



REPORT TO COUNCIL

To: **Mayor and Councillors**

Subject: **2019 Community Grants**

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From: Darrin Leite, CPA, CA
Director of Corporate Services

Date: February 15, 2019

THAT City Council endorse the recommendation of the Community Grant Committee to award community grants totalling \$ 154,930.65 to the following organizations;

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| Bard in the Valley | \$ 11,285.40 |
| Big Brothers Big Sisters of Langley | \$ 3,000.00 |
| Blacklock Elementary School (PAC) | \$ 1,500.00 |
| Boys and Girls Club of Langley | \$ 3,600.00 |
| Canadian Chili and BBQ Society | \$ 10,000.00 |
| Canadian National Racquetball Championship | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Children of the Street Society | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Christmas Parade Event | \$ 11,500.00 |
| Codependents Anonymous 12 Step Group | \$ 491.50 |
| Critter Care Wildlife Society | \$ 2,500.00 |
| DLBA – Arts Alive Event | \$ 10,000.00 |
| Douglas Park Charity Pickleball Tournament | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Douglas Park Community School Society | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Elijah Place | \$ 3,465.00 |
| Encompass Support Services Society – Best Babies | \$ 6,187.59 |
| Fibromyalgia Well Spring Foundation | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Fraser Region Community Justice Initiatives – Black Book | \$ 2,000.00 |
| Fraser Valley Cultural Diversity Awards | \$ 750.00 |
| KPU / Kiwanis Fraser Valley Music Festival Society | \$ 5,500.00 |
| Langley 4H District Council | \$ 150.00 |
| Langley Amateur Radio Association | \$ 262.60 |
| Langley Baseball Association | \$ 8,000.00 |
| Langley Cares Foundation – Langley Lodge | \$ 3,000.00 |
| Langley Community Farmers Market Society | \$ 4,500.00 |

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| Langley Community Services Society | \$ 5,000.00 |
| Langley Field Naturalists | \$ 1,600.00 |
| Langley Flippers Swim Club | \$ 3,066.00 |
| Langley Fundamental Secondary School - Dry Grad | \$ 500.00 |
| Langley Hospice Society | \$ 2,062.00 |
| Langley Lawn Bowling Club | \$ 1,300.00 |
| Langley Literacy Association | \$ 2,500.00 |
| Langley Pos-Abilities Society | \$ 1,261.31 |
| Langley Royal Canadian Legion – Remembrance Day | \$ 4,750.00 |
| Langley Scholarship Committee | \$ 4,500.00 |
| Langley Secondary School – Dry Grad | \$ 500.00 |
| Langley Senior Resources Society | \$ 15,000.00 |
| Langley Ukulele Association | \$ 1,650.00 |
| Lower Fraser Valley Aboriginal Society | \$ 2,627.00 |
| Mountain Secondary School Dry Grad | \$ 500.00 |
| Parkinson Society BC – Langley Chapter | \$ 236.25 |
| Pitch In Canada | \$ 425.00 |
| Pucks Powerplay Foundation | \$ 2,500.00 |
| Seniors of Langley | \$ 355.00 |
| Shape Your World | \$ 4,906.00 |
| Youth Parliament | \$ 1,000.00 |
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| | \$ 154,930.65 |

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 to the general interest and advantage of the City. The Community Grant Committee reviewed 45 applications received for the grant application intake ending December 15, 2018.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

The 2019 grant requested totalled \$176,034.65 of which \$154,930.65 was identified for distribution to 45 organizations. There is \$13,069.35 remaining for the 2nd community grant application intake at the end of June 2019.

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 \$1,816,741 to non-profit and community organizations.



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Chief Administrative Officer