

COMMUNITY SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Wednesday, March 8, 2023 7:00 – 9:00 pm Online Meeting via MS Teams

Present: Irina Eldridge

Regrets:

Cassandra Buckley

Brenna Quaas

Kelly Bond

David Puterman Doug Beckett Dustin Willitts

Ellison Mallin (Chair)

Joshua Peters Michael Shi Mina Sami

Guests: Itsey Hesse, Black Girl Collective Society

Brenda Plant, Turning Point Recovery Society

Staff: Eirikka Brandson, Social Planner

Mary Jukich, Committee Clerk

1. Welcome

The Chair called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

2. Adoption of Agenda

The following items were added to the agenda:

- Black Girl Collective Presentation
- Turning Point Recovery Society Presentation

MOVED, seconded and resolved To adopt the amended agenda.

CARRIED

3. Presentations

Itsey Hesse provided a brief presentation on the work of Black Girl Collective Society and the organization's impact to the community.

Brenda Plant provided a brief presentation on the work of Turning Point Recovery Society and the organization's impact to the community.

4. Adoption of the February 15, 2023

MOVED, seconded and resolved To adopt the minutes.

CARRIED

5. Grant Review

Athletics for Kids Financial Assistance (BC) Society

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Requested: \$7,500 Recommended: \$6,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Athletics for Kids Financial Assistance (BC) Society be partially funded in the amount of \$6,000.

CARRIED 2 Opposed

Best Buddies of Canada

Requested: \$2,500 Recommended: \$1,900

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Best Buddies of Canada be partially funded in the amount of \$1,900.

CARRIED

Big Sisters of BC Lower Mainland

Requested: \$6,000 Recommended: \$5,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Big Sisters of BC Lower Mainland be partially funded in the amount of \$5,000.

CARRIED

Black Girl Collective Society

Requested: \$35,000 Recommended: \$3,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Black Girl Collective Society be partially funded in the amount of \$3,000.

CARRIED 1 Opposed

• Intellectual Disability Society (Formerly - North Shore Connexions Society)

Requested: \$8,000 Recommended: \$7,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Intellectual Disability Society (formerly North Shore Connexions Society) be partially funded in the amount of \$7,000.

CARRIED

• Lumara Grief & Bereavement Care Society

Requested: \$6,500 Recommended: \$4,500

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Lumara Grief & Bereavement Care Society be partially funded in the amount of \$4,500.

CARRIED

North Shore Community Resources Society

During the review of this application, Mina Sami did not participate in the discussion or vote.

Requested: \$50,000 Recommended: \$35,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from North Shore Community Resources Society be partially funded in the amount of \$35,000.

CARRIED

North Shore Keep Well Society

Requested: \$4,000 Recommended: \$4,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from North Shore Keep Well Society be fully funded in the amount of \$4,000.

CARRIED

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Turning Point Recovery Society

Requested: \$15,000 Recommended: \$10,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Turning Point Recovery Society be partially funded in the amount of \$10,000.

CARRIED

Variety - the Children's Charity of British Columbia

Requested: \$6,000 Recommended: \$6,000

MOVED, seconded and resolved

THAT the grant from Variety – The Children's Charity of British Columbia be fully funded in the amount of \$6,000.

CARRIED 1 Opposed

6. Any Other Business

No other business was presented.

7. Next Meeting(s) – Wednesday, March 29, 2023 (grant review)

Wednesday, April 12, 2023 (grant review) Wednesday, April 19, 2023 (grant review)

Wednesday, May 17, 2023 (Budget reconciliation)

8. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 pm.

District Vision Statement

Our goal is to be recognized among the most sustainable communities in the world as demonstrated through our environmental stewardship, strong network of neighbourhoods, a vibrant economy and community-driven growth and change.