Agenda - Executive Policy Committee - December 12, 2007

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Item No. 1 **Special Grant - Tim Hortons Brier - The Canadian Men's Curling Championships**
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STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On December 4, 2007, the Standing Policy Committee on Finance recommended to the Executive Policy Committee:

1. That a grant of up to a combined value of $200,000.00 of services in-kind and cash be approved to the 2008 Tim Hortons Brier - The Canadian Men's Curling Championship.

2. That the source of funding for the grant to the 2008 Tim Hortons Brier be the anticipated year-end surplus in the 2007 General Reserve Fund.

DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On December 4, 2007, the Standing Policy Committee on Finance passed the following motion, namely:

WHEREAS on August 14, 2007, the City of Winnipeg received a request for services from the 2008 Tim Hortons Brier Event Coordinator for the Canadian Men's Curling Championship to be hosted by Winnipeg from March 8 to 16, 2008;

AND WHEREAS the City of Winnipeg has a history of providing support for special events:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Standing Policy Committee on Finance recommends to the Executive Policy Committee and Council:

1. That a grant of up to a combined value of $200,000.00 of services in-kind and cash be approved to the 2008 Tim Hortons Brier - The Canadian Men's Curling Championship.

2. That the source of funding for the grant to the 2008 Tim Hortons Brier be the anticipated year-end surplus in the 2007 General Reserve Fund,

and forwarded the matter to the Executive Policy Committee.