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May 15, 2007

To:	Community Development and Recreation Committee
From:	Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee
Subject:	2007 Access Equity and Human Rights (AEHR) – Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP)

# **Recommendation:**

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee recommends to the Community Development and Recreation Committee that City Council adopt the following staff recommendations in the Recommendations Section of the report (April 30, 2007) from the City Manager:

- 1. City Council approve allocations of \$768.8 thousand for the 2007 Access Equity and Human Rights (AEHR) – Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP) as outlined in Appendix 1; and
- 2. the sum of \$5 thousand be set aside for appeals to the 2007 Access Equity and Human Rights (AEHR) – Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP), subject to the submission of a report recommending the allocation of this reserve.

### Decision Advice and Other Information:

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee:

- 1. referred the appeals from the following organizations to the City Manager for further review and report to the meeting of the Community Development and Recreation Committee to be held on June 5, 2007:
  - Caribbean Global Missions Organization 14;
  - Dejinta Beesha (Somali Multi Service Centre) Organization 24;
  - Elspeth Heyworth Centre for Women Organization 26;
  - Eritrean Canadian Association of Ontario Organization 27;
  - Senior Pride Network Organization 67;

- West Indian Volunteer Community Support Services Organization 84; and
- Working Skills Centre Organization 87; and
- 2. referred the late application from the Canadian Council of Christian and Jews Organization 12 to the City Manager, with a request that the organization be considered by staff providing it meets the AEHR criteria.

# Background:

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee on May 15, 2007, considered a report (April 30, 2007) from the City Manager recommending allocations for the 2007 Access Equity and Human Rights (AEHR) - Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP); and noting that of the 89 applications received in 2007, 75 are recommended for funding.

### Recommendations:

The City Manager recommends that:

- 1. City Council approve allocations of \$768.8 thousand for the 2007 Access Equity and Human Rights (AEHR) Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP) as outlined in Appendix 1;
- 2. the sum of \$5 thousand be set aside for appeals to the 2007 Access Equity and Human Rights (AEHR) Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP), subject to the submission of a report recommending the allocation of this reserve;
- 3. the Community Partnership and Investment Appeals Sub-Committee forward this report to the Community Development and Recreation Committee.

The following persons addressed the Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee:

- James Lee, Canadian Council of Christian and Jews Organization 12;
- Honey Crossley, Executive Director, Working Skills Centre Organization 87, and filed a written submission;
- Sunder Singh, Elspeth Heyworth Centre for Women Organization 26;
- Maurice Adongo, Eritrean Canadian Association of Ontario Organization 27;
- Richard Moore, Senior Pride Network Organization 67, and filed a written submission;
- Dr. Mohammed Gilao, Executive Director, Dejinta Beesha (Somali Multi Service Centre)
   Organization 24;

- Dennis Keshinro, President, Caribbean Global Missions Organization 14; and
- Oladipypo Dejifasanta, West Indian Volunteer Community Support Services Organization 84, and submitted a brochure;

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Community Development and Recreation Committee City Manager
Chris Brillinger, Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration Ceta Ramkhalawansingh, Manager, Diversity Management and Community Engagement
Linda Koehler-Moore, Co-ordinator (Acting), Community Engagement (City Manager's Office)