REPORT 1997 NOVEMBER 17

CITY OF BURNABY

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS:

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

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

#39/97 Burnaby Arts Council Archive Project

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$1,500 be awarded to Burnaby Arts Council to assist with the archiving of records in storage at Burnaby Arts Council office.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant to assist with the archiving of records in storage at the Burnaby Arts Council office. This material has suffered water damage and there is also evidence of mold and insect infestation. The intention is to prepare the records for transfer to and storage at the Burnaby Village Museum Archives.

Request:

\$5,000

CPA:

N/A

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$1,500 be awarded to the Burnaby Arts Council to assist with their archive project.

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#41/97 1997 World Youth Climbing Championships

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$150 be awarded to Ashley Graystone to assist with travel expenses to the 1997 World Youth Climbing Championships in Austria from 1997 November 14 - 17.

REPORT

An application was received requesting financial assistance to send Ashley Graystone, a Burnaby resident and member of the Canadian National Youth Sport Climbing Team, to the 1997 World Youth Climbing Championships. Ashley, an avid indoor rock climber, placed 4th in the Canadian National Junior Championships and 2nd in the Regional Junior Championships held in August of this year.

Request:

Unspecified

CPA:

Nil

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$150 be awarded to Ashley Graystone to assist with travel expenses to the 1997 World Youth Climbing Championships.

#42/97 Christmas Dinner Grants

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$2.25 per person be awarded to Seniors groups applying for their 1997 Christmas Dinner grants.

REPORT

An application requesting a grant for a Christmas Dinner was received from Chelsea Terrace Seniors' Association.

Request:

Unspecified

CPA:

1996 - \$2.25/person

1995 - \$2.25/person

In keeping with Council's policy for awarding Christmas Dinner grants to Senior's groups, the Executive Committee recommends a grant of \$2.25 per person for 1997 Christmas Dinner grant applications.

#43/97 Association of The Veterans And Friends of The MacKenzie-Papineau Battalion - British Columbia Monument Project

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$500 be awarded to the Association of The Veterans And Friends of The MacKenzie Papineau Battalion - British Columbia Monument Project to assist with the creation of a monument to commemorate the Canadian and British Columbia Volunteers who served with the MacKenzie - Papineau Battalion in the International Brigades during the Spanish Civil War.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant to assist with the creation of a monument to commemorate the Canadian and British Columbia Volunteers who served with the MacKenzie - Papineau Battalion in the International Brigades during the Spanish Civil War. This monument will recognize the brave and gallant efforts of these volunteers who fought and died defending democracy.

Request:

Unspecified

CPA:

N/A

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$500 be awarded to the Association of The Veterans And Friends of The MacKenzie - Papineau Battalion - British Columbia Monument Project.

#44/97 1998 World Debating Competition

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$150 be awarded to Chuck Demers to assist with travel expenses to the World Debating Competition in Israel during 1998 January.

REPORT

An application was received from Burnaby Secondary School requesting financial assistance to send Chuck Demers to the World Debating Competition in Israel. Chuck has excelled as a debater. As the top grade 11 debater in B.C., he earned the right to represent the province at the national competition in Halifax. As the third place finisher in Halifax, he earned membership on the national team which will represent Canada at the World Debating Competition.

Request:

Unspecified

CPA:

N/A

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$150 be awarded to Chuck Demers to assist with travel expenses to the World Debating Competition in Israel during 1998 January.

#45/97 Burnaby Christmas Bureau

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$2,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Christmas Bureau for its 1997 Christmas Campaign.

REPORT

An application was received requesting financial assistance for the 1997 Christmas Campaign. The Burnaby Christmas Bureau provides low income Burnaby families with food gift certificates and new toys for their children. In 1996, the Burnaby Christmas Bureau distributed \$92,165 in food gift certificates which provided 4,190 people with a Christmas meal. In addition, 7,446 new toys were provided for children to enjoy.

Request:

Unspecified

CPA:

1996 - \$2,000

1995 - \$1,000 1994 - \$1.000 The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$2,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Christmas Bureau for the 1997 Christmas Campaign.

#46/97 Centre for Municipal - Aboriginal Relations

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this request for funding assistance be denied.

REPORT

An application was received from President, Federation of Canadian Municipalities, requesting funding support for the Centre for Municipal - Aboriginal Relations (CMAR). The Centre was formally established by the Federation of Canadian Municipalities in partnership with the Indian Taxation Advisory Board as a resource centre supporting the development of effective relations between municipal and First Nations governments and Aboriginal Communities on a range of issues including self-government, treaty and claims implementation, taxation and service agreements, planning notification and economic development.

Request:

Unspecified

CPA:

N/A

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that this request for funding assistance be denied due to budget constraints.

Respectfully submitted,

D.R. Corrigan, CHAIR

D.G. Evans, MEMBER

D.N. Johnston, MEMBER