

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS

SUBJECT: 11-N-003 FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT APPLICATION –

NEIGHBOURHOOD EVENT - CARNIVAL SENSATIONS CARIBBEAN

SOCIETY

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT this grant request be denied.

REPORT

The Executive Committee of Council, at its meeting held on 2011 April 21, received the <u>attached</u> report evaluating a Festivals Burnaby grant request from the Carnival Sensations Caribbean Society.

The Executive Committee of Council recommends this grant request be denied as the community workshops are not considered to be a festival or fair.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor N. Volkow Chair

Councillor P. Calendino Vice Chair

Councillor P. McDonell Member

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Director Parks, Recr. & Cult. Services

Director Finance





TO: CHAIR AND MEMBERS DATE: 2011 April 13

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

FROM: DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT PROGRAM

PURPOSE: Grant Approval Request

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council be requested to award a Festivals Burnaby Grant in the amount of \$3,000 to the Carnival Sensations Caribbean Society for the "Mas" Community Workshops & July'vert event to be throughout the spring.

REPORT

Festivals and Special Events: Neighbourhood Events

Grant File 11-N-003: Carnival Sensations Caribbean Society

Application received: 2011 March 15

Project Budget: \$6,085 Project Request: \$3,000

An application request for \$3,000 has been received to support the "Mas" community workshop and July'vert event throughout the spring. The Carnival Sensations Caribbean Society's mission is to work towards the evolution of Carnival in the Greater Vancouver area. They work throughout the year to create unique designs and costume concepts at their "mas" camp or workspace in Burnaby. They are seeking funds to support a series of open community workshops where participants can learn the various techniques of carnival costume making and design; and a small celebration "July'vert" on Canada Day.

The application has been completed in full and the applicant has demonstrated in the proposal that they can complete the project. The city's grant would be used to cover eligible expenses related to the workshops including supplies and marketing, and support for the Canada Day party all of which are eligible expenses.

To: Executive Committee of Council

From: Director Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services

Re: Festivals Burnaby Grant Program

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It is recommended that the Executive Committee and Council award a Festivals Burnaby grant in the amount of \$3,000 to the Carnival Sensations Caribbean Society for the "Mas" Community Workshops & July'vert event.

Dave Ellenwood

DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

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