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CHAIR AND MEMBERS

DATE:

2017 Nov 14

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

FROM:

DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION &

FILE NO: 2410-20

CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: 2017 RCMP MUSICAL RIDE - DONATIONS OF PROCEEDS

PURPOSE: To seek approval of donation of proceeds from the RCMP Musical Ride.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council be requested to approve the donation of proceeds in the total amount of \$10,000 from the RCMP Musical Ride event to the two charities as outlined in this report.

REPORT

1.0 BACKGROUND

The City of Burnaby and the Burnaby RCMP hosted the 2017 RCMP Musical Ride at Swangard Stadium on 2017 August 18. The sold out event was a great success and over In addition to the RCMP Musical Ride, the event featured 4,400 people attended. performances by the RCMP E Division Pipes & Drums, Grupo Axè Capoeira, the singing of O Canada by Karis Ducharme, as well as numerous public safety and crime prevention displays. Swangard Stadium provided Burnaby residents a tremendous venue to enjoy a unique, entertaining evening featuring the RCMP Musical Ride.

2.0 DISCUSSION

As part of the event plan, the net proceeds (ticket revenue less expenses) from the event are to be donated to two charities - Honour House Society and Burnaby Neighbourhood House. The net proceeds from the event are determined to be \$10,000 which is to be shared by the two aforementioned charities in the amount of \$5,000 each.

This report is to seek Council's approval of the donation as described above.

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