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**TO:** CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2013 March 25  
**FROM:** ACTING DIRECTOR ENGINEERING **FILE:** 7400 20  
**SUBJECT:** MURAL GRANT FUNDING FOR 7037 ANTRIM AVENUE  
**PURPOSE:** To approve the funding for a mural at 7037 Antrim Avenue as part of the 2013 Burnaby Mural Grant Program

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**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. **THAT** the request for a mural grant of up to \$3,500.00 for a mural at 7037 Antrim Avenue, Burnaby BC be approved as part of the Mural Grant Program.
2. **THAT** a copy of this report be forwarded to John Kalbfleisch, Chief Operating Officer, Alpha Technologies at 7700 Riverfront Gate, Burnaby BC V5J 5M4.
3. **THAT** a copy of this report be forwarded to Kingsway Imperial Neighbourhood Association, attention Diane Gillis.
4. **THAT** a copy of this report be forwarded to Todd Polich, artist and founder of Earth Foundation Conservation Society at 4272 Alderwood Court, Burnaby BC V5G 2G8.

**REPORT**

The Mural Grant Program was developed to promote murals and deter graffiti in the City of Burnaby. The program provided 50% cost-shared funding for the painting of murals up to a maximum of \$3,500.00.


On 2013 March 21 an application for a mural grant was requested by the Kingsway Imperial Neighbourhood Association. The business that applied was Alpha Technologies which is located at 7037 Antrim Avenue and also at 7700 Riverfront Gate, Burnaby BC. The mural is estimated to cost \$9,300.00 (see *attached* photo before and the proposed mural after).

The mural theme is Humpback Whales. This mural will be the first in a series of murals as a part of the "Connected Pacific" project, where interrelated murals will be painted in 3 Pacific Coastal cities to promote the conservation of world oceans. On completion, the project will have murals in 3 cities in 3 countries, (Canada, USA (Hawaii), and Australia) essentially becoming the world's largest mural project.

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It is recommended that the request for a mural grant in the amount of up to \$3,500.00 be approved for the mural at 7037 Antrim Avenue.



Barry Davis, P. Eng.  
ACTING DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

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Attachment

7037 Antim Avenue/Alpha Technologies Before Wall



Proposed Art of Empowerment Mural 7037 Antrim Avenue/Alpha Technologies

