

## Fondation canadienne de l'hygiène du milieu Fêtons nos 30 ans



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Hello CIPHI Members,

As Chair of the Environmental Health Foundation of Canada (EHFC) I am pleased to bring greetings to you from the Board of Trustees and our Honourary Chair Dr. David Jones. This year marks the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the EHFC which was established in 1989, to operate as the independent Charitable Division of the Canadian Institute of Public Health Inspectors.

The Board has been busy preparing for our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. To date we have:

- Completed a 3-year strategic plan (2019-2021) which included a feedback survey of CIPHI members.
- Creation of an anniversary logo (shown at the top of this letter),
- Refreshed our website which is being launched today to mark the kick-off to our anniversary –
  enjoy the tour we welcome your feedback, and
- Prepared a historical retrospective of the EHFC by decade. We will be sharing interesting
  information on "Throw Back Thursdays" during the rest of the year on our website and social
  media sites. We also plan to produce a historical newsletter at the end of the year that will
  include our 30-year history and the celebratory events held throughout the year.

The Board has also set a goal to raise \$30,000 this year so that we can create two new endowment funds: (1) to support students enrolled at the CIPHI accredited academic institutions, to attend the National CIPHI AEC up to \$5,000 annually, and (2) partner with like-minded non-profits to support an annual environmental public health aid project within Canada or internationally. We are therefore asking for your support in 2019 by donating \$30 to celebrate the EHFC's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. All donations of \$20 or more will receive a tax receipt. We are a Canadian registered charity (BN 870968377 RR0001).

Check our website's anniversary page often at <a href="https://www.EHFC.ca">www.EHFC.ca</a> for updates on anniversary celebrations and the various ways you can donate. Looking forward to your support and helping us celebrate!

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