Agenda - Council – September 21, 2011

Report – Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services – September 8, 2011

Item No. 2 Community Incentive Grant – Fort Garry Community Centre Inc.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 14, 2011, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and the City Centre Community Committee and submits the following to Council:

1. That the following eligibility criteria for the Community Incentive Grant Program be waived in this instance, namely:

    A. Organization is a non-profit community organization offering sport or recreation services or is a non-profit organization that contributes to the health and well being of the community; but not through the development of a sport or recreation capital project; that is accessible to the community

    B. Does not make a significant contribution to the long-term benefit of the community at large in terms of improved facilities.

    C. Does not benefit the community at large and remains accessible to all members of the community.

    D. Clearly articulates a plan of activities including projected work schedules, material, labour, equipment and other project requirements. Project does not lead to the completion of a substantial physical product.

2. That a Community Incentive Grant in the amount of $10,000.00, funded from the River Heights–Fort Garry Ward allocation, be approved to the Fort Garry Community Centre Inc., to assist with the cost of the FGCC Conceptual Architectural Drawings project, subject to the following conditions:

    A. Confirmation of other funding sources.

    B. Approval of final plans and specifications for the project by the Director of Community Services.

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

Pursuant to the Voting Requirements By-law No. 126/2003, any Community Incentive Grant that does not comply with the terms contained in the Community Incentive Grant Policy requires approval by two-thirds of the Members present at Council.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 14, 2011, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and the City Centre Community Committee and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 8, 2011, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the recommendation of the City Centre Community Committee and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On July 5, 2011, the City Centre Community Committee did not concur in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Public Service and recommended to the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services:

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

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3. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Title: **Community Incentive Grant –** Fort Garry Community Centre Inc.

Critical Path: City Center Community Committee

AUTHORIZATION

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RECOMMENDATIONS

The Community Services Department recommends that the application from Fort Garry Community Centre Inc., for the FGCC Conceptual Architectural Drawings project, in the amount of $10,000, be denied.

REASON FOR THE REPORT

Public Service review of Community Incentive Grant proponent applications is required.

IMPLICATIONS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS

The Community Incentive Grant Program is funded under the Annual Capital Budget.

Project Name: FGCC Conceptual Architectural Drawings
Amount Requested: $10,000
Total Project Cost: $40,125

This application does not meet the following criteria approved by Council in 1996:

- Organization is a non-profit organization offering sport or recreation services or is a non-profit community organization that contributes to the health and well being of the community; but not through the development of the sport or recreation capital project; that is accessible to the community.
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HISTORY

Please refer to the attachments.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Financial Impact Statement **Date:** June 28, 2011

Project Name: FGCC Conceptual Architectural Drawings **First Year of Program 2011**

Community Incentive Grant

Name of Organization: Fort Gary Community Centre Inc.

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Capital					
Capital Expenditures Required	$ 10,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Less: Existing Budgeted Costs	10,000	-	-	-	-
Additional Capital Budget Required	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Funding Sources:					
Debt - Internal	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Debt - External	-	-	-	-	-
Grants (Enter Description Here)	-	-	-	-	-
Reserves, Equity, Surplus	-	-	-	-	-
Other - Enter Description Here	-	-	-	-	-
Total Funding	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Total Additional Capital Budget Required	$ -				
Total Additional Debt Required	$ -				
Current Expenditures/Revenues					
Direct Costs	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Less: Incremental Revenue/Recovery	-	-	-	-	-
Net Cost/(Benefit)	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Less: Existing Budget Amounts	-	-	-	-	-
Net Budget Adjustment Required	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -

Additional Comments:

There are no financial implications associated with this report.

"Original Signed By"

Cindy Fernandes, CMA

Manager, Finance & Administrative Services

CONSULTATION

SUBMITTED BY

Department: Community Services
Division: Community Development and Recreation Services
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Date: June 28, 2011
File No.

Attachments


Application



Evaluation


Supporting Documentation