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**TO:** CHAIR AND MEMBERS  
FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
OF COUNCIL **DATE:** 2018 MAY 08

**FROM:** DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION &  
CULTURAL SERVICES **FILE NO:** 02410-20

**SUBJECT:** FESTIVALS BURNABY PROGRAM - NEIGHBOURHOOD EVENT  
18-N-002 CULTURE CHATS BC ASSOCIATION

**PURPOSE:** Grant Approval Request

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. **THAT** the Festivals Burnaby Grant request from the Culture Chats BC Association for the Intercultural Community Arts Festival be received.

**REPORT**

Festivals and Special Events: Neighbourhood Event

Grant File 18-N-002: Culture Chats BC Association

Application Received: 2018 January 15  
Project Budget: \$9,400  
Project Request: \$2,000

Previous Support: 2017 Neighbourhood Festivals Burnaby Grant \$1,000

An application request for \$2,000 has been received from the Culture Chats BC Association for the Intercultural Community Arts Festival. It is a free one day event between 2018 March 01 and 2018 September 30 at Burnaby Neighbourhood House. Culture Chats BC Association is planning a free one day long Inter-cultural Community Arts Festival with other local partners in the summer of 2018 to celebrate and showcase multicultural arts and talents. Event activities will include an Immigrant Art Exhibition, language based word games, a Multicultural Dialogue, Story Creation and more. Culture Chats BC Association's mission/mandate is to create a platform for local community members to strengthen intercultural connections through innovative programming promoting literary and arts.

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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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2018-N-002 Culture Chats BC Association