

# CO-OP IMPACT

## Kootenay-Boundary, BC



**32**  
LOCAL  
COMMUNITIES  
SERVED\*

**2.4 MILLION**  
GIVEN BACK TO CO-OP  
MEMBERS IN  
PATRONAGE REBATES  
AND DIVIDENDS

**25 MILLION**  
IN WAGES AND  
BENEFITS  
TO LOCALS

**215 MILLION**  
IN ANNUAL  
REVENUES



OVER  
**35 BILLION**  
GIVEN TO COMMUNITIES  
FROM CANADIAN  
CREDIT UNIONS

**18 MILLION**  
CO-OP MEMBERS  
IN CANADA

**150,000+**  
CANADIANS  
EMPLOYED BY  
CO-OPS

**90, 000**  
COMMUNITIES  
SERVED



## Canada

\*Revelstoke, Creston, Cranbrook, Grand Forks, Kimberly, Kaslo, Rossland, Lardeau Valley, Willet Bench, Invermere, New Denver, Castlegar, Trail, Warfield, Salmo, Waneta, Slocan, Naksup, Fruitvale, South Slocan, Nelson, Crawford Bay, Slocan Park, Greenwood, Winlaw, Harrop, Proctor, Silverton, Fernie, Golden, Edgewood

# KOOTENAY-BOUNDARY, B.C. CO-OPS AT A GLANCE

- 40+ thriving Co-ops
- 90,000 Co-op & Credit Union Members
- 780 locals employed by co-ops



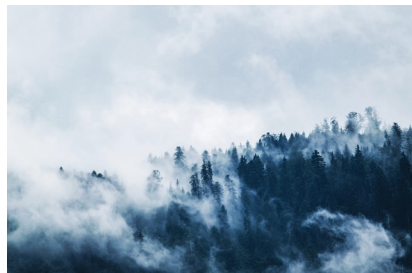
## Co-ops help our communities protect the environment

The Kootenay Carshare Co-op runs a fleet of 22 cars and each of these takes an estimated 5 private vehicles off local roads.



## Co-ops and credit unions support local community groups and people

Local co-ops and credit unions gave more than \$500,000 in cash and donations to community groups this year and granted more than \$80,000 in student awards.



## Co-ops help retain local control over natural resources

Local forestry co-ops ensure control over logging on crown land and how that affects watersheds.

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