



COMMITTEE REPORT

TO:

CHAIR AND MEMBERS

DATE:

2017 APRIL 10

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

FROM:

DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION &

FILE NO:

02410-20

CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT:

FESTIVALS BURNABY PROGRAM - NEIGHBOURHOOD EVENT

17-N-008 CHINESE TAOISM KUAN KUNG ASSOCIATION

PURPOSE: Grant Approval Request

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** the Festivals Burnaby Grant request from Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association for Tian Jin Festival 2017 to be held on 2017 May 06 be received.

REPORT

Festivals and Special Events:

Neighbourhood Event

Grant File 17-N-008:

Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association

Application Received:

2017 April 5

Project Budget:

\$22,000

Project Request:

\$ 3,000

Previous Support:

2016 Neighbourhood Festivals Burnaby Grant \$3,000 2015 Neighbourhood Festivals Burnaby Grant \$3,000 2014 Neighbourhood Festivals Burnaby Grant \$3,000 2013 Small Scale Festivals Burnaby Grant \$3,000 2012 Neighbourhood Festivals Burnaby Grant \$3,000

An application request for \$3,000 has been received from Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association for Tian Jin Festival 2017 on 2017 May 06 at Jian Tin Temple 3426 Smith Avenue Burnaby. This free family oriented festival will showcase Chinese arts and culture through stage performances, exhibits, family activities and food, while promoting an understanding of Chinese and Taoist culture.

To: Financial Management Committee of Council From: Director Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Re: Festivals Burnaby Program-Neighbourhood

Event

The Chinese Taoism Kuan Kung Association is a charitable organization founded in 1995, with the temple established in Burnaby in 2012. The mission of the organization is to promote awareness of Chinese and Taoist culture and enriching the community through community programs and services.

The application has been completed in full and the applicant has shown evidence that they have the capacity to coordinate the event. Festivals Burnaby funds would be allocated toward eligible project expenses related to programming, marketing/promotions and administration.

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