



## REPORT TO COUNCIL

To: **Mayor Schaffer and Councillors**

Subject **2017 Community Grants**

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Director of Corporate Services

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### RECOMMENDATION:

THAT City Council endorse the recommendation of the Community Grant Committee to award community grants totalling \$136,341.05 to the following organizations;

Alano Club of Langley	\$ 1,000.00
Arboretum and Botanical Society of Langley	\$ 1,000.00
Arthritis Society, BC & Yukon Division	\$ 1,200.00
Bard in the Valley	\$ 11,700.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley	\$ 1,500.00
Boys and Girls Club of Langley	\$ 1,000.00
Brookwood Baptist Church – Homeless Feeding Program	\$ 1,786.05
Children of the Street Society	\$ 1,000.00
DLBA – Arts Alive	\$ 7,926.00
Douglas Park Community School Society	\$ 5,000.00
Encompass Support Services Society – Best Babies	\$ 3,456.00
Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation	\$ 250.00
Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives – Black Book	\$ 1,000.00
Fraser Valley Cultural Diversity Awards	\$ 500.00
Healthier Community Partnership – Youth HUB	\$ 2,500.00
HUB Cycling	\$ 400.00
Kiwanis Fraser Valley Music Festival Society	\$ 4,000.00
Langley 4H District Council	\$ 150.00
Langley Amateur Radio Association	\$ 262.50



Langley Arts Council	\$ 1,000.00
Langley Baseball	\$ 3,000.00
Langley Better Breathers	\$ 2,000.00
Langley Children's Society – Child Development Centre	\$ 1,000.00
Langley Division of Family Practise – Youth HUB	\$ 2,500.00
Langley Early Years Centre (Assoc for Community Living)	\$ 800.00
Langley Field Naturalists	\$ 500.00
Langley Flippers Swim Club	\$ 4,605.60
Langley Food Bank	\$ 3,000.00
Langley Fundamental Secondary School - Dry Grad	\$ 500.00
Langley Good Times Cruise In	\$ 13,000.00
Langley Lawn Bowling Club	\$ 2,100.00
Langley Literacy Association	\$ 2,500.00
Langley Meals on Wheels	\$ 1,728.00
Langley Pos-Abilities Society	\$ 950.25
Langley Royal Canadian Legion – Remembrance Day	\$ 2,170.00
Langley Scholarship Committee	\$ 3,600.00
Langley Secondary School – Dry Grad	\$ 500.00
Langley Senior Resources Society	\$ 19,650.00
Langley Ukulele Association	\$ 1,650.00
Langley Volunteer Bureau	\$ 1,500.00
Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society	\$ 618.00
Parkinson Society BC – Langley Chapter	\$ 328.65
Pitch In Canada	\$ 425.00
Pucks Powerplay Foundation	\$ 2,500.00
Salvation Army – Gateway of Hope	\$ 5,000.00
Shape Your World Society	\$ 1,130.00
Sport Tourism	\$ 5,000.00
Stepping Stone – Langley Homelessness Steering Committee	\$ 2,000.00
Terry Fox Run	\$ 1,365.00
Vancouver Goalball Club	\$ 3,490.00
Youth Parliament	\$ 600.00
	<b>\$ 136,341.05</b>

#### PURPOSE:

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 of casino proceeds to provide community grants to organizations that contribute to the general interest and advantage of the City. The Community Grant Committee reviewed the 61 applications received.

**BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:**

The 2017 grants requested totalled \$231,399.30 of which \$136,341.05 was identified for distribution to 51 organizations. There is \$31,658.95 remaining for the 2<sup>nd</sup> community grant application intake at the end of June.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

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

Respectfully Submitted,



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Director of Corporate Services

**CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S COMMENTS:**

Since the inception of the Community Grant Program in 2006 the City has contributed over \$1,505,775 to non-profit and community organizations.



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Francis Cheung, P. Eng.  
Chief Administrative Officer

