

CITY OF BURNABY

TO: MEMBERS OF COUNCIL
FROM: MAYOR DOUGLAS P. DRUMMOND
SUBJECT: 2002 MUNICIPAL APPRECIATION DINNER

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** Council authorize for payment the cost of hosting the 2002 Municipal Appreciation Dinner.

REPORT

Arrangements have been made for the annual Municipal Appreciation Dinner to be held at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts on Friday, 2002 May 10 at the estimated cost of \$25,000.

I am pleased to note that staff have recognized some efficiencies in planning for this year's event which will result in a cost savings to the City. The cost savings will not in any way compromise the delivery of service.

The "Kushiro Cup" will be presented to Burnaby's 2001 Citizen of the Year at the Municipal Appreciation Dinner. Advertisements are being placed in the local newspapers seeking nominations for this award.

Council's current policy states in part:

"THAT the Municipal Appreciation Dinner be the only function held annually for the purpose of giving special recognition and appreciation to persons serving on Boards, Committees and Commissions of Council and that the policy be continued until Council decides otherwise."

Respectfully submitted,



Douglas P. Drummond
MAYOR

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