

To: Electoral Area Services Committee

Date: 2018-07-10

From: Kristy Hodson, Manager of Financial Operations

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Subject: Grant-In-Aid Request - Deroche Elementary School, Electoral Area "C"

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Fraser Valley Regional District Board authorize a grant-in-aid in the amount of \$2,500 to Deroche Elementary School, funded from the Electoral Area "C" grant-in-aid budget, to help offset the costs of constructing a shelter structure for year round enjoyment.

STRATEGIC AREA(S) OF FOCUS

Support Healthy & Sustainable Community

PRIORITIES

Priority #5 Outdoor Recreation

BACKGROUND

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

DISCUSSION

The Deroche Elementary School serves its community as a non-profit organization that is teaching community sustainability, community history, and land preservation, as well as assisting parents in supporting their children through school.

The Deroche Elementary School is requesting a \$2,500 grant to help offset the costs associated with building a shelter structure to allow the children and the community to learn and enjoy their forest and stream environment year round.

COST

The \$2,500 cost will be funded from the Electoral Area "C" grant-in-aid budget which has sufficient funds to support this request.

CONCLUSION

A grant-in-aid application has been received from Deroche Elementary School seeking funds to help construct a shelter structure.

COMMENTS BY:

Mike Veenbaas, Director of Financial Services

No available for comment.

Paul Gipps, Chief Administrative Officer

Reviewed and supported.