

REPORT
2002 OCTOBER 28

CITY OF BURNABY
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS

RE: ARROWS TO FREEDOM CULTURAL HEALING SOCIETY

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council approve a proposal to provide the Arrows to Freedom Cultural Healing Society with a total of 150 passes for admission to public swim sessions and weight rooms as an in-kind alternative to their grant request.

REPORT

The Executive Committee of Council, at its 'Open' meeting held on 2002 October 21, received and adopted the attached report supporting in kind assistance instead of direct financial assistance for the Arrows to Freedom Cultural Healing Society.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor N.M. Volkow,
Chair

Councillor D.R. Corrigan,
Member

Councillor C. Redman,
Member

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2002 June 19

TO: CHAIR AND MEMBERS
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

FROM: DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: ARROWS TO FREEDOM CULTURAL HEALING SOCIETY

PURPOSE: To provide information to the Executive on alternative support for the Arrows to Freedom Cultural Healing Society.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the Arrows to Freedom Cultural Healing Society be provided with a total of 150 passes for admission to public swim sessions and weight rooms as an in-kind alternative to their grant request.

REPORT

At its meeting of 2002 May 13, the Executive Committee reviewed a request from the Arrows to Freedom Cultural Healing Society for a grant to assist in the purchasing of bus tickets, meal preparation and fuel for out of town, family day trips. While providing funds for ongoing operations falls outside the mandate of the Committee, they requested staff to examine ways in which the City can provide alternative support.

In the information provided to the Executive Committee, the Society outlined their mandate, purposes and programming information. The purposes of the Society include "Improve the health and wellness of Aboriginal youth and families living in urban areas" and "Provide social/recreational programs to enhance the physical, emotional, spiritual and mental well being of Urban Aboriginal youth and families."

For the consideration of Executive Committee, it is recommended that in order to assist the Society in realizing these purposes, 150 passes for public swim sessions and admissions to weight rooms be provided to Arrows to Freedom Cultural Healing Society for distribution to Aboriginal youth.



Kate Friars
DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION
AND CULTURAL SERVICES