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Local Investing YYC

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Financing
(Investment Cooperative)

Local investment cooperative that allows Calgarians to invest with local businesses creating impact

[Apply for funding](#)

Social Enterprise Fund

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Financing
(Loan Fund)

Lends patient and imaginative capital to social enterprises in Alberta

[Submit a Proposal](#)

Vibrant Communities Calgary

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Nonprofit
(Poverty Reduction)

Works collaboratively on 'Enough for All' to advocate for long-term strategies that address the root causes of poverty in Calgary

[Become an 'Enough for All' Champion](#)

Alberta Living Wage Network

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Nonprofit
(Living Wage)

Encourages employers and policymakers to implement a living wage across Alberta

[Apply to be a Living Wage Employer](#)

Connect First Credit Union

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Financial Services

Supports business owner's financial journeys through 40 branches across Alberta

[Move your financial services to a local credit union](#)



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What is it?

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Innovate Calgary

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Business Incubation Centre

A central innovation hub and business incubator at the University of Calgary

Join their
breakfast club

AB Seed

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Social Enterprise Collaborative

Enhancing collaboration, communication, and strategization of leaders and contributors working in the social economy.

Join the Alberta
Social
Entrepreneurs
Linkedin Group

Trico Foundation

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Charity Organization

Closes gaps in society by building capacity & innovation in social entrepreneurship.

Watch The Path of
A.S.E.S.S. video

Economics of Social Change

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MRU Workshop Series

A 5-part workshop series designed for people who are curious about how to apply an economic lens to social issues

Add your name
to the workshop
waitlist

Platform Calgary

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Nonprofit

Brings together the resources of Calgary's tech ecosystem to help startups launch and grow, from ideation through to scale

Browse which
program is right
for you