

To: CAO for the Fraser Valley Regional District Board
From: Kristy Hodson, Manager of Financial Operations

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Subject: Grant-in-Aid Request – Cultus Lake Events & Activities, Electoral Area “H”

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Fraser Valley Regional District Board authorize a grant-in-aid in the amount of \$2,000 to the Cultus Lake Events and Activities Committee with the grant being funded from the Electoral Area “H” grant-in-aid budget to help offset the costs of the annual community Christmas event.

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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” option.

DISCUSSION

The Cultus Lake Events and Activities Committee’s purpose is to create experiences that promote Community Spirit and Pride within Cultus Lake Park with activities that are meant for residents and non-residents.

The Committee is requesting a \$2,000 grant-in-aid to provide funds to help offset the costs of hosting the annual Cultus Lake Christmas community event for items such as promotion of the event as well as a small gift for each child who visits Santa.

Director Dixon is in support of providing a \$2,000 grant-in-aid.

COST

The \$2,000 cost will be funded from the Electoral Area "H" grant-in-aid budget which has sufficient funds to support this request.

CONCLUSION

The Cultus Lake Events and Activities Committee have submitted a grant-in-aid application seeking financial support for their hosting of the annual community Christmas event running November 30 to December 1.

COMMENTS BY:

Mike Veenbaas, Director of Financial Services

Reviewed and supported.

Paul Gipps, Chief Administrative Officer

Reviewed and supported.