

REPORT
Regular Council Meeting
1992 November 02

THE CITY OF BURNABY

COMMUNITY ISSUES AND SOCIAL PLANNING COMMITTEE

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS:

Re: SPARC Conference - Social Planning and
Research Council of British Columbia

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT, in accordance with Section 270(e) of the Municipal Act, a member of the Community Issues and Social Planning Committee be appointed as a delegate of Council for the purpose of attending the 1992 SPARC Conference, November 20 - 21 in Victoria, B.C.

R E P O R T

At the Community Issues and Social Planning Committee meeting held on 1992 October 28, one member expressed an interest in attending the SPARC Conference in Victoria, B.C., 1992 November 20 - 21.

The theme of the 1992 Conference will be "A New Vision for BC: Building our Social Future". There are several important objectives that this Conference is expected to achieve. The delegates will present innovative strategies for community-directed change, explore new ways of making government work for us, and will develop new tools and methods for working in communities. More importantly, the Conference will allow delegates to propose and advocate policies and actions that will support communities' efforts to face challenges to their social well being.

It was agreed that the content of this Conference relates specifically to the activities of your Committee and therefore would prove beneficial, especially to newly appointed members.

In order to permit the Committee member to be reimbursed for expenses, it is a requirement of the Municipal Act (Section 270) that a Committee member be recognized as a delegate of Council for the purpose of attending the Conference.

The estimated total cost for the delegate to attend this Conference is \$600. Funds for the Conference have been provided in the 1992 Annual Report budget under the Board's and Committee's account.

Respectfully submitted,

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Councillor E. Nikolai
Chair

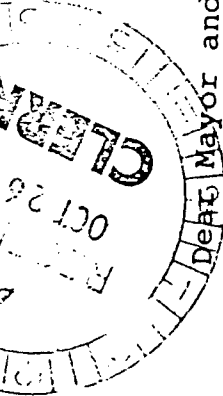
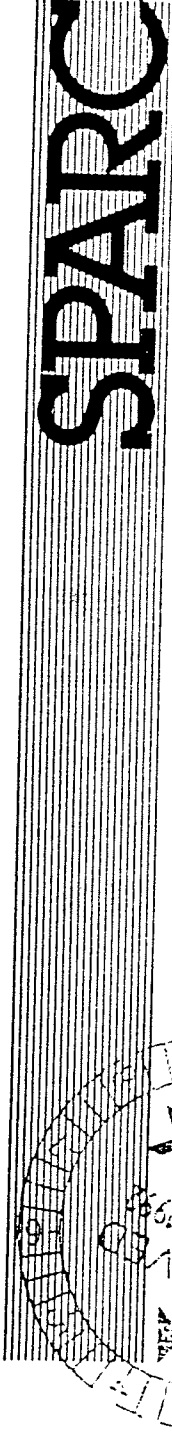
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Member

Councillor C. Redman
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Councillor J. Young
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DePT Mayor and Council,

October 19, 1992

RE - SOCIAL PLANNING WEEK, NOVEMBER 15 - 21, 1992

The provincial government has declared the week of November 15 - 21 as Social Planning week in British Columbia. The declaration gives recognition to the many organisations and citizens working to promote the social, economic, and environmental well-being of our communities.

Furthermore, Social Planning Week coincides with the occasion of a provincial conference organised by the Social Planning and Research Council of British Columbia to develop a new social policy agenda for British Columbia.

To mark this important event, we ask that your municipality join us in working to unite citizens and communities to improve the quality of life of all people in British Columbia.

We invite you to:

- *1. PROCLAIM SOCIAL PLANNING WEEK IN YOUR MUNICIPALITY.
A copy of the provincial declaration is attached for your information.
- 2. SEND A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE SPARC CONFERENCE, NOV. 20 - 21, IN VICTORIA, B.C.

A copy of the conference brochure is attached, together with the registration form.

We would be delighted if you could join us in our efforts to strengthen community well - being in B.C. by sending a delegate to the conference, and by recognising the importance of social planning to your community in a municipal declaration.

If you require further information, please have your staff contact us at 736-8118.

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Sincerely

Rupert E. Downing

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Executive Director

** Provided to His
Worship, Mayor
Copeland.*



President: Coro T. Strandberg
Executive Director: Rupert Downing

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Lieutenant Governor

Canada
Province of British Columbia

A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom,
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come — Greeting

WHEREAS the citizens and communities of British Columbia have rights and responsibilities as members of a global community, and

WHEREAS citizen participation in decision-making is desirable to ensure that the principles of social justice and equality for all are upheld, and

WHEREAS a cooperative and collaborative approach to promoting the well-being of all citizens and communities is desirable, and

WHEREAS planning and research are an integral component of developing programs and policies to meet community needs, and

WHEREAS many organizations and individuals have committed themselves to promoting the social, economic and environmental well-being of our citizens and communities through research, planning, education and community involvement, and

WHEREAS it is desirable that the Government of British Columbia acknowledge, support and encourage the efforts of these organizations and individuals who work to promote the well-being of British Columbia's citizens and communities, and

WHEREAS November 20 to 21, 1992 marks the occasion of a provincial conference organized by the Social Planning and Research Council of British Columbia to develop a new social policy agenda for British Columbia, and

WHEREAS Our Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct by Order in Council in that behalf that a Proclamation be issued designating the week of November 15 to 21, 1992, inclusive, as "Social Planning Week" in the Province of British Columbia;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that the week of November 15 to 21, 1992, inclusive, shall be known as

"Social Planning Week"

in the Province of British Columbia.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS The Honourable David C. Lam, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this seventeenth day of September,
in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-two and in the forty-first year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

ATTORNEY GENERAL

