

**REPORT
1996 MARCH 04**

CITY OF BURNABY

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL
(GRANTS)**

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS:

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

The Executive Committee of Council submits the following majority recommendations for Council's approval:

#7/96 Organization for Assistance & Services to Italians

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* a grant in the amount of \$2,500 be awarded to the Organization for Assistance & Services to Italians for the year 1996.

R E P O R T

An application was received from the Organization for Assistance & Services to Italians. The organization is a non-profit Society duly incorporated under the Societies Act since 1985 to assist Italians, Italo-Canadians and other people from the Community of Burnaby with the following services: pension, income taxes, housing, family problems, legal, medical, welfare, citizenship, employment, workmen's compensation board, immigration, translation and others. The number of people served is as follows:

In 1993	2800
In 1994	3000
In 1995	3500

Due to demand, it is required that some materials on the above subjects be updated in Italian and English. The application requested a grant in the amount of \$6,000, to be used towards the cost of booklets and various materials.

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Request: \$6,000

Council Previously Awarded 1995 - \$2,500
1994 - \$2,500
1993 - \$2,500

1996 Lease Grant - \$7,329 (C.A.S.I)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$2,500 be awarded to the Organization for Assistance & Services to Italians for the year 1996.

#8/96 Scouts Canada - Burnaby Regional Council

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$4,000 be awarded to Scouts Canada - Burnaby Regional Council for the year 1996.

R E P O R T

An application was received requesting a grant in the amount of \$6,000 to support the scouting programs for Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Venturers and Rovers.

Scouts Canada is a registered non-profit community based organization. The mission is to provide the youth of Burnaby with program opportunities for fun and challenge which will help them to become contributing members of their community by putting into practice the principles of scouting.

Request: \$6,000

Council Previously Awarded: 1995 - \$4,000
1994 - \$4,000
1993 - \$4,000

1996 Lease Grant - \$14,965

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$4,000 be awarded to Scouts Canada - Burnaby Regional Council for the year 1996.

#9/96 Junior Men's Canadian Field Lacrosse Team

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* a grant in the amount of \$150 be awarded towards travel expenses for Brian Crosato to represent Canada on the Junior Men's Canadian Field Lacrosse team in Tokyo, Japan in August, 1996.

R E P O R T

Brian Crosato is the only player from Burnaby that qualified to be named to the Junior Men's Canadian Field Lacrosse Team representing Canada in Tokyo, Japan at the World Championship in August 1996. Due to the lack of Provincial or Federal funding, the financial responsibility falls solely on each athlete.

Request: Unspecified

Council Previously Awarded: nil

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$150 be awarded towards travel expenses to represent Canada on the Junior Men's Canadian Field Lacrosse team in Tokyo, Japan in August 1996.

#10/96 Burnaby Seniors Outreach Services Society

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* a grant in the amount of \$2,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Seniors' Outreach Services Society.

R E P O R T

An application was received from the Burnaby Seniors Outreach Services Society requesting a grant to assist in maintaining the program. The activities have expanded to include a support group for widows/widowers "*On Our Own*". This group meets weekly and the fellowship that has evolved among the participants shows it is indeed a benefit to the Community.

Request: Unspecified
Council Previously Awarded: 1995 - \$2,000
1994 - \$2,000
1993 - \$2,000
1996 Lease Grant - \$5,477

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$2,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Seniors' Outreach Services Society for the year 1996.

#12/96 Youth Flight Canada Education Fund

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the grant application be denied.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant in the amount of \$1,000 in order to assist Youth Flight Canada Education Fund in the delivery of aviation programs for the benefit of 150 Burnaby youths.

Request: \$1,000
Council Previously Awarded: Nil

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that the grant application be denied as it does not fall within Council's guidelines for awarding grants.

#13/96 Burnaby Info & Community Services Society - Operating Expenses 1996

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$9,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Info & Community Services Society to cover basic operational expenses for the year 1996.

The service is operated by dedicated volunteer drivers who donate over 3,000 hours in picking up the clients from their residence, transporting them to medical appointments and returning home. The Society advises that 1,250 clients were served in 1995. The volunteer drivers are paid 40¢/km.

Request:		\$13,900
Council Previously Awarded:	1995 -	\$13,600
	1994 -	\$13,600
	1993 -	\$13,600

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$13,750 be awarded to the Burnaby Information and Community Services Society - Burnaby Seniors' Transportation Services.

15/96 Burnaby Meals on Wheels

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$6,500 be awarded to the Burnaby Meals on Wheels for the year 1996.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant in the amount of \$7,000 to help offset costs of reimbursing the volunteers for gas and to replenish the client delivery boxes.

The Burnaby Meals on Wheels is now in its 28th year of operation. The application advises that in 1994, 20,814 meals were delivered to Burnaby Shut-ins. The 24 volunteer drivers are compensated at \$3.00 per trip for their gas each Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The monthly expenses are \$864. and cost per year is approximately \$10,368.

Request:		\$7,000
Council Previously Awarded:	1995 -	\$6,250
	1994	-\$6,250
	1993 -	\$6,000

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant in the amount of \$14,925 to cover basic operational expenses for the 1996 fiscal year.

The Burnaby Info & Community Services Society offers the following services to residents of Burnaby:

- Information and Referral Services
- Directory of Services
- Youth Pages
- Seniors Transportation Services
- Burnaby Christmas Bureau
- Burnaby Camping Bureau

Request: \$14,925

Council Previously Awarded: 1995 - \$9,000
1994 - \$9,000
1993 - \$8,750

1996 Lease Grant - \$12,388

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$9,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Info & Community Services Society to cover basic operational expenses for the year 1996.

**#14/96 Burnaby Information and Community Services Society -
Burnaby Seniors' Transportation Services**

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* a grant in the amount of \$13,750 be awarded to the Burnaby Information and Community Services Society - Burnaby Seniors' Transportation Services.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant in the amount of \$13,900 to assist with transportation of seniors to medical appointments. The City of Burnaby has financially supported this worthwhile service since July 1977.

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$6,500 be awarded to the Burnaby Meals on Wheels for the year 1996.

#16/96 *Savage Media Society*

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* this grant application be denied.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant in the amount of \$4,000 for operating expenses for the - 1996 - 1997 season.

Savage Media Society will be creating a mini-series of professional interdisciplinary work at the new studio theatre at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. The series will include no less than three mainstage productions a season ranging from a one to three week run for each event.

Request: \$4,000

Council Previously Awarded: 1994 - Denied

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that the grant application be denied as it does not fall within Council's guidelines for awarding grants.

#17/96 *Jumpstart*

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* a grant in the amount of \$5,000 be awarded to JumpStart for the 1996 Season.

REPORT

An application was received from JumpStart Performance Society requesting a grant in the amount of \$10,000 as an operating grant for the 1996 - 1997 Season.

In November, 1995 as part of the grand opening celebrations of the new Shadbolt Centre for the Arts, JumpStart created "*Significant Others*", an evening of duets with works from JumpStart and Ballet British Columbia. JumpStart is hoping to again produce an evening of mixed programming like "*Significant Others*" in the future at the Studio Theatre.

Request		\$10,000
Council Previously Awarded:	1995 -	\$5,000
	1994 -	\$5,000
	1993 -	\$5,000

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$5,000 be awarded to JumpStart for the 1996-1997 Season.

#19/96 Burnaby Multicultural Society

RECOMMENDATION:

1. *THAT* a grant in the amount of \$1,500 be awarded to the Burnaby Multicultural Society as a general operating grant for 1996.

R E P O R T

An application was received from the Burnaby Multicultural Society requesting a grant to assist with costs associated with UN's International Day to Eliminate Racial Discrimination.

Due to Multiculturalism B.C. not granting funding for this year's event, the Society is requesting funding from the City of Burnaby.

Request:		\$2,500
Council Previously Awarded:	1995 -	\$1,500
	1994 -	\$2,500
	-	668
	-	500
	1993 -	\$6,000

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$1,500 be awarded as a general operating grant for the year 1996. The grant is not being awarded specifically for the UN's International Day to Eliminate Racial Discrimination.

Respectfully submitted,

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CHAIR

Councillor D. Corrigan,
Member

Councillor C. Redman
Member

