



# REPORT TO COUNCIL

To: **Mayor and Councillors**

Subject: June 2021 Community Grants

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## RECOMMENDATION:

THAT City Council endorse the recommendation of the Community Grant Committee to award community grants totalling \$8,400.00 to the following organizations;

Archway Community Services – Fraser Valley Cultural Diversity	\$ 1,000.00
Boys and Girls Club of Langley	\$ 2,000.00
Ecowaves Community Volunteer Club	\$ 500.00
Langley Arts Council	\$ 2,500.00
Langley Ukulele Association	\$ 1,650.00
Volunteer Cancer Drivers Society	\$ 750.00
	<b>\$ 8,400.00</b>

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## 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.

## POLICY:

Community Grant Policy CO-51

**COMMENTS/ANALYSIS:**

The City has allocated \$168,000 to provide community grants to organizations that contribute to the general interest and advantage of the City.

**BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:**

The grants requested for the second intake with an application deadline of June 30, 2021, totalled \$25,400 from 9 organizations of which \$8,400 was identified for distribution. During the first intake, \$114,076.29 was awarded in February 2021 resulting in a total of \$122,476.29 being awarded in 2021.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

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

The Terry Fox Run has traditionally requested a community grant every year, but an application was not received yet by this organization. City Council may wish to allocate \$1,000 towards the 2021 run that will include the \$200 in kind cost of installing their street banner.

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 \$1,965,586 to non-profit and community organizations.



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