

To: Electoral Area Services Committee

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From: Kristy Hodson, Manager of Financial Operations

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Subject: 2020 Grant-In-Aid Request – Dewdney Elementary School PAC, Electoral Area “G”

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Fraser Valley Regional District Board authorize a grant-in-aid in the amount of \$3,500 to the Dewdney Elementary School PAC, funded from the 2020 Electoral Area “G” grant-in-aid budget to help offset the costs of updated first aid and emergency kits, fresh fruit and vegetables for students in need, weather appropriate clothing for students, and field trips.

STRATEGIC AREA(S) OF FOCUS

Support Healthy & Sustainable Community

BACKGROUND

This request for funding is eligible through the Electoral Area Grant-In-Aid Policy under the “Activities/ programs which are accessible to a large portion of the electoral area” option.

DISCUSSION

The Dewdney Elementary School PAC supports a rural school, serving as a hub for many activities and programs that serve the community.

The Dewdney Elementary School PAC is requesting a \$3,500 grant-in-aid to assist with the costs of providing updated and better first aid and emergency kits, fruits and vegetables to students in need, weather appropriate clothing for students, and field trips.

Director Stobbart is in support of providing a grant-in-aid of \$3,500 to the Dewdney Elementary School PAC for these items.

COST

The \$3,500 cost will be funded from the 2020 Electoral Area "G" grant-in-aid budget which has sufficient funds to support this request.

CONCLUSION

A grant-in-aid application has been received from the Dewdney Elementary School PAC seeking support for the costs of updated first aid and emergency kits, fresh fruit and vegetables for students in need, weather appropriate clothing for students, and field trips.

COMMENTS BY:

Mike Veenbaas, Director of Financial Services

Reviewed and supported.

Jennifer Kinneman, Acting Chief Administrative Officer

Reviewed and supported.