

COUNCIL REPORT

TO:

CITY MANAGER

DATE:

2015 April 16

FROM:

DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT:

2015 APRIL - PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

CAPITAL FUNDING BYLAW

**PURPOSE:** 

To request to bring forward a bylaw to appropriate \$354,630 from Capital

Reserves to finance four projects.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a bylaw be brought forward to appropriate \$354,630 (inclusive of GST) from Capital Reserves to finance four projects.

## REPORT

At its 'Open' Meeting of 2015 April 15, the Parks, Recreation and Culture Commission received the <u>attached</u> report and adopted the two recommendations contained therein.

Dave Ellenwood

DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES

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<u>Attachment</u>

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COMMISSION REPORT

TO:

CHAIR AND MEMBERS

PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURE COMMISSION

FROM:

DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT:

2015 APRIL - PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

**CAPITAL FUNDING BYLAW** 

## **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- 1. THAT the expenditure of \$338,800 from the 2015 Annual Financial Plan for the projects outlined in this report be approved.
- 2. THAT Council be requested to bring down a bylaw to appropriate \$354,630 (inclusive of GST) from Capital Reserves to finance these projects.

## REPORT

The 2015 Annual Financial Plan for Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services contains the following 4 projects to be funded from Capital Reserves. To enable work to go ahead on these projects, approval is requested to bring down a bylaw for funding

1. Environmental Upgrades

\$83,800

Invasive species removal, sub-base preparation, native plantings and landscaping of the areas, expand knotweed program, as well of training and education on invasive species. Continue habitat restoration in areas such as Deer Lake Park, Central Park and Burnaby Mountain natural forest areas.

2. Brentwood Park

\$175,000

Replacement of the 1993 playground structure to meet life cycle replacement timeline. Accessibility improvements will be included in the work. Completion planned for the Fall of 2015.

3. Recreation Equipment

\$40,000

Replacement and purchase of various equipment items such as lobby banners, suncovers and studio cycling bikes for program related activities. To:

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4. Safety and Security

\$40,000

Replacement and upgrades of security equipment (cameras, recorders, lighting, etc.) at selected recreation centres for public and staff safety.

Sufficient Capital Reserves are available to complete the above projects in the 2015 Annual Financial Plan. It is recommended that Council be requested to bring down a bylaw to appropriate \$354,630 (inclusive of GST) from Capital Reserves to finance these projects.

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