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CITY OF BURNABY

COMMUNITY HERITAGE COMMISSION

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS

SUBJECT:

BARNET BOOK PRINTING

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council approve funding up to \$7,500.00 to print the new historical anthology book "In the Shadow by the Sea: Recollections of Burnaby's Barnet Village", as outlined in this report.

REPORT

The Community Heritage Commission, at its meeting held on 2004 June 03, received and adopted the <u>attached</u> report requesting funding to print the book "In the Shadow by the Sea: Recollections of Burnaby's Barnet Village".

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Celest Redman Chair

Councillor Sav Dhaliwal Vice Chair

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TO:

COMMUNITY HERITAGE COMMISSION

2004 June 02

FROM:

DIRECTOR PLANNING AND BUILDING

Our File: 3520-20

SUBJECT:

BARNET BOOK PRINTING

PURPOSE:

To request funding to print the book:

In the Shadow by the Sea: Recollections of Burnaby's Barnet Village

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. THAT the Community Heritage Commission (CHC) request Council to approve the expenditure of up to \$7,500.00 to print the new historical anthology book "In the Shadow by the Sea: Recollections of Burnaby's Barnet Village" as outlined in this report.

REPORT

In 2003 Burnaby's Community Heritage Commission initiated, through the leadership of historian and CHC member Harry Pride, a new book project which celebrates the unique history of the City's Barnet district. Now titled - "In the Shadow by the Sea: Recollections of Burnaby's Barnet Village", this book will contain a history of the district and over fifty personal stories of Barnet written by former residents. It will be illustrated with hundreds of never before published images gathered from individuals and local archives.

An estimate of the printing cost for this new book has been prepared in order that it may now proceed towards production. It is proposed that this publication take advantage of the new print-on-demand technology available through the City print shop, which will allow a small quantity print-run to be produced at a reasonable cost. The cost of printing and binding the estimated 300 page book is estimated at \$25.00 each. The cost of printing will be recovered through book sales as it is proposed to sell the book for \$30.00 (not including applicable taxes). Taking into account the current orders on hand and the estimated future demand for the publication, it would be advisable to print 300-copies at this time. The printing cost will not exceed \$7,500.00. Funds for this project are available in the Commission's 2004 annual program budget.

The books will be produced in time for a Barnet residents reunion this fall. A further report concerning the details of the proposed book launch will be the subject of a future report to the Community Heritage Commission and Council.

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