the provincial and federal grants available.</p>
Details of Request:	<p>The Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver, if you're not familiar with it already, is a not-for-profit organization that for over 80 years has supported some of society's most vulnerable populations – women, girls and children at risk, involved in or affected by the justice system. Our more than two dozen programs work to break the cycle of poverty, addiction, mental illness, homelessness and crime.</p> <p>Our newest program, called Future Bright, is designed to help families access the different grants available for their children's post-secondary education by opening an RESP without any need to contribute towards the account and where \$0 fees are involved. Parents could access up to \$3,200 or more.</p> <p>There is absolutely no cost for this service to the families or to your organization. I've attached a poster that outlines the main points and benefits to families and organizations that take advantage of the program. We undertake to do all the necessary leg work to facilitate the member's registration and assist them in obtaining any of the documentation required for the program. There is very little time and effort required on the part of organization members other than arranging for us to meet or referring us to member's that could benefit from the program.</p>
Additional Information in Support of Request:	<p>This July we are hosting a "one-stop shop" on Zoom in order to provide families all the resources they need and help them obtain an RESP for their children in 30 minutes time.</p>

From: Marian Gayed [<mailto:Marian.Gayed@elizabethfry.com>]

Sent: July-07-20 1:39 PM

To: Mayor Rob Vagramov <RVagramov@portmoody.ca>

Subject: Future Bright - Supporting Children Education

Dear Mayor Vagramov:

I am employed by the Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver as a *Registration Facilitator* for the Future Bright Program.

The [Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver](#), if you're not familiar with it already, is a not-for-profit organization that for over 80 years has supported some of society's most vulnerable populations – women, girls and children at risk, involved in or affected by the justice system. Our more than two dozen programs work to break the cycle of poverty, addiction, mental illness, homelessness and crime.

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In order to see if this program could be a good fit with programs that you already have in place, I'd like to arrange a suitable Zoom meeting time with you and other members of the committee that you think may be interested, to discuss the program further and see how we might be able to be of service.

If interested in the program going forward, we would send marketing materials including posters, flyers and cards, to pass on to clients at your own discretion. Your clients' information would remain anonymous to us until they choose to access our program.

Thank you. I look forward to hearing from you.

Marian Gayed
Registration Facilitator
Future Bright Program
The Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver

MAKE YOUR CHILD'S Future Bright



Future Bright is a FREE EFry program that helps parents and guardians access up to \$3,200 for their child's education through the Canada Learning Bond (CLB) and BC Training and Education Savings Grant (BCTESG). This money is free for you to claim for your child and you don't have to contribute any money yourself. Youth who have savings for their education are 50% more likely to attend post-secondary!



WHO IS IT FOR?

Canada Learning Bond

To be eligible a child must:

- Have been born in 2004 or later.
- Reside in Canada.
- PLUS, families with 1 to 3 children must have a net income under \$47,630 (for families with more than 3 children, contact EFry's Future Bright team).

BC Training and Education Savings Grant

To be eligible a child must:

- Have been born in 2006 or later
- Reside in British Columbia
- Be between the ages of 6 and 8

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Canada Learning Bond

- \$2,000 will be deposited into your child's Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP).
- Each child receives at least \$500 in their RESP to start.
- Each year that they are eligible, they receive an additional \$100 until the age of 15.
- If applying several years after your child was born, you will receive all payments owed to your child from past years.

BC Training and Education Savings Grant

- BCTESG will give children a free one-time payment of \$1200 for children ages 6 to 8.

WHAT DO I NEED?

- Your Social Insurance Number
- Your child's Social Insurance Number
- 2 pieces of your ID (1 government-issued photo ID)

Don't have ID? We will work with you to get it!

APPLY NOW!

Apply online at mysmartfuture.org/efry or contact EFry's Future Bright team at **604-520-1166** or email futurebright@elizabethfry.com



Make your child's Future Bright

with up to \$3,200 in FREE funding
for your child's education!

Find out more at:
www.mysmartfuture.org/efry

FUTURE BRIGHT FRIDAYS

July 10, 17 & 24 | 10am-4pm

To join by Zoom, type the link below on your internet browser:

<https://zoom.us/j/94335109110>

Dial in by phone
778-907-2071

Meeting ID: 943 3510 9110
Participant ID: 410792

- Future Bright is a EFry program that helps families access free funding for their children's post-secondary education.
- We're holding this free online event 3 Fridays in a row.
- All families with children 0-20 years of age are welcome to join and inquire.
- Our registration facilitators will be on hand to assist families to access the grants.

For more information

contact futurebright@elizabethfry.com
or call 604-520-1166.



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