

COUNCIL REPORT

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2008 January 30
FROM: DIRECTOR ENGINEERING **FILE:** 38000-40
SUBJECT: ROAD CLOSURE – MAY 25, 2008
PURPOSE: To seek Council approval for a road closure related to the 10th Anniversary Rhythm of Life 10km Run and 5km Walk/Run on Sunday, 2008 May 25.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. **THAT** Council approve the road closure as discussed in this report.
2. **THAT** the coordinator of the event, Peter Matino, Rhythm of Life Coordinator, Burnaby General Hospital, 5fl, 3935 Kincaid St, Burnaby BC V5G 2X6 be sent a copy of this report.

REPORT

A request to use City streets for the 10th Anniversary Rhythm of Life 10km Run and 5km Walk/Run on 2008 May 25 has been received from Peter Matino of Burnaby Healthy Heart Program. Council approval is required by the Street & Traffic Bylaw.

Peter Matino, race co-ordinator has requested permission to close Sperling Avenue between Sprott and Roberts Streets to use as the start line for their annual Rhythm of Life 10km Run & 5km Fun Run. The closure of Sperling would only be about ½ hour long. The event starts at 10:00 sharp heading south on Sperling to Roberts, left on Roberts to the entrance to the trails that goes around Burnaby Lake. The remainder of the event is on the trails of Burnaby Lake Park.

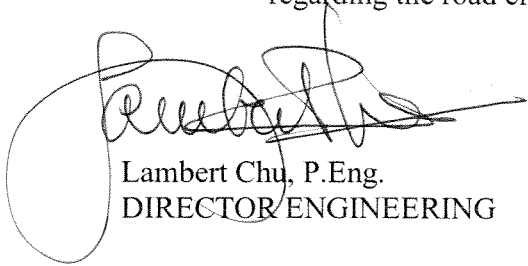
The organizers are aware that approval is subject to the following conditions:

1. That the road closure be conducted under the supervision of one person as marshall or organizer.
2. That all participants be instructed to respect the rights and property of the individuals encountered en route.
3. That the road closure be covered with liability insurance in the minimum amount of \$2 million with the City of Burnaby named as co-insured, and that the insurance policy include a 30 day cancellation notice and a cross liability clause.

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4. That an informational letter be sent to all businesses and residents along Glencarin Dr. regarding the road closure.



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Fire Chief – Bob Cook