

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF BURNABY

REPORT OF THE GRANTS AND PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR
AND MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL:

MADAM AND GENTLEMEN:

Your Committee would report as follows:

Application
No. _____

Recommendation

1. Big Brothers of Burnaby

\$15,650.
plus lease
rent for
1983.

Council is already aware of the important role this organization plays in our community. An excellent programme is offered for boys who are encountering difficulties because of the absence of a father.

Their municipal grant in 1980 was for \$14,000.; in 1981 their total grant of \$18,729. included the lease rent on premises at 7443 Edmonds Street, and in 1982 the basic grant was \$15,650. plus a rent subsidy of \$5,050., totalling \$20,700.

Your Committee would recommend a similar grant as last year's for 1983, i.e. \$15,650. plus the lease rent on 7443 Edmonds Street.

2. Big Sisters of B.C. Lower Mainland

\$2,500.

This organization offers a programme for girls between the ages of 7 and 18 who are in need of assistance. Counselling is given by trained volunteers on a one-to-one basis and the programme is supplemented by a variety of activities such as camping, swimming, skating, crafts and fund-raising projects.

In 1980, they received a grant in the amount of \$2,200., in 1981, their grant was increased to \$2,500., and in 1982, they again received \$2,500.

Your Committee would recommend a similar grant as last year's, i.e. \$2,500. for 1983.

3. Burnaby Meals On Wheels

Nil

A request for financial assistance has been received from this organization to help maintain their programme of delivering 125 meals three times a week to Burnaby shut-ins. We are advised that their volunteers donate their time, cars, gas and "good cheer".

Since this is a "new application", and owing to current budget restrictions, at this point in time your Committee is recommending that no grant be given. However, it is hoped that further information will be available for submission at the Council meeting for Council's consideration concerning this application.

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4.	<p><u>Burnaby Safety Council</u></p> <p>\$300.</p> <p>The Burnaby Safety Council has requested a grant in the amount of \$1,200., and have not applied for any grants since 1979.</p> <p>They are re-activating their Council and have arranged meetings with the School Board and other Burnaby institutions such as B.C. Tel.</p> <p>Your Committee would recommend that Council approve a grant to the Burnaby Safety Council in the amount of \$300.</p>
5.	<p><u>Canadian Paraplegic Association</u></p> <p>\$2,000.</p> <p>A request has been received for a grant in the amount of \$2,000.</p> <p>The aim of this organization is to restore the dignity of those persons in our community who are permanently disabled, particularly those who are confined to wheelchairs, by helping them to become independent, self-supporting citizens.</p> <p>In 1980, they received a grant of \$1,925., in 1981, their grant was increased to \$2,000., and in 1982, they received \$2,250.</p> <p>Your Committee would recommend that the Canadian Paraplegic Association receive a grant in the amount of \$2,000. for 1983.</p>
6.	<p><u>Clef Society of Burnaby</u></p> <p>Nil</p> <p>The Clef Society is requesting a Cultural Grant which is intended to be used specifically for Scholarship work with Burnaby youth.</p> <p>For each of the years 1980, 1981 and 1982, the Society received a municipal grant of \$500.</p> <p>Your Committee would recommend that this request be denied. Due to the restraint programme, it is the unanimous opinion of the Committee that no grant be designated for this Society for the current year.</p>
7.	<p><u>Douglas Drummond Manor Tenants' Association</u></p> <p>Nil</p> <p>This Association has requested financial assistance in the amount of \$165. to pay the insurance on recreation equipment.</p> <p>It is the opinion of your Committee that the terms of reference do not cover a commitment of this kind and would recommend that this request be denied.</p>

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11. Outdoors Unlittered (B.C.)

Nil

Since 1967, Outdoors Unlittered has sponsored the annual beautification and clean-up Pitch-In Campaign during the month of May.

We are advised that this year, for the first time in fifteen years, as a result of the current recession, they have lost the corporate financial support which enabled them to provide garbage bags and other campaign material free of charge to groups in our community and that at this point in time, "Pitch-In '83" will be cancelled unless they can raise \$25,000. to cover costs.

They are requesting a "fee for service" of \$150. from each community in the Province towards their 1983 campaign.

Due to budget restraints, your Committee is unable to entertain any requests for grants of this nature and would therefore recommend that no grant be given to Outdoors Unlittered (B.C.).

12. The Salvation Army

\$2,000.

This organization has submitted an application for a grant to meet the great and varied needs of the many communities in which they work.

In 1980, they received a grant of \$2,000., likewise in 1981 and 1982.

It is recommended that The Salvation Army receive a grant in the amount of \$2,000. for 1983.

13. Vancouver Academy of Music

Nil

The above organization received a grant of \$500. in 1982. This year, they have again submitted an application for a similar grant. They have advised that approximately 100 students are enrolled in their programme who are resident in Burnaby.

Due to budget restraints, your Committee would recommend that this application be denied.

14. Vancouver Opera Association

\$1,400.

Council is aware of the important cultural roll this Association plays in the Greater Vancouver area.

Since 1977 (with the exception of 1979), a grant in the amount of \$1,400 was approved each year.

Your Committee would recommend that a similar grant in the amount of \$1,400. be given to the Vancouver Opera Association for 1983.

Respectfully submitted,



DONALD N. BROWN (Alderman)
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