

May 29, 2009

To: Community Development and Recreation Committee

From: Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee

Subject: Community Safety Investment Program (CSI) 2009 Allocation Recommendations

**Committee Recommendations:**

**The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee recommends to the Community Development and Recreation Committee that:**

- 1. The allocations for the Community Safety Investment program totalling \$664,400.00 to 24 applicants as recommended in Appendices A and B, be approved; and an amount of \$18,800.00 be held for appeals.**
- 2. The appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.**

**Decision Advice and Other Information:**

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee referred the appeals from the following organizations to the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration Division for further consideration and report to the Community Development and Recreation Committee for its meeting on June 11, 2009, or, if necessary, directly to City Council on July 6, 2009:

- Children's Peace Theatre (Organization No. 13)
- Dejinta Beesha Somali Multi-Service Centre (Organization No. 18)
- Harriet Tubman Community Organization (Organization No. 26)
- Heritage Skills Development Centre (Organization No. 27)
- Jane/Finch Community and Family Centre (Organization No. 29)
- Leave Out Violence (Organization No. 31)
- Literature for Life (Organization No. 33)
- Malvern Family Resource Centre (Organization No. 34)
- Midaynta Community Services (Organization No. 35)
- Native Child and Family Services of Toronto (Organization No. 36)
- North York Womens Centre (Organization No. 38)
- Shakespeare in Action (Organization No. 50)

Background:

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-Committee on May 29, 2009, considered a report (May 15, 2009) from the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration Division, providing the recommendations for the organizations that applied for municipal support under the 2009 Community Safety Investment Program; and noting that of the 59 applicants, 24 are recommended for funding totalling \$664,400.00, of which \$18,800.00 has been held for appeals.

Recommendations:

The Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration Division, recommends that:

1. The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Sub-committee approve the allocations for the Community Safety Investment program totalling \$664,400.00 to 24 applicants as recommended in Appendices A and B; and an amount of \$18,800.00 be held for appeals.
2. This report be forwarded to the Community Development and Recreation Committee.
3. The appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

Speakers:

- Danny Anckle, Executive Director, Leave Out Violence (Organization No. 31) and filed a written submission
- Charity Lebeanya, Executive Director, Kay Alabi, Board Secretary, and Sidney Anson, Youth Program Coordinator, Heritage Skills Development Centre (Organization No. 27) and filed a written submission)
- Jo Altilia, Amanda Taylor and Rebeca Maraut, Literature for Life (Organization No. 33) and submitted two magazines
- Iris Fabbro, Executive Director, and Jessy Abi-Najem, Volunteer Facilitator, North York Womens Centre (Organization No. 38) and filed a written submission
- Ekua Walcott, Agency Coordinator, Harriet Tubman Community Organization (Organization No. 26) and filed a written submission
- Charlene Avalos, and Irwin Wesley, Youth Worker, Native Child and Family Services of Toronto (Organization No. 36)
- Catherine Mwanza, Malvern Family Resource Centre, Manager, Women's Place (Organization No. 34) and filed a written submission

- Sandeep Kler, Jane/Finch Community and Family Centre (Organization No. 29) and filed a written submission
- Mahad Yusuf, Midaynta Community Services (Organization No. 35)
- Mathew Howard, Education and Development Coordinator, Shakespeare in Action (Organization No. 50)

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Sent to: Community Development and Recreation Committee  
Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration Division

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