**Agenda - Executive Policy Committee – March 1, 2006**

## REPORTS

**Item No. 6 Council of the Caribbean Organization of Manitoba - Land Dedication Reserve**
**File EP-2**

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and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE DECISION:

On February 21, 2006, the Lord Selkirk-West Kildonan Community Committee concurred in the administrative recommendation and approved a Community Incentive Grant in the amount of $10,000.00 funded from the Old Kildonan Ward allocation, not to exceed a maximum of 50% of the total project cost to the Council of Caribbean Organizations of Manitoba Inc. to assist with the cost of the Caribbean Community Cultural Centre project, subject to the following conditions:

1. Confirmation of other funding sources.

2. Approval of final plans and specifications for the project by the City of Winnipeg.

3. The applicant entering into a formal agreement with the City of Winnipeg.