



Meeting 2017 November 27

COUNCIL REPORT

**FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR  
AND COUNCILLORS*

**SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATIONS**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT Council approve the Festivals Burnaby grant recommendations, as outlined in this report.

**REPORT**

The Financial Management Committee, at its meeting held on 2017 November 22, considered the following Festivals Burnaby grant applications, and submits its recommendations for Council's approval:

<b>#17-S-012</b>	<b>Open World for Kids Foundation Society</b> <i>European Christmas and New Year Celebration</i>	<b>\$1,500</b>
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An application was received from Open World for Kids Foundation Society for their annual European Christmas and New Year Celebration to be held on 2017 December 30 at Serbian Centre / St. Archangel Michael's Serbian Orthodox Church, 7837 Canada Way, Burnaby. This event will showcase a traditional European theatrical performance as well as traditional games, artisans, food vendors and gifts for children from Santa.

Request: \$3,000

CPA: 2016 - No Application  
2015 - No Application  
2014 - No Application

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To: His Worship, the Mayor and Councillors  
From: Financial Management Committee  
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**#18-S-003 National Congress of Black Women Foundation \$5,000**  
*2018 Festival of Arts and Music*

An application was received from the National Congress of Black Women Foundation for 2018 Festival of Arts and Music - Celebrating African, Caribbean and American Music to be held on 2018 February 12 - 25 with three events planned at venue locations within Burnaby. The 2018 celebrations start off with Pathways to Celebrating and Recognizing Black History Month 2018. The event is open to the general public and will include storytelling, performances, an interactive program facilitated by authors and illustrators of children's books. This event will build cultural awareness, engage discussions about the history of black Canadians, and much more. The second event is a full day youth workshop for high school students on the theme of anti-racism; and a closing event will celebrate and recognize volunteers.

Request: \$10,000  
CPA: 2017 - \$5,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
2016 - \$7,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
2015 - \$7,000 (Small Scale Grant)

**#18-S-004 African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association \$6,500**  
*African Soccer and Cultural Festival*

An application was received from the African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association for the African Soccer and Cultural Festival to be held on 2018 August 10 - 12 at the Burnaby Lake Sports Complex. In its 24th year, the main objective of the Festival is to showcase African culture through sports and cultural activities promoting volunteerism and community engagement within the African community. The Festival's highlights include a soccer tournament, cultural performances, musical entertainment, ethnic food and children's activities and play area.

Request: \$10,000  
CPA: 2017 - \$6,500 (Small Scale Grant)  
2016 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
2015 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor D. Johnston  
Chair

Councillor C. Jordan  
Vice Chair