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Wild Sheep Society of British Columbia receives partner funding
Abbotsford Fish and Game Club donates to projects

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In a year of negatively biased news, it is with great excitement we announce that there has been an incredible donation once again to our projects.

The Wild Sheep Society of B.C (WSSBC) is grateful for the collaborative relationships we have built over the years and as such announces that the Abbotsford Fish and Game Club has contributed \$20,000 in partner-funding towards two projects that not only benefit sheep, but the overall habitat for all. The Todagin River area thinhorn sheep, and the Fraser River bighorn projects will be the recipients of this generous funding.

"Partnerships are critical to our success. Without support like this, we cannot do what we do on the landscape. We are so excited to once again have the support of a strong conservation partner, Abbotsford Fish and Game club, on these projects" said Kyle Stelter, WSSBC Past-President.

The WSSBC was founded due to the need to protect and enhance the Fraser River bighorn sheep populations, and we have grown exponentially due to the success of the work being done in this area. A multi-year legacy project currently in year three, we continue to work diligently with biologists to improve overall herd health and the habitat they live in.

"We are so pleased to once again support the work of the WSSBC." said Ian Baird, Abbotsford Fish and Game "We are focused on projects that show positive results on the landscape like this one that benefits wild sheep and their habitat. These are crucial to the success of rebuilding populations of all species that inhabit it."

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About the Wild Sheep Society of BC

The Wild Sheep Society of BC is a non-profit registered Society dedicated to the protection and enhancement of wild sheep and wild sheep habitat throughout "Beautiful British Columbia". Putting tens of thousands of volunteer hours and dollars into conservation projects in BC since 1998, the WSSBC is committed to its vision statement of "Putting more sheep on the mountains".

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