

# About Sponsors of Project Ploughshares



## Who are Sponsors of Project Ploughshares?

Sponsors of Project Ploughshares are churches, ecumenical organizations, para-church ministries, faith groups and other voluntary and non-profit organizations. They work with expert staff to advance policies and actions that prevent war and armed violence and build sustainable peace. Together, sponsors lead Project Ploughshares, an operating division of The Canadian Council of Churches and Canada's leading peace and disarmament organization.

## Why become a Sponsor?

The Canadian Council of Churches strives to study, speak, and act on moral and spiritual principles inherent in the Christian Gospel, particularly when issues of justice, liberty, peace, and war, and human rights and relationships are of urgent concern. Sponsors of Project Ploughshares take a front row seat in guiding one of Canada's premier peace organizations to advance policies and actions that prevent war and armed violence, and build sustainable peace in Canada and around the globe.



## What's expected of a Sponsor?

Sponsors of Project Ploughshares support and contribute to its work both morally and financially, pursue complementary program activities, support and participate in its governance, and make an annual financial contribution to Project Ploughshares. Sponsors are expected to make an annual financial contribution of not less than \$1,000 annually.

## How to become a Sponsor

Write to Project Ploughshares expressing agreement with the purpose of Project Ploughshares, committing to financial support, and nominating a representative to the Management Committee of Project Ploughshares. Pending review by the Management Committee, the application will be forwarded to the Governing Board of The Canadian Council of Churches for ratification.



## Who We Are

The **Canadian Council of Churches (CCC)**, founded in 1944, is a broad and inclusive ecumenical body, now representing 26 member churches including Anglican; Eastern and Roman Catholic; Evangelical; Free Church; Eastern and Oriental Orthodox; and Historic Protestant traditions. Together these member churches represent 13,500 worshipping communities and comprise 85% of the Christians in Canada.\*

Together we respond to Christ's call for unity and peace, seek Christ's truth with affection for diversity, and act in love through prayer, dialogue, and witness to the gospel.

\*drawn from data provided by the Statistics Canada 2011 Survey

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