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Funding

Ask and You Shall Receive: A Fundraising Training Program for Religious Organizations and Projects by Kim Klein, 2000

Fundraising Mistakes that Bedevil All Boards by Kay Sprinkel Grace

Technology and the Future of Fundraising by Mal Warwick, 2007

Over Goal: What You Must Know to Excel at Fundraising Today by Kay Sprinkel Grace, 2003

1001 Fundraising Ideas and Strategies for Charity and other not-for-profit groups by Derek James Hawkins, 1998

Charities and not-for-profit fundraising Handbook by Donald Bourgeois, 2006

A complete Handbook for volunteers and professionals by Joan Flanagan, 2000

The Best of Fundraising 101 by Fred Gardiner, 2000

Charities and not-for-profit fundraising Handbook by Donald Bourgeois, 2006

Fired-up Fundraising: turning Board Passion into action by Gail Perry, 2007

Fundraising for Social Change by Kim Klein, 2007

Government Initiative

Volunteering and Mandatory Community Service: Choice-Incentive-Coercion-Obligation by Linda Graff, 2006

Risk Management

Developing a Risk Management Strategy – Five Steps by Karen Six and Erin Kiwalski, 2005

Duty of Care Video (Volunteer Canada) by Volunteer Canada

Beyond Police Checks – Screening Guidebook by Linda Graff, 1999

Better Safe: Risk Management in Volunteer Programs and Community Service by Linda Graff, 2003

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Building Community From the Inside Out by JP Kretzmann and John McKnight, 1993

Family Volunteering: A Discussion Paper by Volunteer Canada, 2001

Family Volunteering: The Final Report by Paddy Bowan, 2003

Guide to staff-board relations for Directors of Not for Profit Organizations by Sandi Humphreys

Change Leadership: Inform, Involve, Ignite by Robert Harris

Human Resource Policies and Procedures for Nonprofit Organizations by Carol Barbieto

Simple Solutions by Barry Schmidl (PEI), 2005

Engaging Retired Leaders as Volunteers by Har Singh, 2005

Volunteer Connections: Strategies for Older Volunteers by Volunteer Canada, 2001

Expanding Volunteerism in Rural NS Schools: A Manual by Dr. Jane Baskwell, MSVU, 2006

Catch the Spirit: Teen volunteers tell how they made a difference by Susan Perry, 2000

Doggy Dung Disaster & other True stories by Garth Sundem, 2007

Volunteer Management

Corporate Volunteerism-Maximizing Participation by Mark Pancer, 2003

Developing Employer Supported Volunteer Policies by Volunteer Canada, 2003

Leading Today's Volunteers by Flora MacLeod, 1999

Chicken Soup for the Volunteers Soul by Jack Canfield, 2002

Canadian Code for Volunteer Management: Audit by Liz Weaver, 2003

Volunteer Management: Mobilizing All the Resources of the Community by Steve McCurley and Rick Lynch, 2006

Volunteer Recruitment (and Membership Development) Book by Susan J. Ellis, 2002

Attracting and Keeping Youth Volunteers by Rising Tide Co-op, 2005

Volunteer Organizations

Duties & Responsibilities of Directors of Not-For-Profit Organizations by Hugh Kelly

The Ultimate Board Member's Guide by Kay Sprinkel Grace, 2003

The Wilder Nonprofit Field Guide to Crafting Effective Mission & Vision Statements by Emil Angelica, 2001

Reinventing Your Board: A Step-By-Step Guide to Implementing Policy Governance by John and Miriam Carver, 2006

Mission Based Management by Peter Brinckerhoff, 2000

Strategic Communications for Non Profit Organizations: 7 Steps to Creating a Successful Plan by Janel Radtke, 1999

Call to Order: Meeting Rules and Procedures for Non-Profit Organizations by Herb & Susan Perry

The Manager's Guide to Program Evaluation by Paul W. Mattessich, 2003

Benchmarking for Nonprofits by Jason Saul, 2004

The Role of volunteers in non-profit organizations by Jack Shand, 2002

A Guide to Government Relations by Huw Williams & Lou Riccoboni, 2003

Alliances, Coalitions and Partnerships: Building Collaborative Organizations by Joan Roberts, 2004

Media-Wise: A guide to media relations for not-for-profit organizations by Kathy Bonk

The 5 Life Stages of Nonprofit Organizations by Judith Sharken Simon with J. Terence Donovan, 2001