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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (06-09-2023)

To: Members, Community and Others,

SUBJECT: Updates on BCOCCA'S Recent Accomplishments!

Greetings,

Folks, it is with great pleasure that I share with you an update on the recent initiatives that we have undertaken in the past year and a half, that includes the following:

- > Establishing a New "DIGITAL WEBSITE" and
- Obtaining a "Caribbean Community CRA Charitable Organization Designation Status"!
- We now have an Online platform that connects and have increased our online visibility!
- We can connect, collaborate with supporters and impactful organizations!
- We are now an incorporated Charitable organization to boost charitable giving's and provide essential resources!

As community members, we are now in the position to advance our mission for the necessary essentials, for BCOCCA and our community.

Establishing and obtaining these initiatives, BCOCCA was funded by the Supporting Black Canadian Communities Initiatives (SBCCI) which is a Federal Government intermediary that supports black Canadian initiatives.

My sincere thanks to all who assisted in making this historic enhancement project possible, including our BCOCCA Board and Members, Consultants, Supporters, and the Intermediaries.

Thank you

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