



TO: ACTING MUNICIPAL MANAGER 1992 June 02

FROM: DIRECTOR PLANNING & BUILDING Our File:

SUBJECT: OVERSEAS RELIEF EFFORTS OPERATING FROM BURNABY

PURPOSE: To provide Council with information on overseas relief/aid efforts operating from Burnaby.



RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this report be sent to the Ukrainian Relief and Reconstruction Agency of Canada and those organizations listed in Appendix 1 for information purposes.

R E P O R T

1.0 INTRODUCTION

At the regular Council meeting held on 1992 January 13, Council received correspondence from the Ukrainian Relief and Reconstruction Agency of Canada requesting moral support for the establishment and work of a local Ukrainian Relief and Reconstruction Committee in Burnaby.

Arising from the discussion, Council requested staff to gather information on Burnaby based groups attempting to provide assistance to countries overseas, particularly with regard to newly emerging states in Eastern Europe.

This report presents the further information requested by Council on Burnaby based groups providing assistance overseas.

2.0 ORGANIZATIONS CONTACTED

Staff contacted a range of organizations in an effort to identify any Burnaby based groups that may be providing or promoting relief efforts overseas. Agencies contacted include multicultural societies, constituency offices, consulates, information referral centres, churches, government and business offices.

Organizations that were able to provide information on their relief efforts overseas are listed in Attachment 1. A general description of the type and geographical area to which relief efforts are being directed are shown for each organization. Attachment 2 lists a contact name and mailing address for each organization that provided information for this report.

In general, a large number of Burnaby church organizations have been contributing to overseas relief and development for many years. Most organizations have targeted their assistance to third world countries; however, some have recently directed efforts towards Eastern Europe.

There are many organizations that are not listed in this report that provide relief overseas that are located outside of Burnaby. Larger organizations based in Vancouver and other major Canadian cities also continue to contribute to overseas aid and development. There are an estimated 150 organizations across Canada providing some form of relief/aid programs overseas.

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3.0 FURTHER CONSULTATION

This report provides the further information requested by Council on Burnaby based overseas relief efforts.

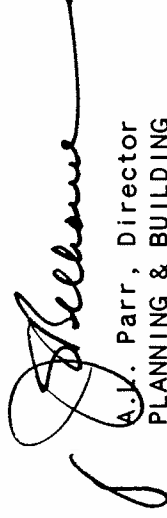
In gathering information for this report, staff contacted the Ukrainian Relief and Reconstruction Agency of Canada to discuss their intent with regard to their correspondence to Council. The President of the agency advised that they were seeking opportunities to establish economic links between cities in the Ukraine and cities across Canada.

The information presented in this report may provide the Agency with some Burnaby based contacts through which some further links with the Ukraine could be established. In addition, the Economic Development Officer will contact the Agency to discuss ways that the Municipality and the Burnaby business community may be able to assist their endeavours further.

It is recommended that a copy of this report be sent to the Ukrainian Relief and Reconstruction Agency of Canada and to those organizations listed in Attachment 1 for information purposes.

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Attachments (2)


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ATTACHMENT 1

BURNABY BASED ORGANIZATIONS
 GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
 TARGETED AREAS

ORGANIZATION	GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF ASSISTANCE PROGRAM	TARGETED AREAS
Central Tabernacle	Emergency Relief and Development Overseas	World Wide
The Salvation Army	Missionary Appeal for overseas countries Moscow feeding and Ministry Program Budapest, Hungary Mission Building Team	Moscow Budapest
Cliff Avenue United Church	Horn of Africa on site aid / mission Mission in Service Fund Foster Children Program	Africa
The Ismaili Jamatkhana	Aga Khan Foundation, Challenge of Development	Africa and Asia
Canadian Red Cross	Primary Relief - Food / Medical Supplies	World Wide
All Saint	World Relief Development Fund	Third world countries
International Society for Krishna Consciousness	ISKCON Food Distribution Program	India / Other Areas
West Burnaby United Church	Horn of Africa Mission and Service Fund	Africa
South Burnaby United Church	World Development and Relief Fund Horn of Africa Kurdish Relief Mozambique Relief	Africa and Asia
Church on the Way	Orphanage Support Teacher Families Aid Worker Community Development	Philippines New Guinea Israel Kenya

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Grace Lutheran Church	Canadian Lutheran World Relief	World Wide
Canadian Baptist Association	Relief Program Development Program	World Wide
Ellesmere United Church	World Development, Service and Relief	World Wide
Deer Lake United Church	Mission and Service Fund Tools for Peace Salvaide Pueblito Canada	World Wide
New Westminster Evang. Free Church	Link International	Africa
Parkcrest Bible Chapel	Relief Team to Albania / Romania World Vision	Eastern Europe World Wide
Calvary Community Church	School development project Mission and Development	Haiti Philippines Eastern Europe

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