



Decision Letter

Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Committee

Meeting No.	2	Contact	Belinda Bains
Meeting Date	Monday, June 11, 2012	Phone	416-392-6315
Start Time	9:30 AM	E-mail	edc@toronto.ca
Location	Committee Room 1, City Hall	Chair	Councillor Shelley Carroll

CI2.5	ACTION	Amended		Ward:All
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Community Festivals and Special Events Investment Program – 2012 Allocation Recommendations

Committee Decision

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Committee recommends to the Community Development and Recreation Committee for its meeting on June 26, 2012, that:

1. City Council approve the 2012 Community Festivals and Special Events Investment Program allocation recommendations totalling \$97,800.00 to 11 organizations as described in Appendices A and B of the report (May 29, 2012) from the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration.
2. City Council direct that an amount of \$5,500.00 be held for appeals.

Decision Advice and Other Information

The Community Partnership and Investment Program Appeals Committee met on June 11, 2012 and heard appeals to the Community Festivals and Special Events Investment Program - 2012 Allocation Recommendations.

The Committee:

1. Referred the following appeals to the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration, for further review, and a report to the Community Development and Recreation Committee for its meeting on June 26, 2012:
 - Bangladeshi-Canadian Community Services (Application 4)
 - Belka Enrichment Centre/Caribbean Global Missions (Application 5)
 - Franklin Horner Community Centre (Application 23)
 - FRESH Collective (Application 24)
 - Toronto Zombie Walk, The (Application 63)
2. Referred the written appeal from the following organization to the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration, for further review, and a report to the

Community Development and Recreation Committee for its meeting on June 26, 2012:

- St. Clair Gardens BIA (Application 51)
- 3. Requested the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration, to report to the Community Development and Recreation Committee for its meeting on June 26, 2012, on the funding required to fund the eligible proposals that have appealed under this investment program.

Origin

(May 29, 2012) Report from the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration

Summary

This report recommends allocations for funding under the 2012 Community Festivals and Special Events Investment Program (CFSE). Of the 68 applications received 11 are recommended for funding of \$97,800.00. An amount of \$5,500.00 has been held for appeals.

The CFSE program provides developmental or seed funding to festivals and special events for local residents to participate in the community and connect with other residents. Funded events help build social cohesion and inclusion across communities, as well as contribute to a community's safety and economic vitality.

Background Information

(May 29, 2012) Report and Appendix A from the Executive Director, Social Development, Finance and Administration on the Community Festivals and Special Events Investment Program - 2012 Allocation Recommendations

<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2012/ci/bgrd/backgroundfile-48019.pdf>

(May 29, 2012) Appendix B - Community Festivals and Special Events Investment Program - Detailed Project Summaries

<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2012/ci/bgrd/backgroundfile-48020.pdf>

Communications

(June 8, 2012) Letter from Councillor Mark Grimes, Ward 6, Etobicoke-Lakeshore in support of the Franklin Horner Community Centre (Application 23) (CI.New.CI2.5.1)

(June 11, 2012) E-mail from Councillor Cesar Palacio, Ward 17, Davenport forwarding a submission for Don Panos, Chair, St. Clair Gardens BIA (Application 51) (CI.New.CI2.5.2)

(June 11, 2012) Submission from Navina Dey, Franklin Horner Community Centre (Application 23) (CI.New.CI2.5.3)

Speakers

Nasima Akter, Executive Director, and Mirza Rahman, Bangladeshi-Canadian Community Services (Application 4)

Susan Milankov, and Navina Dey, Franklin Horner Community Centre (Application 23) (Submission Filed)

Dennis Keshinro, Belka Enrichment Centre/Caribbean Global Missions (Application 5)

Esther Linares, Executive Director, and Peggy Lau, FRESH Collective (Application 24)

Peggy Faulds, and Adele Lamphier, Toronto Zombie Walk, The (Application 63)