Report - Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services - May 12, 2003

Item No. 8 Community Incentive Grant - Millennium Gardens River East
File PR-2.6 (33)(Vol. 11)

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 21, 2003, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and the East Kildonan-Transcona 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. The project is to benefit the community-at-large and remain accessible to all members of the community.

2. That a Community Incentive Grant in the amount of $2,000.00 (North Kildonan Ward allocation) be approved to the Millennium Gardens River East to assist with a garden project to be located at 1571 Henderson Highway, subject to the following conditions:

    A. Confirmation of other funding sources; and

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

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

3. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the foregoing, including the execution of any documents related thereto.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 21, 2003, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee, and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On May 12, 2003, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the recommendation of the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee, and submitted its recommendation to Executive Policy Committee and Council.

COMMUNITY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On April 22, 2003, the East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee did not concur in the administrative recommendation and recommended that a Community Incentive Grant (North Kildonan Ward allocation), be approved to Millennium Gardens River East, subject to terms and conditions, and submitted its recommendation to the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services.

COMMUNITY INCENTIVE GRANT PROGRAM
APPLICATION EVALUATION

Applicant: Millennium Gardens – River East

Project Description: Millennium Gardens – River East

Date of Application: March 21, 2003

Total Project Cost: $10,000.00

Grant Requested: **$ 2,000.00**

Maximum Allowed: $ 5,000.00

% of Total Project Cost: 20%

Funding Sources:	**Amount**	**Confirmed**
DeFehr Foundation	$2,500.00	YES
Beaver Bus Lines (Mary Fehr)	$ 200.00	YES
Assiniboine Credit Union	$ 250.00	YES
Raffle / Silent Auction	$1,500.00	NO
Total	$4,450.00	

	Meets Program Eligibility and Selection Criteria	**Yes**	**No**
1	Organization is a non-profit community recreation and sport organization or is a non-profit organization offering recreational services.	X	
2	Makes a significant contribution to the long-term benefit of the community at large in terms of improved facilities.	X	
3	Does not compete with or duplicate other community facilities.	X	
4	Benefits the community at large and remains accessible to all members of the community.		X
5	Includes confirmation of sufficient resources to maintain and operate completed projects.	X	
6	Clearly articulates a plan of activities including projected work schedules, material, labour, equipment and other project requirements. Project leads to the completion of a substantial physical product.	X	
7	Is feasible within the project management capabilities of the applicant.	X	
8	Total project funding is confirmed.		X
9	Does not include any funds from the City.	X	

Criteria Exceptions:

- This program does not benefit the community at large and remain accessible to all members of the community.

Department Financial Implications:

Departmental Recommendations:
That this application be denied.

Prepared by: Community Services Department
Date: March 21, 2003