

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS

SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT APPLICATIONS - NEIGHBOURHOOD EVENTS

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

#11-N-009 Charlford House Society for Women

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this grant request be denied.

REPORT

An application was received from the Charlford House Society for Women requesting a grant in the amount of \$1,185 to support the Charlford House Society Picnic to be held on 2011 July 16 at Barnet Marine Park. The Charlford House Society for Women has been operating since 1970, providing a safe, healthy and caring environment for women recovering from drug and alcohol addiction. The Society marked its 40th anniversary in 2010 with a picnic and wants to continue to host a community gathering for its current and past clients, families, neighbours and others who have been involved with the Society.

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that this grant request be denied.

#11-N-010: Burnaby Task Force on Homelessness

c/o Burnaby Community Connections Society

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this grant request be denied.

To: His Worship, the Mayor and Councillors

From: Executive Committee of Council

Re: Festivals Burnaby Grants - Neighbourhood

REPORT

An application was received from the Burnaby Community Connections Society requesting a grant in the amount of \$3,000 to support the Burnaby Homelessness initiative of the Burnaby Homeless Connect event to be held on 2011 October 13. The sponsor of the application is a non-profit society whose mission is to connect people, services and community.

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that this grant request be denied.

#11-N-011: South Burnaby Neighbourhood House

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a grant in the amount of \$500 be awarded to the South Burnaby Neighbourhood House to support their annual Community Street Party to be held on 2011 August 04.

REPORT

An application was received from the South Burnaby Neighbourhood House requesting a grant in the amount of \$1,000 to support their annual Community Street Party. The Neighbourhood House is a place where families and individuals can come to get support and services; a place where new immigrants become connected and can find information and resources that will help them settle into their new community; where seniors and youth can gather; and where all these groups can come together in activities and events that aim to link generations and cultures and create a stronger community.

The focus of the Community Street Party is to allow neighbours to come together in a safe, low cost environment where they can interact, have some fun and get connected, as well as to work in partnership with local businesses and other organizations.

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$500 be awarded to the South Burnaby Neighbourhood House.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor N.M. Volkow Chair

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