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One homeless veteran is too many

Dear Friends & Comrades,

It is estimated that over 1500 veterans experience homelessness across British Columbia each year. Since 2010, Cockrell House has been providing housing and social services to help dozens of veterans integrate back into civilian life.

Jason's Story

Cpl. Jason R Mann was a combat veteran who completed three tours of duty. His time in Yugoslavia and Afghanistan left him injured and suffering. When he returned home, he struggled for several years and was unable to adjust. His marriage of 18 years ended and with nowhere to turn, he found himself homeless, hungry and alone. Endless thoughts of suicide persisted.

"Cockrell House was a blessing."

Jason was connected with the team at Cockrell House in Colwood, BC, and things began to change. "They opened their arms to me when I needed it most, provided a place for me to recover, fed me, clothed me and most importantly listened when I needed a brother to talk to." With time, Jason was able to complete a course to help with his PTSD, register for school, get his finances on track, and get his own place. He was even able to reconnect with his children. "It saved my life and my children still have a dad".

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Local giving. Local impact.

The BC/Yukon Legion Foundation has always been there to support veterans and communities. Your donation to our Key Tag Program helps change the lives of veterans like Cpl. Mann, and gives them the support they need to thrive. With your assistance, we can ensure more funds are available to support programs like Cockrell House across BC and the Yukon.

For more information about other programs that the BC/Yukon Legion Foundation supports, please visit

legionbcyukonfoundation.ca.



How Key Tags Work

Register your key tag online at legionbcyukonfoundation.ca/key-tags or complete and return the enclosed form. Then attach your new key tag to your key ring.

This key tag shows your support for our veterans and communities, and can also save you time and money if you lose your keys. Anyone who finds your keys can drop them off in the mail. They will be sent to us and we will forward them back to you. No costly replacement keys needed!

One homeless veteran is too many. Thank you for showing your support to our veterans and communities.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Valerie MacGregor'.

Valerie MacGregor, Chairman
BC/Yukon Legion Foundation

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