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CBT Seeks Input on Draft Social and Environment Strategic Plans

Columbia Basin Trust (CBT) is interested in your feedback on the draft social and environment strategic plans which identify three-year goals and objectives aimed at addressing social and environment issues in the Columbia Basin region.

Click [here](#) to review the plans and then fill out the short [survey](#) online. The surveys will close October 31, 2008.

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CBT Helps Selkirk Launch First Ever Classroom on Wheels

Selkirk College is launching the first Industrial Mobile Training program in the West Kootenay, thanks to a \$74,000 contribution from Columbia Basin Trust. The program will consist of a unique educational plan where equipment and instructors travel to communities to offer specialized industrial training. [more](#)

CBT Supports Creston's Grow-Your-Own-Lunch Program

CBT and partners support pilot program to teach 26 grade six students about the economic, health, and environmental implications of growing their own produce. [more](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- [CBT presents \\$200,000 cheque to Brilliant Suspension Bridge Restoration Committee](#)
- [CBT Provides \\$50,000 For Renos at Trail Activity Centre](#)
- CBT College Community Service Awards
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[CBT Community Liaison Jennifer Krotz presents a commemorative plaque to Creston Museum volunteers](#)



[Creston Youth Grow
Their Own Lunch](#)

New Social Advisory Committee Member

CBT is pleased to welcome Marion Eunson to the Social Advisory Committee. [more](#)

New Youth Advisory Committee Members

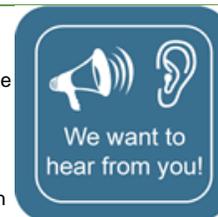
CBT is pleased to welcome 5 new Youth Advisory Committee members. [more](#)



[Marion Eunson](#)

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To ensure the plans are consistent with Basin priorities, CBT engaged with a number of organizations and individuals within the Basin and with our advisory committees, examined our previous work, and reviewed recent studies on the Basin region.

These plans will continue to evolve, as CBT regularly reviews the progress on planned activities and modifies them as opportunities arise.

While the plans will assist us with managing our operations and budgeting, we also hope they will generate a greater understanding about CBT's direction and commitment to addressing social and environmental issues in the Basin.

Click on the links below to review the plans and then fill out the short survey online or download a printable copy of the survey and mail, email or fax it to us. Both surveys close on October 31, 2008.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact us at 1.800.505.8998 or email info@cbt.org.

ENVIRONMENTAL STRATEGIC PLANS & FEEDBACK SURVEYS

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