

TO: CHAIR AND MEMBERS
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

DATE: 2019 SEPT 24

FROM: DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION &
CULTURAL SERVICES

FILE NO: 02410-20

**SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY PROGRAM – SMALL SCALE EVENT
19-S-014 KOREAN EVERGREEN SENIORS SOCIETY OF CANADA**

PURPOSE: Grant Approval Request

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** the Festivals Burnaby Grant request from the Korean Evergreen Seniors Society of Canada for their BC Seniors Performing Arts Festival to be held on 2019 November 09 be received.

REPORT

Festivals and Special Events: Small Scale Event

Grant File 19-S-014: Korean Evergreen Seniors Society of Canada

Application Received: 2019 August 20

Project Budget: \$20,000

Project Request: \$ 8,000

Previous Support: New Festivals Burnaby Grant Application

An application request for \$8,000 has been received from the Korean Evergreen Seniors Society of Canada for their BC Seniors Performing Arts Festival on 2019 November 09 at James Cowan Theatre, Shadbolt Center for the Arts. The Festival will include performing arts such as dancing (modern and traditional), a music band, singing (classic, pop and traditional folk songs). The seniors practice and perform for good health and social engagement.

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The Korean Evergreen Seniors Society of Canada has played an important role in helping Korean seniors integrate into Canada, while preserving their heritage by fulfilling their social, physical and intellectual needs. The organization serves the Korean community in Metro Vancouver and contributes to the mosaic of Canada. The main objectives of the organization are to encourage solidarity between its members, to foster harmonious relationships with other community groups and to advocate for the needs of seniors of Korean heritage. Other objectives include solidarity, encouraging volunteerism amongst seniors, providing entertainment and education for seniors.

The application has been completed in full. Festivals Burnaby funds would be allocated toward eligible project expenses related to programming, marketing/promotions and administration.

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Dave Ellenwood
DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

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