



Meeting 2016 May 09

## COUNCIL REPORT

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL**

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR  
AND COUNCILLORS*

**SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATIONS**

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

**#16-N-004 Pandit Jasraj School of Music Foundation**  
*Living Legend Pandit Jasraj Live in Concert*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$3,000 be awarded to the Pandit Jasraj School of Music Foundation for the Living Legend Pandit Jasraj Live in Concert event to be held on 2016 July 02 at the Michael J. Fox Theatre.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Pandit Jasraj School of Music Foundation for the Living Legend Pandit Jasraj Live in Concert event to be held on 2016 July 02 at the Michael J. Fox Theatre. This concert is to celebrate the Silver Jubilee of Pandit Jasraj School of Music Foundation and to bring Pandit Jasraj, now in his 80's, and his foremost disciples for a live Indian vocal concert as this may be the last year he will be able to perform.

Request: \$4,000

CPA: 2015 - No Application

2014 - No Application

2013 - \$3,000 (Small Scale Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$3,000 be awarded to the Pandit Jasraj School of Music foundation for the Living Legend Pandit Jasraj Live in Concert event in 2016.

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**#16-N-005 Bula! Fiji Association of BC**  
**2016 Fiji Festival**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$4,000 be awarded to the Bula! Fiji Association of BC for the 2016 Fiji Festival to be held on 2016 July 23 at Swangard Stadium.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Bula! Fiji Association of BC for the 2016 Fiji Festival to be held on 2016 July 23 at Swangard Stadium. This annual free cultural event in its 15th year includes traditional Fijian ceremonies and entertainment, a kids' zone and soccer tournament, multi-ethnic cuisine and community displays.

Request: \$4,000

CPA: 2015 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2014 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2013 - \$4,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$4,000 be awarded to the Bula! Fiji Association of BC for the 2016 Fiji Festival.

**#16-N-006 Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association**  
**2016 Tian Jin Festival**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$3,000 be awarded to the Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association for the 2016 Tian Jin Festival to be held on 2016 May 07 – 08 at 3426 Smith Avenue in Burnaby.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association for the 2016 Tian Jin Festival to be held on 2016 May 07 - 08 at 3426 Smith Avenue in Burnaby. This free family oriented event will promote an understanding of Chinese and Taoism arts and culture through stage performances, exhibits, interactive activities and food.

Request: \$3,000

CPA: 2015 - \$3,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2014 - \$3,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
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The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$3,000 be awarded to the Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association for the 2016 Tian Jin Festival.

**#16-N-007 Burnaby Neighbourhood House**  
*Burnaby National Aboriginal Day Celebration*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT this grant request be denied.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Burnaby Neighbourhood House for the Burnaby National Aboriginal Day Celebration to be held on 2016 June 21 at Byrne Creek Community School. This event is a Canada-wide opportunity to celebrate the heritage, culture and achievements of First Nations, Inuit and Metis people in Canada. The free event will consist of various activities, performances, ceremonies and speakers.

Request: \$3,000

CPA: 2015 - No Application  
 2014 - No Application  
 2013 - No Application

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

**#16-N-008 Burnaby Arts Council**  
*45<sup>th</sup> Annual Deer Lake Craft Festival*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$4,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Arts Council for the 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Deer Lake Craft Festival to be held on 2016 November 18 – 20 at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Burnaby Arts Council for the 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Deer Lake Craft Festival to be held on 2016 November 18 - 20 at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. This free three-day festival features 50 artisan vendors and a schedule of entertainment and musical performances. This event provides an opportunity for local and regional artisans and performers to showcase their wares and their talent.

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Request: \$4,000

CPA: 2015 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2014 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2013 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$4,000 be awarded to the Burnaby Arts Council for the 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Deer Lake Craft Festival in 2016.

**#16-N-009 Southside Community Church**  
*Inclusion Festival*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$500 be awarded to the Southside Community Church for the Inclusion Festival to be held on 2016 June 18 at Ernie Winch Park.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Southside Community Church for the Inclusion Festival to be held on 2016 June 18 at Ernie Winch Park. This year marks the 3rd event by the group with the goal to engage the neighbourhood with a message of inclusion, multiculturalism and diversity.

Request: \$2,195

CPA: 2015 - \$750 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2014 - No Application  
 2013 - No Application

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$500 be awarded to the Southside Community Church for the Inclusion Festival in 2016.

**#16-N-010 Burnaby North Community Association**  
*Kensington Community Fair*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$1,000 be awarded to the Burnaby North Community Association for the Kensington Community Fair to be held on 2016 July 23 at 740 Hammarksjold Drive, Burnaby.

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### **REPORT**

An application was received from the Burnaby North Community Association for the Kensington Community Fair to be held on 2016 July 23 at 740 Hammarksjold Drive, Burnaby. The fair promotes and celebrates community involvement in the neighbourhood.

Request: \$4,000

CPA: 2015 - \$2,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2014 - \$2,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2013 - \$2,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$1,000 be awarded to the Burnaby North Community Association for the Kensington Community Fair in 2016.

#### **#16-N-011 Korean Writers Association of Canada Canada-Korea Literary Festival**

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Neighbourhood Event* in the amount of \$1,500 be awarded to the Korean Writers Association of Canada for the Canada-Korea Literary Festival to be held on 2016 September 10 at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts.

### **REPORT**

An application was received from the Korean Writers Association of Canada for the Canada-Korea Literary Festival to be held on 2016 September 10 at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. The literary festival attempts to create an understanding between the Canadian and Korean cultures by forging a bond through poetry and multicultural performances.

Request: \$4,000

CPA: 2015 - \$2,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2014 - \$2,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2013 - \$2,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$1,500 be awarded to the Korean Writers Association of Canada for the Canada-Korea Literary Festival in 2016.

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**#16-S-004 Scandinavian Community Centre**  
*2016 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Small Scale Event* in the amount of \$6,000 be awarded to the Scandinavian Community Centre for the 2016 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival to be held on 2016 June 18 – 19 at the Scandinavian Community Centre.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Scandinavian Community Centre for the 2016 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival to be held on 2016 June 18 - 19 at the Scandinavian Community Centre. The 21st annual event celebrating Swedish, Norwegian, Finnish, Iceland and Danish countries will showcase cultural song, dance, entertainment, food and events for kids over the two-day festival.

Request: \$10,000

CPA: 2015 - \$6,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2014 - \$6,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2013 - \$6,000 (Small Scale Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$6,000 be awarded to the Scandinavian Community Centre for the 2016 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival.

**#16-S-005 Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show Committee**  
*Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Small Scale Event* in the amount of \$5,500 be awarded to the Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show Committee for the Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show to be held on 2016 July 17 along Edmonds Street from Canada Way to Kingsway.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Committee for the Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show to be held on 2016 July 17 along Edmonds Street from Canada Way to Kingsway. The local event focuses on community building in the Edmonds Town Centre area and transformed into a street party and car show in 2011. The fair and car show provide an opportunity for



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area residents to experience a day filled with entertainment, activities, interactive displays, food and fun.

Request: \$6,000

CPA: 2015 - \$5,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2014 - \$5,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2013 - No Application

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$5,500 be awarded to the Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show Committee for the Edmonds City Fair and Classic Car & Motorcycle Show in 2016.

**#16-S-006 Bosnian and Herzegovinian Cultural Center Vancouver Canada Society**  
*2016 Bosnia Fest International – Burnaby Cultural Diversity Celebration*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Small Scale Event* in the amount of \$2,500 be awarded to the Bosnian and Herzegovinian Cultural Center Vancouver Canada Society for the 2016 Bosnia Fest International – Burnaby Cultural Diversity Celebration to be held on 2016 May 21 at 6540 Thomas Street, Burnaby.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Bosnian and Herzegovinian Cultural Center Vancouver Canada Society for the 2016 Bosnia Fest International - Burnaby Cultural Diversity Celebration to be held on 2016 May 21 at 6540 Thomas Street, Burnaby. This

one day festival is envisioned to celebrate Burnaby diversity and community spirit through arts and culture, music and dance, sports and fun activities. Local performers and exhibitors are featured along with a marketplace with souvenirs, food and beverage.

Request: \$8,040

CPA: 2015 – No Application  
 2014 - \$2,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)  
 2013 - \$2,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$2,500 be awarded to the Bosnian and Herzegovinian Cultural Center Vancouver Canada Society for the 2016 Bosnia Fest International - Burnaby Cultural Diversity Celebration.

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**#16-S-007 Heights Merchants Association BIA**  
*Hats Off Day 2016*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Small Scale Event* in the amount of \$8,000 be awarded to the Heights Merchants Association for Hats Off Day 2016 to be held on 2016 June 04 on Hastings Street between Boundary and Gamma.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Heights Merchants Association for Hats Off Day 2016 to be held on 2016 June 04 on Hastings Street between Boundary and Gamma. Hats Off Day is the City's largest parade and street festival featuring music, entertainment, performers, kids activities, a vintage car show, multicultural food and much more. Begun in 1984, the event has been voted Best Festival in Burnaby by readers of the community papers every year since 2005.

Request: \$10,000

CPA: 2015 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)

2014 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)

2013 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$8,000 be awarded to the Heights Merchants Association for Hats Off Day 2016.

**#16-S-008 Ethiopian Community Association**  
*Ethiopian Summer Festival*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Small Scale Event* in the amount of \$2,500 be awarded to the Ethiopian Community Association of BC for the Ethiopian Summer Festival to be held on 2016 July 09 at Wesburn Park.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Ethiopian Community Association of BC for the Ethiopian Summer Festival to be held on 2016 July 09 at Wesburn Park. This annual event includes an Ethiopian coffee ceremony, Ethiopian cultural dance, live entertainment, a market place, cultural displays, food sampling and vendors, and a children's activity zone.



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Request: \$5,000

CPA: 2015 - \$2,500 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2014 - \$3,000 (Small Scale Grant)  
 2013 - \$3,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$2,500 be awarded to the Ethiopian Community Association of BC for the Ethiopian Summer Festival in 2016.

**#16-L-002 Korean Cultural Heritage Society**  
*Korean Cultural Heritage Festival*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Large Scale Event* in the amount of \$17,000 be awarded to the Korean Cultural Heritage Society for the 15th annual Korean Cultural Heritage Festival to be held on 2016 August 06 at Swangard Stadium.

**REPORT**

An application was received from the Korean Cultural Heritage Society for the 15th annual Korean Cultural Heritage Festival to be held on 2016 August 06 at Swangard Stadium. This full day event includes an opening ceremony with special guest performances (both local and foreign), live entertainment, food and souvenirs, and celebrates multiculturalism in Metro Vancouver.

Request: \$25,000

CPA: 2015 - \$16,000 (Large Scale Grant)  
 2014 - \$15,000 (Large Scale Grant)  
 2013 - No Application

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$17,000 be awarded to the Korean Cultural Heritage Society for the 15th annual Korean Cultural Heritage Festival in 2016.

**#16-L-003 Nikkei National Museum & Cultural Centre**  
*2016 Nikkei Place Matsuri Family Festival*

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT a *Festivals Burnaby* grant – *Large Scale Event* in the amount of \$11,000 be awarded to the Nikkei National Museum & Cultural Centre for the 2016 Nikkei Place Matsuri Family Festival to be held on 2016 September 03 - 04 at Nikkei Place, Burnaby.

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### **REPORT**

An application was received from the Nikkei National Museum & Cultural Centre for the 2016 Nikkei Place Matsuri Family Festival to be held on 2016 September 03 - 04 at Nikkei Place, Burnaby. The two-day family festival, one of the largest in Metro Vancouver, features Japanese entertainers, ethnic food offerings and family oriented games.

Request: \$24,190

CPA: 2015 - \$10,000 (Large Scale Grant)  
2014 - \$18,000 (Large Scale Grant)  
2013 - No Application

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$11,000 be awarded to the Nikkei National Museum & Cultural Centre for the 2016 Nikkei Place Matsuri Family Festival.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair

Councillor P. McDonell  
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