

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 July 10, considered Festivals Burnaby grant applications from community groups organizing neighbourhood and small scale festivals 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:

- 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

RECOMMENDATIONS

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

#19-N-011	Burnaby North Road Business Improvement Association 6th Annual Korean Community Day	\$3,500
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An application was received from the Burnaby North Road Business Improvement Association for the 6th Annual Korean Community Day to be held on 2019 September 07 at 4501 North Road (Korean Town Centre Mall). This annual event showcases Korean businesses in the area, and invites the neighbourhood to join in the day of activities that consist of drumming groups, K Pop dance, martial arts demos, art walks, a tea garden, as well as a family carnival area.

Request: \$5,000

CPA: 2018 - \$3,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)
2017 - \$3,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)
2016 - \$3,500 (Neighbourhood Grant)

#19-N-012	My Artist's Corner Society, BC 10 th Annual Show	\$1,000
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An application was received from My Artist's Corner Society, BC for the 10th Annual Show to be held on 2019 September 28 at the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. The event showcases the work of member artists, engages visitors to help combat mental health stigma, and connects artists with the community at large.

Request: \$1,000

CPA: 2018 - \$972 (Neighbourhood Grant)
2017 - No Application
2016 - No Application

#19-S-011	North American Artist Association <i>Spring Gala Festival 2020</i>	\$5,000
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An application was received from the North American Artist Association for the Burnaby Spring Gala Festival 2020 to be held on 2020 January 11 at the Michael J. Fox Theatre. The festival showcases multi-cultural artistic performances (in dance, music, and other artistic expressions) by performers from North America and Asia, and promotes multi-ethnic traditional arts and celebrates the Lunar New Year.

Request: \$12,000

CPA: 2018 - No Application
2017 - No Application
2016 - No Application

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#19-S-012 Pandit Jasraj School of Music Foundation \$3,000
Indian Classical and Vocal Music: An Evening of Khayais and Thumris by Indrani

An application was received from the Pandit Jasraj School of Music Foundation for the Indian Classical and Vocal Music: An Evening of Khayais and Thumris show to be held on 2019 September 22 at the James Cowan Theatre, Shadbolt Centre for the Arts. This concert by a young vibrant artist is being brought back by popular demand. Indrani Mukerjee, renowned Hudustani classical vocalist, performs khayal in Khayal in Kirana-Rampur style and Thumri in Purab Ang. The artist comes from Kolkata, West Bengal, India.

Request: \$3,000

CPA: 2018 - \$3,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)
2017 - No Application
2016 - \$3,000 (Neighbourhood Grant)

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor S. Dhaliwal
Chair

Mayor M. Hurley
Vice Chair

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