

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:

#17-N-002 Burnaby International Folk Dancers Club
Lyrids Folk Dance Festival

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a Festivals Burnaby grant – Neighbourhood Event in the amount of \$1,000 be awarded to the Burnaby International Folk Dancers Club for the Lyrids Folk Dance Festival to be held on 2017 April 21-23, subject to finding a location in Burnaby.

REPORT

An application was received from the Burnaby International Folk Dancers Club for the Lyrids Folk Dance Festival to be held on 2017 April 21-23. The festival brings highly regarded international teachers togetherin a multifaceted experience to share cultures from the Balkans and its neighbours, and to foster an understanding and interest in the cultures through music and dance.

Request: \$4,000 CPA: 2016 - \$1,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)

2015 - \$2,000 (Small Scale Grant) 2014 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)

Copied to: City Manager

Deputy City Manager Director Finance

Director Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services

To: His Worship, the Mayor and Councillors

From Executive Committee of Council

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The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$1,000 be awarded to the Burnaby International Folk Dancers Club for the Lyrids Folk Dance Festival in 2017, subject to finding a location in Burnaby.

#17-S-001 African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association

African Soccer and Cultural Festival

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a Festivals Burnaby grant – Small Scale Event in the amount of \$6,500 be awarded to the African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association for the African Soccer and Cultural Festival to be held on 2017 August 11-13 at the Burnaby Lake Sports Complex.

REPORT

An application was received from the African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association for the African Soccer and Cultural Festival to be held at the Burnaby Lake Sports Complex on 2017 August 11-13. The main objective of the festival is to showcase African culture through sports and cultural activities promoting volunteerism and community engagement within the African community. Festival highlights include a soccer tournament, cultural performances, musical entertainment, ethnic food and children's activities and play area.

Request: \$10,000 CPA: 2016 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)

2015 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant) 2014 - \$7,500 (Small Scale Grant)

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$6,500 be awarded to the African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association for the African Soccer and Cultural Festival in 2017.

#17-S-002 Scandinavian Community Centre

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 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival to be held on 2017 June 17-18 at the Scandinavian Community Centre.

To: His Worship, the Mayor and Councillors

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REPORT

An application was received from the Scandinavian Community Centre for the Scandinavian Midsummer Festival to be held at the Scandinavian Community Centre on 2017 June 17-18. This annual two-day festival, celebrates the Swedish, Norwegian, Finnish, Icelandic and Danish countries. With a program showcasing cultural songs, dance, entertainment, food and kids, the event is meant for the whole family. Key highlights include the authentic Viking village and the traditional raising of the Maypole dance.

Request: \$10,000 CPA: 2016 - \$6,000 (Small Scale Grant)

2015 - \$6,000 (Small Scale Grant) 2014 - \$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 Scandinavian Midsummer Festival in 2017.

#17-L-001 Eurofest BC Society

European Festival

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a Festivals Burnaby grant – Large Scale Event in the amount of \$25,000 be awarded to the Eurofest BC Society for the European Festival to be held on 2017 May 27-28.

REPORT

An application was received from the Eurofest BC Society for the European Festival to be held at Swangard Stadium on 2017 May 27-28. The festival features diverse activities and entertainment for the whole family. Key activities include a flag parade and opening ceremony, heritage cultural performances, authentic costumes, cultural displays, a market place, activities and games for children, workshops, demonstrations and a European style beer garden and food tent.

Request: \$25,000 CPA: 2016 - \$25,000 (Large Scale Grant)

2015 - \$25,000 (Large Scale Grant) 2014 - \$25,000 (Large Scale Grant) To: His Worship, the Mayor and Councillors

From Executive Committee of Council

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The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$25,000 be awarded to the Eurofest BC Society for the European Festival in 2017.

#17-L-002 Latinos in Action Society
Latin Reggae Summer Fest

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a Festivals Burnaby grant – Large Scale Event in the amount of \$12,500 be awarded to the Latinos in Action Society for the Latin Reggae Summer Fest to be held on 2017 August 12-13 at Swangard Stadium.

REPORT

An application was received from the Latinos in Action Society for the Latin Reggae Summer Fest to be held at Swangard Stadium on 2017 August 12-13. The two-day festival will bring a new celebration of international artists (from Mexico, Jamaica and Spain), national artists, local bands, market vendors and food trucks together in Metro Vancouver.

Request: \$20,000 CPA: 2016 - No Application

2015 - No Application 2014 - No Application

The Executive Committee of Council recommends that a grant in the amount of \$12,500 be awarded to the Latinos in Action Society for the Latin Reggae Summer Fest in 2017.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor S. Dhaliwal

Chair

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Vice Chair

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