

## Catalyst Announces New President – Scott Dutchak

Vancouver – Catalyst Community Developments Society (Catalyst), a B.C. based not-for-profit real estate developer and property manager, has announced the appointment of its new president, Scott Dutchak. Scott will be starting with Catalyst in the new year.

Dutchak comes to Catalyst from Habitat for Humanity in Victoria where he serves as the CEO of the organization. He has also gained extensive experience through his previous work with QuadReal Property Group and the TELUS Corporation. Scott brings 27 years of professional experience in the real estate field. Dutchak takes over as president from Luke Harrison.

"I'm passionate about working toward ensuring affordable housing is available for everyone and I believe that safe, appropriate and affordable housing is the cornerstone of healthy communities," said Dutchak. "With Catalyst, I am excited to work not just in creating homes, but in creating communities."

Since its founding in 2013, the non-profit developer has completed 12 projects and 3 acquisitions in BC that are home to almost 900 households. Catalyst has another eight projects currently under development that, when complete, will bring the number of new homes built to over 1,800.

