

### FINANCE AND CIVIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS

SUBJECT: 2010 FINANCIAL REPORT

# **RECOMMENDATIONS**:

- 1. THAT Council receive the City of Burnaby 2010 Financial Report and audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010.
- 2. THAT Council authorize the use of stabilization funding of \$295,000 for community expenditures, as outlined in this report.

### **REPORT**

The Finance and Civic Development Committee, at its meeting held on 2011 May 12, received and adopted the <u>attached</u> report presenting the 2010 Financial Report and audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010.

The Committee recommend to Council that a portion of the remaining available surplus be used to fund items of community benefit, i.e. commercial lane repaving, surface patching for winter damaged roads, Chafer infested areas restoration, Riverway Clubhouse – bridge financing, Christmas lights – Edmonds/Kingsway/Hastings.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor D. Johnston Chair

Councillor N. Volkow Vice Chair

Councillor C. Jordan Member

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Deputy City Managers (2)

**Director Finance** 

Director Planning & Building Director Human Resources

Director Parks, Recr. & Cultt. Services

Director Engineering





**TO:** CHAIR AND MEMBERS

**DATE:** 

2011 May 12

FINANCE AND CIVIC DEVELOPMENT

COMMITTEE

**FROM:** DIRECTOR FINANCE

FILE:

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**SUBJECT: 2010 FINANCIAL REPORT** 

**PURPOSE:** To present the 2010 Financial Statements

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

- **1. THAT** the Finance and Civic Development Committee receive the City of Burnaby 2010 Financial Report and audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010.
- **2. THAT** the Finance and Civic Development Committee recommend that Council authorize the use of stabilization funding of \$295,000 for community expenditures as outlined in this report.

#### **REPORT**

The purpose of the City of Burnaby's 2010 Annual Financial Report is to present to readers the financial results for the year ended December 31, 2010. This report includes the City's 2010 audited Consolidated Financial Statements that reflect the accounts of all funds of the City on a consolidated basis. The presentation emphasizes the City's ability to meet its current commitments and finance its future liabilities as reflected in Net Financial Assets (see page 26). Net Financial Assets are equal to the City's total fund balances and land inventory valued at historic cost.

Net Financial Assets for 2010 increased by over \$13 million (2.2 %) which attests to the continued strong financial health of the City. This increase arose mainly from new development fees, investment income on reserve funds, gaming fund receipts and an increase in land sales.

Council's strong support of prudent financial practices have produced a debt-free City with strong reserves to support the replacement of the City's capital infrastructure. These reserves afford Council the ongoing ability to maintain taxation stability and to provide capital funding for city projects without incurring debt on the external markets.

To: Finance and Civic Development Committee

From: Director Finance
Re: 2010 Financial Report

The City budgets on a fund basis. The following summarizes the net fund surpluses from operations for 2010.

<u>Fund Surplus</u>	
General Municipal	\$2,395,988
Library	\$ 422,194
Waterworks Utility	\$1,914,143
Sanitary Sewer	\$1,926,405

General Municipal Surplus of \$2,395,988, represents 0.92% of the 2010 Annual Operating budget, and is comprised of the following major items:

Planning & Building Revenue (increased construction activities)	\$3,416,488
Outside Legal Counsel	\$(400,787)
RCMP Contract	\$(895,034)
Outstanding Contract Settlement Provision	\$ 470,540
All Others Net	\$(195,219)
Total General Municipal Surplus	\$2,395,988

The Library Act requires the Library surplus of \$422,194 be carried forward to the credit of the Library Board in 2011. The Waterworks Utility surplus and the Sanitary Sewer surplus are required to be retained in their respective funds.

The General Municipal Surplus in the amount of \$2,395,988 will be transferred to Stabilization Fund and used for funding retroactive contract settlement provisions and committed items as shown below.

General Municipal Surplus	\$2,395,988
Less: 2010 Retroactive Contract Settlement Provision	\$(470,540)
Available Surplus	\$1,925,448
Committed Items	
Election Costs	\$ 770,275
Social/ Environmental Sustainability Project	\$ 35,000
Free Admission at Burnaby Village Museum	\$ 385,000
Prior Years' Assessment Appeal Board Decisions	\$ 300,000
Subtotal Committed Items	\$1,490,275
Remaining Available Surplus	\$ 435,173

To: Finance and Civic Development Committee

From: Director Finance Re: 2010 Financial Report

## **Recommendation:**

Staff recommended that a portion of the remaining available surplus be used to fund items of community benefit as shown below.

Commercial Lane Repaying	\$ 50,000
Surface Patching for Winter Damaged Roads	\$100,000
Chafer Infested Areas Restoration	\$ 60,000
Riverway Clubhouse (Bridge Financing for 2011)	\$ 25,000
Christmas Lights – Edmonds/ Kingsway/ Hastings	\$ 55,000
Requested Funding	\$290,000

Denise Jorgenson DIRECTOR FINANCE

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