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Financial Management Committee c/o The Office of the City Clerk 4949 Canada Way Burnaby, B.C. V5G 1M2

Dear Sir or Madam:

RE: Moscrop Senior Girls Volleyball Team

AAAA Senior Girls Provincial Volleyball Championship Tournament

The Moscrop Senior Girls Volleyball Team would like to apply for the City Grant of \$1,000 to help with the cost of travel, accommodations and meals for the AAAA Senior Girls Provincial Volleyball Championships taking place in Penticton, B.C. from Thursday, November 29th thru to Saturday, December 1st.

The approximate cost of the trip for each player will be \$400 which includes hotel accommodations, private vehicle transportation and all meals. The Moscrop Athletic Department will pay for the tournament entry fee and the banquet (\$650). The girls have fundraised by holding tournaments on weekends which has also provided an opportunity to certify new referees.

Our team is composed of a close knit group of nine Grade 12's and one Grade 11 who have been playing together since grade nine and are coached by Kim Or, a volunteer coach and a previous parent at Moscrop. They spend countless hours in the gym and weight room throughout the year and many of the girls are now coaching and mentoring their own teams.

Kim and all the players are residents of Burnaby and Kim has coached many teams at Moscrop and taken them to a number of provincial championship tournaments. His two children graduated from Moscrop and his oldest child is currently playing professional volleyball in Germany.

Our team has accomplished what no other team has done in the history of Moscrop Volleyball by winning the BNWSS Banner a few weeks ago followed by winning the Lower Mainland Banner against Lord Byng, the #2 ranked team in the province. The last team to win from Burnaby/New Westminster was in 2005 (New West Secondary).

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It has been an exciting volleyball season at Moscrop as we hosted both Senior Boys and Senior Girls City Finals and Lower Mainland Zone Tournaments. Our Senior Boys Team is also playing in their respective Provincial Championships at the Langley Event Centre.

We have had enormous support from the Moscrop Athletic Department and Administration and community support from our alumni and families who came out all week to watch.

Your support would be greatly appreciated and our team is looking forward to achieving another milestone.

Sincerely,

Selena Tam

Assistant Coach and Parent