

COUNCIL REPORT

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2010 March 18

FROM: DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION &
CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: OUTDOOR EVENTS 2010

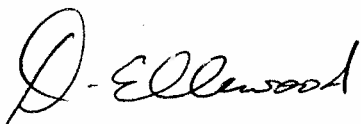
PURPOSE: To request approval for up to 10 outdoor concerts at the Deer Lake Park festival lawn between May and September, and up to 10 special events at Swangard Stadium from March to October in 2010.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** approval be granted for up to 10 outdoor concerts at the Deer Lake Park festival lawn between 2010 May 01 and September 30, and up to 10 special events at Swangard Stadium from 2010 March 01 to October 31.

REPORT

At its 'Open' meeting of 2010 March 17, the Parks, Recreation and Culture Commission received the attached report and adopted the two recommendations contained therein.



Dave Ellenwood
DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

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COMMISSION REPORT

TO: CHAIR AND MEMBERS
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURE COMMISSION

FROM: DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION AND
CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: OUTDOOR EVENTS 2010

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. **THAT** approval be granted for up to 10 outdoor concerts at the Deer Lake Park festival lawn between 2010 May 01 and September 30, and up to 10 special events at Swangard Stadium from 2010 March 01 to October 31.
2. **THAT** this report be advanced to City Council for approval.

REPORT

Annually, special events are planned for two key outdoor venues in Burnaby. The concerts at the Deer Lake Park festival lawn and the special events at Swangard Stadium where amplified sound is involved are regulated by number and frequency. Regular scheduled events such as minor gatherings and league games occur routinely.

The purpose of this report is to secure preliminary approval for up to ten outdoor concerts at Deer Lake Park festival lawn between 2010 May 01 and September 30 and up to ten special events (other than league games) at Swangard Stadium from 2010 March 01 to October 31. This will include the City's annual Symphony in the Park, the Burnaby Blues and Roots Festival and up to eight ticketed concerts hosted by outside promoters and/or community groups at the festival lawn. At Swangard Stadium, this will include the annual two-day "24 Hour Relay" in June and up to nine other special events.

This is congruent with past practise and with the provisions of the Burnaby Noise and Sound Abatement Bylaw 1979 Amendment No. 12066; Section 2. Staff will continue to manage the sites professionally to ensure all events are well-managed and of high quality.

Commission approval is requested at this time, and it is recommended that this report be advanced to Council for approval.



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DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES

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