

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS*

SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATIONS

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council approve the Festivals Burnaby grant recommendations, as outlined in this report.

REPORT**INTRODUCTION**

The Executive Committee of Council, at its meeting held on 2019 February 06, considered Festivals Burnaby grant applications from community groups organizing small scale events in Burnaby.

POLICY

The provision of Festivals Burnaby grants to community groups is aligned with the City of Burnaby's Corporate Strategic Plan by supporting the following goals and sub-goals of the Plan:

Goals

- A Connected Community
 - Social connection - enhance social connections throughout Burnaby
- An inclusive community
 - Celebrate diversity – create more opportunities for the community to celebrate diversity
 - Create a sense of community – provide opportunities that encourage and welcome all community members and create a sense of belonging
- A Healthy Community
 - Healthy life – encourages opportunities for healthy living and well-being

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RECOMMENDATION

The Executive Committee of Council recommends the following Festivals Burnaby Small Scale Events grants for Council's approval:

#18-S-008	Burnaby Arts Council 47th Annual Deer Lake Craft Festival	\$4,000
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An application was received from the Burnaby Arts Council for the 47th Annual Deer Lake Craft Festival held on 2018 November 16-18 at Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. This three day festival included a variety of performance artists scheduled throughout the weekend and a maximum of 50 artisans selling high quality arts and crafts. The festival provided an opportunity for performers in the community to showcase their talents.

(Note: This application was received in the fall of 2018 and was placed on hold for review by the Executive Committee of Council on 2019 February 06.)

Request: \$5,000

CPA: 2017 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)
2016 - \$4,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)
2015 - \$4,000 (Small Scale Grant)

#19-S-002	National Congress of Black Women Foundation <i>Festival of Arts and Music 2019 - Recognizing the Past, Embracing the Future</i>	\$5,000
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An application was received from the National Congress of Black Women Foundation for Festivals of Arts and Music - Recognizing the Past, Embracing the Future. This festival will provide communities with the opportunity to express themselves, share their stories, breakdown stereotypes, misconception, build understanding and respect for cultural and religious differences.

Request: \$10,000

CPA: 2018 - \$5,000 (Small Scale Grant)
2017 - \$5,000 (Small Scale Grant)
2016 - \$7,000 (Small Scale Grant)

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#19-S-003 African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association \$6,500
2019 Annual African Soccer and Cultural Festival

An application was received from the African Canadian Soccer and Cultural Association for the African Soccer and Cultural Festival to be held on 2019 August 09-11 at the Burnaby Lake Sports Complex. The main objective of the annual festival is to showcase African culture through sports and cultural performances and activities promoting volunteerism and community engagement within the African community. Festival includes a soccer tournament, cultural performances, musical entertainment, ethnic food and children's activities and play area.

Request: \$10,000

CPA: 2018 - \$6,500 (Small Scale Grant)
2017 - \$6,500 (Small Scale Grant)
2016 - \$8,000 (Small Scale Grant)

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor S. Dhaliwal
Chair

Mayor M. Hurley
Vice Chair

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