
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS*

SUBJECT: GRANT APPLICATIONS

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

#23/07 The Richard Major Art Group**Recommendation:**

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$300 be awarded to the Richard Major Art Group for 2007.

REPORT

An application was received requesting a grant to assist with the operation of an art program for people of all ages. Activities include demonstrations and workshops by visiting professional artists. Another focus of the Art Group is development of a lending library of art books for use by members.

Request: \$300	CPA: 2006	-	\$300
	2005	-	\$300
	2004	-	\$300

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$300 be awarded to the Richard Major Art Group for 2007.

#24/07 2007 Spirit of Edmonds Street Festival**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT Council approve a grant in the amount of \$6,000 including the cost of 2 banners and promotional materials be awarded to the 2007 Spirit of Edmonds Street Festival.

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REPORT

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An application was received from Edmonds Town Centre Business and Community Association requesting a grant for the 2007 Spirit of Edmonds Street Festival. This is a show and shine event with many family oriented activities including music, dancing, frisbee clinics and cooking demonstrations.

Request:	\$6,000	CPA: 2006	-	\$4,000	for Spirit of Edmonds event
		2005	-	\$5,000	for Edmonds Town Centre Mural Project
		2004	-	Nil	

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$6,000 including the cost of 2 banners and promotional materials be awarded to the 2007 Spirit of Edmonds Street Festival.

#25/07 Odyssey of the Mind (Chaffey Burke Elementary School)

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$750 (\$150 x 5 students) be awarded to the Odyssey of the Mind Team of Chaffey – Burke Elementary School to assist with travel expenses to the 2007 Odyssey of the Mind World Finals to be held in Lansing, Michigan.

REPORT

An application was received from the Odyssey of the Mind team at Chaffey – Burke Elementary School requesting a grant to assist with the cost of sending the team to the Odyssey of the Mind World Finals to be held in Lansing, Michigan from May 22-27.

Odyssey of the Mind is an international program for kids of all ages that promotes creativity, logic and teamwork in a problem solving competition.

Request:	Up to \$1300	CPA: 2006	-	\$2,400	(\$150 x 16 students)
		2005	-	\$1,950	(\$150 x 13 students)
		2004	-	\$1,050	(\$150 x 7 students)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$750 (\$150 x 5 students) be awarded to the Odyssey of the Mind team at Chaffey-Burke Elementary School to assist with the cost of sending the team to the 2007 Odyssey of the Mind World Finals.

#27/07 Burnaby Historical Society

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$350 be awarded to the Burnaby Historical Society to assist with the cost of their 50th Anniversary celebration.

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REPORT

An application was received from the Burnaby Historical Society requesting a grant for their 50th Anniversary celebration on Saturday, 2007 June 23 at Burnaby Village Museum. Lunch and door prizes will be provided and everyone at the event will receive a commemorative pen.

Request: Up to \$700

CPA: 2006 – \$2,300
2005 – \$2,300
2004 – \$2,300

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$350 be awarded to the Burnaby Historical Society to assist with the cost of their 50th Anniversary celebration.

#28/07 Wildlife Rescue Association of BC

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$5,500 be awarded to the Wildlife Rescue Association of BC for 2007.

REPORT

An application was received from Wildlife Rescue Association of B.C. requesting funds to support ongoing services to the City and residents of Burnaby.

The Association is now entering its 38th year of operation. Its purpose is to rehabilitate orphaned, injured and damaged wildlife and release it back into the wild. In 2006, the Wildlife Rescue Association admitted 2,700 animals.

Request: \$5,500

CPA: 2006 - \$5,500
2005 - \$5,500
2004 - \$5,200

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$5,500 be awarded to the Wildlife Rescue Association of BC for the year 2007.

#29/07 Edmonds Community School

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this grant application be denied.

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REPORT

An application was received from Edmonds Community Council (PAC) requesting a grant toward the cost of swimming lessons for Edmonds Community School students. Many families do not have the financial or physical ability to take their children to swimming lessons and the school prides itself in giving back to the community. By having the students attend these lessons the school is also promoting safety.

Request: Up to \$1,000	CPA: 2006	-	No Application
	2005	-	No Application
	2004	-	No Application

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

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor P. Calendino
Chair

Councillor N. Volkow
Vice Chair

Councillor L. Rankin
Member