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**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL**

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR  
AND COUNCILLORS*

**SUBJECT: GOLF TOURNAMENT GRANT REQUEST 2009 - BURNABY HOSPITAL  
FOUNDATION**

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

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2. THAT a copy of this report be sent to the executive members of this charity.

**REPORT**

The Executive Committee of Council, at its meeting held on 2009 March 09, received and adopted the *attached* report to assist Burnaby based not-for profit organizations raising funds benefiting the community.

The Committee supports the Burnaby Hospital Foundation as one of the 2009 Tournament Grant recipients.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor N. Volkow  
Chair

Councillor P. Calendino  
Vice Chair

Councillor P. McDonell  
Member

Copied to:	City Manager Director Finance Director Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services
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**TO:** CHAIR AND MEMBERS  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

**DATE:** 2009 February 27

**FROM:** DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

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In 2003 the Executive Committee of Council approved a process and criteria for receiving and reviewing Golf Tournament Grant requests. Each year the Committee will receive requests from organizations wanting to hold a tournament at the City's Golf Courses for the purpose of raising funds for Burnaby based charities. Received requests are reviewed by staff, and recommendations are then made to the Committee.

Organizing a charity event is an arduous process and requires the establishment of strong relationships and support with the corporate community in order to facilitate sponsorships, donations, and registration in order to be successful in reaching their goals for the community.

Beginning in 1986, this organization has been hosting an annual golf tournament to raise funds for the Burnaby Hospital which serves the residents of this community. This tournament receives tremendous support from local businesses and community members. The contribution of over one million dollars which has been raised at these tournaments has enabled the foundation to purchase innovative health care equipment and technology, and assist in capital projects and educational outreach programs.

To: *Executive Committee of Council*  
From: *Director Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services*  
Re: **GOLF TOURNAMENT BHF GRANT REQUEST**  
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After reviewing the grant selection criteria, it is staff's recommendation to support the Burnaby Hospital Foundation as one of the 2009 Tournament Grant recipients



Dave Ellenwood  
DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES

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