Minute No. 561
Report - Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services - July 7, 2003

Item No. 2 2003 Cultural Grants - Supplementary Operating Grant Recommendations from the Winnipeg Arts Advisory Council File FG-1.1

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and adopted the following:

1. That the 2003 Supplementary Operating Grants when combined with the Final Operating Grants are in excess of $50,000.00 be approved to the following organizations, namely:

Festival du Voyageur	$10,500.00
Folk Arts Council of Winnipeg Inc.	$2,000.00
Manitoba Theatre Centre	$40,000.00
Prairie Theatre Exchange	$4,000.00
Royal Winnipeg Ballet	$16,000.00
Winnipeg Art Gallery	$40,000.00
Winnipeg Folk Festival	$20,000.00
Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra	$22,100.00
Total	**$154,600.00**

2. That payment of the 2003 Supplementary Operating Grants to the Royal Winnipeg Ballet and the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra be withheld until such time as the Royal Winnipeg Ballet and the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra have satisfied the requirements of the Winnipeg Arts Council.

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

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Gerbasi,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On July 16, 2003, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and the Winnipeg Arts Advisory Council and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On July 7, 2003, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Arts Advisory Council and submitted the matter to Executive Policy Committee and Council.

COUNCIL:

On March 26, 2003, Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services, as amended by the Executive Policy Committee, and approved the final installments for the 2003 Primary Operating Grants.

On February 26, 2003, Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and approved the 2003 Interim Operating Grants.

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On March 25, 2003, the Executive Policy Committee amended the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and submitted the following to Council:

1. That the final installments for the 2003 Primary Operating Grants be approved to the following cultural organizations:

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

Organization	2003 Interim Operating Grant Received	2003 Final Operating Grant Recommendation	Total
Royal Winnipeg Ballet	$79,200.00	$184,800.00	$264,000.00
Festival du Voyageur	$25,350.00	$59,150.00	$84,500.00
Folk Arts Council of Winnipeg Inc.	$29,400.00	$68,600.00	$98,000.00
Winnipeg Art Gallery	$102,000.00	$238,000.00	$340,000.00
Manitoba Opera	$16,260.00	$37,940.00	$54,200.00
Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra	$53,370.00	$124,530.00	$177,900.00
Manitoba Theatre Centre	$48,000.00	$112,000.00	$160,000.00
Prairie Theatre Exchange	$18,300.00	$42,700.00	$61,000.00

On February 19, 2003, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services, and submitted the following to Council:

1. That the 2003 Interim Operating Grants be approved for the following cultural organizations:

Organization	Category	2003 Interim Operating Grant Recommendation
Royal Winnipeg Ballet	Dance	$79,200.00
Winnipeg Art Gallery	Museums & Galleries	$102,000.00
Winnipeg Symphony	Music	$53,370.00

2. That the 2003 Operating Grant to the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra is to be held until such time as they have satisfied the Winnipeg Arts Council that they can become sustainable.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On March 20, 2003, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Arts Council, as amended, and approved 2003 Final Operating Grants and submitted its recommendation to Executive Policy Committee and Council.

On February 10, 2003, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the recommendation from the Winnipeg Arts Council and approved 2003 Interim Operating Grants and submitted its recommendation to Executive Policy Committee and Council.