

TO: CITY MANAGER 1994 DECEMBER 14
FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE File: C60 SPCA
SUBJECT: 1995 S.P.C.A. CONTRACT
PURPOSE: To obtain approval to extend the 1994 S.P.C.A. contract into 1995 on a month to month basis.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. THAT the S.P.C.A. continue to provide the services of Poundkeeper in 1995 on a month to month basis, under the terms and conditions of the 1994 contract, providing that the rate to be negotiated for the provision of services in 1995 shall be retroactive to 1995 January 01; and
2. THAT a copy of this report be sent to Mr. Michael Weeks, Executive Director, B.C.S.P.C.A., Vancouver Regional Branch, 1205 East 7th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C. V5T 1R1

REPORT

The contract with the S.P.C.A. in which they were appointed Poundkeeper for the City expires 1994 December 31.

Under normal circumstances, the report covering the contract renewal is presented to Council in December. This year we received a proposal from the S.P.C.A. that did not meet our fiscal or operational needs. A resubmission is expected when the S.P.C.A. has concluded its negotiations for a collective agreement with its employees.

In order to provide staff with time to reach an agreement that is satisfactory to both parties, we propose that the S.P.C.A. continue to provide the services of Poundkeeper in 1995 on a month to month basis, under the terms and conditions of the 1994 contract. The rate to be negotiated for the provision of services in 1995 would be retroactive to 1995 January 01.

The S.P.C.A. is willing to provide this service as recommended and will work with us towards an adjusted contract proposal for 1995.


Rick Earle
DIRECTOR FINANCE

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cc: Director Recreation & Cultural Services
City Solicitor