

2019-2020 Annual Report



MEXICAN SOCIETY *of Edmonton*

Our Mission:

Dedicated to serve the Mexican community in Edmonton; Advance cultural education by providing workshops and cultural programs to enrich the lives of all Edmontonians; Provide transitional housing for temporary foreign workers by establishing and maintaining a housing facility and Cultural Centre to be the focal point for community activities and become a premier venue offering an environment for cultural activities, arts, and recreational programs to the public.



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Message from the Organization

The Mexican Society of Edmonton was created to provide an accurate representation of the Mexican heritage and traditions in Edmonton; this however, is not one that an individual can do alone. Over the course of the year, we had many great partners, funders, and volunteers. Everyone's contributions are the transformative force that drove the many initiatives and activities of the year. From the many activities; three projects stand out:

The first is The MexIndependence Day, which started as a cornerstone event from where we build this organization. Hosted in September 2019, this event was sponsored by many well-known organizations such as CashCo, FC Edmonton, Radio World FM 101.7, La Prensa, and many more. We had over 300 people attending the event from as far as Red Deer, showing the dear need for community service of the event and everyone involved to make it happen.

The second is an extraordinary milestone that genuinely represents the welcoming spirit of the Edmontonian that came together and hosted a Posada (Mexican Christmas Celebration).

It is not strange to many that within our community, we have many individuals and families that, during those times, cannot travel to be with their loved ones whatever the reason may be, we know the winter months' hardship is not the weather but the coldness in the hearth from living away from home. This event offered a time to connect seasoned Edmontonian families and those who recently arrived, creating a warmly welcoming everyone. The children played, and everyone sang and had a great time. Additionally, participants were encouraged to bring a food donation for the PEIF Fund. This not-for-profit social initiative offers support for vulnerable children, including orphans, kids living in poverty, and locally and internationally.

The third is a response to the uncertainty and fear that the COVID-19 pandemic broad to all the world. We were responding to the need for clear and actionable information. We coordinated with a member of Service Canada Benefits to host a virtual workshop with the objective to present a step by step how to apply for Employment Insurance. Even though the event was only intended for the Alberta Province, it reached thousands of people from all over Canada. This initiative helped ease the worries of many families across Alberta and Canada.

Those events and many other accomplishments are a testament to our Funders, Volunteers, Sponsors, and community partners' generosity.

Audited Financial and Operations Statements

2216790 Alberta Society
Financial Statement as at August 31, 2020

CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash	\$ 2,044.58
Receivables	\$ -
Prepaid expenses	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 2,044.58
LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable	\$ -
Deferred contributions	\$ -
Debt	\$ -
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ -
Total Net Assets	\$ 2,044.58
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 2,044.58

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Statement of Operations for the Year Ending August 31, 2020

Income	
Donations	\$ -
Event Fundraising	\$ 10,090.37
Membership Fees	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 10,090.37
Disbursements	
Administration	\$ 422.12
Event Expense	\$ 6,623.67
Rental Expense	\$ 1,000.00
Program and educational	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ 8,045.79
Assets	
Cash	\$ 2,044.58

Funders and Sponsors

CashCo
Mogulrg
Chimmy's
Bizcochos
La Granja Foods
Pasion Frutal

Meridian Clinical Massage
Pinta Carita
Mexican Soul Craft & Gifts
Productos Capilares MONAT
Monios y diademas
Artesanias

Ropa
Flags International
Roots of Colombia coffee
FC Edmonton



Volunteers and Participants

Felix A
Sandra A
Michael A
Oluwatobi A
Patty B
Dammy B
Noma B
Javier B
Ricardo B
Andres B
Fabi B
Norma B
Frank B
Arturo B
Veronica B
Arturo B
Raymundo C
Lenny C
Cesar C
Beatriz C
Sheyna C
Bruno C

Idark C
Kaye D
Vic D-R
ShaunaE
Catlin F
Petronela F
Sara F
Katrina F
Ana Cristina F
Ana Luisa G
Gabriel G
Hanna Regina G
Luisa G
Marcela G
Marisol G
Claudia G
Melissa G
Benjamin G
Martha G
Juan G
Doris H
Gloria H

Rosa H
Olena H
Gilberto I
Ulana I
Teresa J
Jorge A.J
Leslie J
Meredith J
Dominique K
Okan K
Edith K
Monica L
Travis L
Solveig L
Michelle L
Andrew L
Reckie L
Daniel L
Martha L
Saaliha M
Samyra M
Gelacio M

Antonia M
Jose M
Sunmola M
Gabriela M
Maria M
Donna M
Gonzalo M
Miguel M
Nicole M
Stephanie M
Marina M
Caty N
Natalia N
ItzaN
Paylig O
Jennifer O
Luis O
Olga O
Alicia O
Laura P
Christina P
Marcela P
Benjamin P

Ereni P
Silvia P-A
Caudia P-M
Karla P
Ricky P
Rodrigo P
Brant P
Diego P
Katrina Q
Reyna Q
Fernanda Q
Raul Q
Sandra Q
Yazmin R
María Paula R
Kathryn R
Diego R
Saul R
Nora E R
Elizabeth R
Alejandro R
Oscar R
Alma R

Daniel S
Daisy S
Diana S
Elianne S
Kim S
Odille S
Kristina S
Sherri T
Orsele T
Mariana T
Ely V
Jazel V
Amellaly V
Sabrina V
Ana V
Ana Maria V
Danna Isabel V
Marcos V
Jessi V
Daniella W
Maureen W
Lenny W
Lidia Z

Gracias

