

REPORT TO COUNCIL

To: Mayor and Councillors

Subject: June 2020 Community Grants File #: 1850.00

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From: Darrin Leite, CPA, CA

Director of Corporate Services

Date: July 7, 2020

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT City Council endorse the recommendation of the Community Grant Committee to award community grants totalling \$21,064.81 to the following organizations;

Archway Community Services – Fraser Valley Cultural	\$ 750.00
Diversity	
Boys and Girls Club of Langley	\$ 1,420.00
Douglas Park Community School	\$ 2,300.00
Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation	\$ 358.40
Langley Arts Council	\$ 1,500.00
Langley Food Bank Society	\$ 1,861.74
Langley Meals on Wheels	\$ 26.25
Langley Ukulele Association	\$ 1,810.00
Langley Volunteer Bureau	\$ 2,000.00
Southgate Church – Back to School	\$ 4,500.00
Special Olympics Langley	\$ 3,500.00
Terry Fox Foundation – Terry Fox Run	\$ 1,038.42
	\$ 21,064.81

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the report is to seek Council's support of the Community Grant Committee recommendations regarding the distribution of the community grants.



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POLICY:

Community Grant Policy CO-51

COMMENTS/ANALYSIS:

The City has allocated \$168,000 of casino proceeds to provide community grants to organizations that contribute to the general interest and advantage of the City. City Council has already awarded \$123,364.55 in community grant, in February 2020.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

The grants requested for the second intake, with a application deadline of June 30, 2020, totalled \$46,254.81 from 13 organizations of which \$21,064.81 was identified for distribution.

ALTERNATIVES:

Council could alter the amounts of the grants being considered and/or approve other grant requests.

Respectfully Submitted,

Darrin Leite, CPA, CA

Director of Corporate Services

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S COMMENTS:

Since the inception of the Community Grant Program in 2006 the City has contributed over \$1,843,110 to non-profit and community organizations.

Francis Cheung, P. Eng.

Chief Administrative Officer

