

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL**

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR  
AND COUNCILLORS*

**SUBJECT: COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATIONS**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

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

**REPORT****INTRODUCTION**

The Executive Committee of Council, at its meeting held on 2020 February 05, considered grant applications from community groups supporting Burnaby residents.

**POLICY**

The provision of 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
  - 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 – Encourage opportunities for healthy living and well-being

## RECOMMENDATIONS

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

**#20.01. Cumberland Place Community \$500**  
*Block Party*

An application was received from Cumberland Place Community requesting a grant in support of a block party in the Burnaby neighbourhood to be held on Saturday, 2020 July 18. Festivities include games and inflatables for children, popcorn, hot dogs, and neighbourhood potluck, informational booths, Indigenous art displays, and a "Celebrate Burnaby" sidewalk chalk competition.

Request: \$500  
CPA: 2019 – \$300  
2018 – \$300  
2017 – \$300

**#20.03.p Burnaby Hospice Society \$1,500**  
*Hike for Hospice Burnaby* ***in-kind printing***

An application was received from the Burnaby Hospice Society requesting an in-kind grant for printing of promotional materials (brochures, posters, banners, etc.) for the 18th annual Hike for Hospice Burnaby to be held on Sunday, 2020 May 3 in Central Park, Burnaby. The event includes a barbeque, silent auction, children's activities and 50/50 draw. Event proceeds assist the Society's hospice palliative care and bereavement support programs, offered at no cost to Burnaby residents and their families and friends. In 2019, palliative care volunteers visited more than 3,000 residents and 639 residents received bereavement support.

Request: \$1,500 *in-kind printing*  
CPA: 2019 – \$1,500 (in-kind printing)  
2018 – \$1,500 (in-kind printing)  
2017 – \$1,500 (in-kind printing)

**#20.04. Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention Centre of BC \$5,000**  
*Operating Costs*

An application was received from the Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention Centre of BC requesting an operating grant in support of increased demand for services and

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programs provided to Burnaby residents. Services and programs include: a 24/7 distress line and online distress chat service; mental health and suicide support workshops for youth; and suicide prevention workshops for health care workers, school staff, police, emergency services staff, youth workers, and older adult care providers. In 2019, at least 1,686 unique calls and chats originated in Burnaby with approximately 1,505 residents accessing the online chat. In 2020, the organization's goals include: recruitment of approximately 280 new volunteers; enrollment of approximately 140 new volunteers in training programs; and securing funding for more paid crisis services responders and/or training facilitators.

Request: \$5,000

CPA: 2019 – \$4,000  
2018 – \$4,000  
2017 – \$4,000

**#20.05. Cameray Child and Family Services \$8,000**  
*Burnaby ECD Community Table's Program Coordinator*

An application was received from the Cameray Child and Family Services on behalf of the Burnaby Early Childhood Development (ECD) Community Table requesting a grant in support of the Program Coordinator position. The Table is a coalition of 46 non-profit and public partners providing programs and services to children under the age of six and their families in Burnaby. The coordinator collaborates with partnering agencies regarding planning and delivery of programs, services, activities and educational support.

Request: \$10,000

CPA: 2019 – \$7,000  
2018 – No Application  
2017 – No Application

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor S. Dhaliwal  
Chair

Mayor M. Hurley  
Vice Chair

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