

Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program

**Appendix 2
Detailed Project Summaries**

June, 2011

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #1: Agincourt Community Services Association
Address: 4155 Sheppard Ave E

Organization Overview: The organization serves the area bounded by Highway 401, Steeles Avenue, Markham Road and Victoria Park Avenue. Services include emergency food, a food bank alternatives program, clothing depot, income tax and legal clinics, drop in program, transportation, shopping trips and friendly visiting. The organization is located in Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River.

Festival/Event Title: Chester Le Anniversary Celebration

Event Service Area: Ward 39 Scarborough-Agincourt

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Chester Le

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to provide a community celebration for the residents of Chester Le by bringing together residents, service agencies, politicians and other stakeholders. The goal of this project is to celebrate successes and build a sense of pride in the community. Event activities include: performances, participatory activities and the sharing of food.

Purpose of Festival: Build the capacity of local residents, to build pride in the community, and to connect to community services.

Community Served: Chester Le Neighbourhod

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
300	25	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$2,400.00	\$16,100.00	\$1,500.00	\$900.00	\$900.00

Festival/Event Date: July 9, 2011

Festival Location: 160 Chester Le Blvd

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #2: Agincourt Community Services Association
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Festival/Event Title: Dorset Park Day

Event Service Area: Ward 37 Scarborough Centre, 40 Scarborough-Agincourt

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Dorset Park

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to celebrate the Dorset Park community through a partnership between local service providers and community residents. The goal of this project is to build the capacity of local residents, to build pride in the community, and to connect to community services. Event activities include: a children's fair, a youth component, a senior's information fair, a general service fair and entertainment.

Purpose of Festival: Celebrate the successes of and build a sense of pride in, the community.

Community Served: Dorset Park Neighbourhood

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
400-500	50	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$5,200.00	\$29,300.00	\$2,700.00	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00

Festival/Event Date: June 25, 2011

Festival Location: Mc Gregor Community Centre and Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 3 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #3: Alexandra Park Community Centre
Address: 105 Grange Court

Organization Overview: The organization serves the families of the Alexandra Park community. Services include a range of social, educational and recreational activities geared to the needs of the community. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: The Men Can Cook 2011

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Alexandra Park

Festival/Event Description: This festival provides a community fair and barbecue. Event activities include: main stage with entertainment, kid zone with interactive games and sports and a barbecue sauce competition for the Men Can Cook 2011 Golden Apron Award.

Purpose of Festival: Strengthen families and engage youth living in the area.

Community Served: Atkinson Coop Residents

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
5,000	10	6

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$12,730.00	\$1,530.00	\$7,730.00	\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00

Festival/Event Date: August 21, 2011

Festival Location: Atkinson Co-op

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #4: Alternative For Her Community Centre, The
Address: 2975 Don Mills Road

Organization Overview: The Alternative for Her Community Centre is a multilingual not for profit organization whose mission is to provide sports ,recreational programs and culturally-sensitive social services for all women and girls in the GTA, specifically targeting the needs of self indentified Muslim women and girls. The organization is located in Ward 33 Don Valley East.

Festival/Event Title: Eid Family Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 33 Don Valley East

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to provide Muslim families and other families in Ward 44 with an opportunity to celebrate Eid, the end of the Muslim month of fasting. The goal of this project is to create a space for families to connect, build a community with their Muslim and non-Muslim neighbours and to bridge the cultural gap that can exist between immigrant parents and their children.

Purpose of Festival: Create a space for families to connect, build a community with their muslim and non-muslim neighbours and to bridge the cultural gap that can exist between immigrant parents and their children

Community Served: Muslim Families, Newcomers, Face Racism and Islamophobia

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
150	10	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$4,000.00	\$1,650.00	\$1,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: September 17, 2011

Festival Location: To be determined

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #5: Applegrove Community Complex
Address: 60 Woodfield Road

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents bounded by Jones Avenue to Woodbine Avenue and Lake Ontario to the railway tracks. The agency provides recreational, educational and social services to families with a focus on fostering community through social and informative program for individuals and families. The organization is located in Ward 32 Beaches-East York..

Festival/Event Title: Applicious Fall Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 32 Beaches-East York

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a family oriented, apple-themed fall festival. The goals of the project are to promote Applegrove, promote local businesses , services and organizations and provide partnership and fundraising opportunities for them. Event activities include: apple-themed crafts and games, food entertainment, contests and inflatables.

Purpose of Festival: Promote Applegrove, promote local businesses , services and organizations and provide partnership and fundraising opportunities for local groups.

Community Served: Applegrove's catchment area: Jones to Woobine, and Lake Ontario to the railway tracks.

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,500	50	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$13,868.00	\$11,335.00	\$8,868.00	\$5,000.00	\$3,700.00

Festival/Event Date: September 17, 2011

Festival Location: Woodbine Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only

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Application #6: Bangladeshi-Canadian Community Services (BCS)
Address: 2811 Danforth Ave

Organization Overview: This organization provides support to primarily South Asian newcomer and immigrant communities in Crescent town. Services include settlement services, crisis intervention, mentorship, career counselling, tutoring, an after-school program, and a volunteer program. The organization is located in Ward 32 Beaches-East York

Festival/Event Title: Taylor Massey Multicultural Food Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 31 Beaches-East York

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Crescent Town

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to bring together the Bangaldeshi-Canadian community and the other ethno-cultural communities in the Taylor Massey/Crescent Town community through a multicultural food festival. The goal of this festival is to promote a multicultural understanding among residents by enabling them to display their food, costumes and artifacts, and to share their profile with community members of different ethnic backgrounds.

Purpose of Festival: Promote a multicultural understanding among residents by enabling them to display their food, costumes and artifacts to share their profile with community members of different ethnic backgrounds

Community Served: Taylor Massey, New immigrants, low income individuals

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
500	30	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$10,850.00	\$5,200.00	\$7,050.00	\$3,800.00	\$1,400.00

Festival/Event Date: August 2011

Festival Location: Royal Legion Hall, 9 Dawes Rd

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #7: Bloor Improvement Group, The
Address: 688 St Clarens Ave

Organization Overview: The organization works to improve the physical, cultural and social life of area residents. The goal for the organization is to make Bloor Street from Lansdowne to Christie a better place for all. Services include a variety of community development initiatives. The organization is located in Ward 18 Davenport.

Festival/Event Title: BIG on Bloor Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 18 Davenport, Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a celebration on Bloor Street from Lansdowne to Dufferin. The goal of the project is to highlight Bloor Street as a unique and vital Toronto neighbourhood. Event activities include: live entertainment including singers, dancers and musicians, an art fair, crafts, storytelling, and dog shows.

Purpose of Festival: Highlight Bloor Street as a unique and vital Toronto neighbourhood.

Community Served: Bloor Court & Bloordale areas, Bloor Street from Lansdowne to Christie

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
75,000	200	4

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$55,000.00	\$8,600.00	\$50,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 23-24, 2011

Festival Location: Bloor Street from Lansdowne to Dufferin

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #8: Call A Service/Harmony Centre For Seniors
Address: 2 Gower Street

Organization Overview: The organization serves senior adults in the former Community Council District of East York. Services include transportation, congregate dining, client intervention and assistance, settlement services, foot clinics, income tax clinics, exercise and dance classes, health and wellness classes, cross-cultural celebrations, intergenerational programs, and special events. The organization is located in Ward 31 Beaches-East York.

Festival/Event Title: International Mother Language Day
Bengali New Year
Canada Day
Victoria Day

Event Service Area: Ward 31 Beaches-East York

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Crescent Town

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to run four events in Crescent Town, three geared to the Bengali community (International Mother Language Day, Bengali New Year and Victoria day) and one to all residents of Crescent Town. The goal of this project is to bring seniors and youth together to strengthen the bonds between generations, to build trust and relationships, and to help reduce isolation, increase community engagement and improve family interaction. Event activities include: Bengali singing, dancing, drama, discussion sessions in Bangala, Bengali food, children's art competition, public speaking for kids, Bengali fair, community parade and a documentary movie showing.

Purpose of Festival: Bring seniors and youth together to strengthen the bonds between generations, to build trust and relationships, and to help reduce isolation, increase community engagement and improve family interaction

Community Served: Crescent Town, Bengalis of all ages

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
2,500	40	4

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$84,614.00	\$12,000.00	\$72,904.00	\$11,710.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: February 2012
April 2012
July 1, 2012
December 2011

Festival Location: Crescent Town Club

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #9: CASA Cultural Colombiana
Address: 10-2011 Lawrence Ave West BOX 101

Organization Overview: The organization preserves and promotes the culture, roots, traditions and folklore of Colombia through cultural, arts, educational, community, social events and programs. Services include: community projects, and Spanish language performing arts, literature and visual arts, crafts and folklore-related activities. The organization is located in Ward 11 York South-Weston.

Festival/Event Title: Colombian Dispora Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will celebrate the artistic expression of the Colombian diaspora through a three day event. The goal of this festival is to build pride in the Colombian community, and to expose other communities to Colombian culture by showcasing heritage, culture and businesses. Event activities will include: visual arts, film, dance, food, theatre, a marketplace and children's activities.

Purpose of Festival: Build pride in the Colombian community, and to expose other communities to Colombian culture by showcasing heritage, culture and businesses.

Community Served: City of Toronto, Belong or have an interest in the Colombian Diaspora

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
30,000	80	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$70,000.00	\$127,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$1,800.00

Festival/Event Date: July 15-17, 2011

Festival Location: Harbourfront

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #10: Community Association for Riding for the Disabled
Address: 4777 Dufferin Street

Organization Overview: The organization provides therapeutic horseback riding programs and equine assisted activities for children and adults with physical and/or cognitive disabilities. Services include a variety of therapeutic programs including hippotherapy, cognitive therapy, rehabilitation and adapted sport. The organization is located in Ward 10 York Centre.

Festival/Event Title: CARDathon in the Park

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to provide a ride-a-thon and walk-a-thon through G Ross Lord Park in support of CARD's therapeutic riding program. The goal of this project is to raise funds and increase community awareness of the services provided by the Community Association for Riding for the Disabled, as well as to build pride in the organization for its members with disabilities, their families and volunteers. Event activities include: a hoe-down, onstage entertainment, roping demonstrations, equestrian demonstration, square dancing, a kids' zone, lemonade stand, face painting and local vendors.

Purpose of Festival: Raise funds, increase community awareness of the services for the disabled, and to build the pride in the organization for its members with disabilities, their families and volunteers.

Community Served: Children & Adults with Disabilities, their families and supporters

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
400-500	100	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$70,000.00	\$500.00	\$66,500.00	\$3,500.00	\$2,800.00

Festival/Event Date: June 25, 2011

Festival Location: G. Ross Lord Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 3 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #11: Community Centre 55
Address: 97 Main Street

Organization Overview: The organization's main purpose is community service delivery. The agency's approach is to "help people help themselves." This is accomplished by directly operating programs and through collaborations with other organizations. The organization is located in Ward 32 Beaches- East York.

Festival/Event Title: Hamper's Santa Claus Parade

Event Service Area: Wards 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36 Danforth/East York/Scarborough

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is an annual community Christmas celebration. The goal of the festival is to encourage community businesses and groups to participate in the parade. Event activities include: parade, picture with Santa, children's crafts, free hot chocolate and other snacks.

Purpose of Festival: To encourage community businesses and groups to participate in the parade.

Community Served: Beaches-East York, Toronto Danforth, Scarborough Southwest

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
14,000	60	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$7,553.00	\$0.00	\$6,800.00	\$953.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: November 27, 2011

Festival Location: Danforth/East York/Scarborough

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #12: Downtown Yonge Business Improvement Area
Address: 40 Dundas Street West, Suite 300

Organization Overview: The organization provides a voice for the downtown business community. The Organization is committed to improving and promoting the Downtown Yonge Street area through investment and advocacy in order to maintain its position a Toronto's premier shopping, business and entertainment destination. Services include marketing, economic development, safety, cleanliness, public square support, banners and street signage, holiday/seasonal decorations, sidewalk upgrades/street amenities and networking. The organization is located in Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Festival/Event Title: Winter Magic

Event Service Area: Ward 27 Toronto-Centre Rosedale

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to enable children and their families to enjoy Toronto's downtown at the start of the holiday season through youth-focused entertainment, activities and rides. The goal of this project is to build pride in the community by showcasing the vibrant and diverse nature of the Downtown Yonge neighbourhood and to strengthen the local economy. Event activities include: musical performances, animal demonstrations, face painting, chess games and other activities.

Purpose of Festival: To build pride in the community by showcasing the vibrant and diverse nature of the Downtown Yonge neighbourhood and to strengthen the local economy.

Community Served: Children

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
15,000	5	5

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: November 26, 2011

Festival Location: Yonge-Dundas Square

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Not eligible.

Comments / Conditions: This organization was supported in 2010 with a grant for a 4th and final year of funding for a similar event.

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Application #13: East Danforth Creative Collective
Address: 91 Linsmore Crescent

Organization Overview: The organization works to facilitate the creation of diverse, cultural activities through projects that strengthen and unite communities in East Toronto. Services include: free participatory workshops and exhibits, consultation and networking assistance on community arts initiatives. The organization is located in Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth.

Festival/Event Title: Art of the Danforth

Event Service Area: Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 31 Beaches-East York, Ward 32 Beaches-East York

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will provide support to the community to develop projects that combine community art and space. The goal of the project is the showcase of ideas that have evolved through support provided to the community. Event activities include: workshops, activities and art display.

Purpose of Festival: To showcase ideas that have evolved through support provided to the community.

Community Served: Residents & business owners/operators in the Danforth East neighbourhood

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
8,000	125	0.33

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$59,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$47,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: May 1 - June 2, 2012

Festival Location: To be determined

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #14: East Scarborough Storefront/Tides Canada Initiatives
Address: 4040 Lawrence Ave East

Organization Overview: The organization is a unique collaboration between 35 agencies to deliver a range of services to residents living in the Kingston Galloway/Orton Park community. Services offered include: settlement, youth supports, legal advice, recreation, employment and others. This organization is working with Tides Canada Initiative in a shared infrastructure platform. The organization is located in Ward 43 Scarborough East.

Festival/Event Title: East Scarborough Festival Market

Event Service Area: Ward 43 Scarborough East, Ward 44 Scarborough East

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Kingston-Galloway

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to provide a community market in Kingston-Galloway that provides affordable access to fresh produce, access to information about community resources, and an opportunity to gather as a community. The goals of this project are: to meet food security objectives, to nurture small economic development strategies, to promote local services and healthy lifestyles, to reduce isolation, engage youth, showcase arts and celebrate the community. Event activities include: a fresh produce market, a local craft/artisan market, and health promotion/service delivery outreach.

Purpose of Festival: To meet food security objectives, to nurture small economic development strategies, to promote local services and healthy lifestyles, to reduce isolation, engage youth, showcase arts and celebrate the community.

Community Served: Kingston, Galloway, Orton Park, Multicultural Communities, Accessibility, people with Disabilities

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
200-300 per market	30	0.5

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$11,500.00	\$9,000.00	\$6,500.00	\$5,000.00	\$4,500.00

Festival/Event Date: June 2, 2011 - August 25, 2011

Festival Location: St Margaret Parkette

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #15: East Toronto Family Community Centre (Eastview)
Address: 86 Blake Street

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the area bounded by Danforth Avenue, Queen Street, Greenwood Avenue and Broadview Avenue. Services include a boy's and girl's club, youth programs, parent/child resource centre, social and recreation activities for seniors, summer day camp, settlement, information and advocacy services for newcomers to Canada, an immigrant women's skill development program, food programs, ESL, and special community events. The organization is located in Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth.

Festival/Event Title: Sizzling Summer Fun Fest

Event Service Area: Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: To facilitate community interaction and economic development for the community.

Purpose of Festival: To facilitate community interaction and economic development for their community.

Community Served: Children and Families who are local residents Blake Boultee TCHC Community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
300+	45	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$2,300.00	\$150.00	\$1,300.00	\$1,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: August 26, 2011

Festival Location: Blake-Boultee Community

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #16: Elspeth Heyworth Centre for Women
Address: 1280 Finch Ave W #301

Organization Overview: The organization serves immigrant women in the area bounded by Steeles Avenue, Wilson Avenue, Islington Avenue and Dufferin Street. The organization offers workshops, support groups, life skills education and settlement support services such as interpretation, translation, support groups, escort and supportive counselling. The organization is located in Ward 8 York West.

Festival/Event Title: Celebration of Diwali, Eid and Baisakhi

Event Service Area: Ward 7 York West, Ward 8 York West, Ward 9 York Centre

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Jane/Finch

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to stage a joint celebration of Diwali, Eid and Baisakh and to provide educational, cultural and recreational components to bring the local community together around these three South Asian festivals. The goal of this project is to foster pride in local community by bringing together local residents and business to celebrate the diversity that exists in Canadian society. Event activities will include: cultural, educational and recreational activities.

Purpose of Festival: To bring pride in local community by bringing together local residents and business to celebrate the diversity that exists in Canadian society.

Community Served: Jane & Finch, South Asian immigrants to Canada

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
400	50	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$16,140.00	\$12,835.00	\$12,835.00	\$3,305.00	\$2,900.00

Festival/Event Date: November 3, 2011
March 24, 2012

Festival Location: Driftwood Community Centre

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

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Application #17: Faith Lutheran/Rainbow's End Day Care Centre
Address: 90 Hucknall Road

Organization Overview: The organization provides daycare services. The organization is located in Ward 8 York West.

Festival/Event Title: Family Fun Day

Event Service Area: Ward 8 York West

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Jane/Finch

Festival/Event Description: This event will provide a Family Fun Day for the community.

Purpose of Festival: To provide a special event for parents and children from the daycare program.

Community Served: Parents and children from the daycare program.

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
0	0	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$2,100.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,100.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 2011

Festival Location: 90 Hucknall Rd

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Conditions / Comments: This application was received late and has not been reviewed. No funding is recommended.

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Application #18: First Portuguese Canadian Cultural Centre
Address: 60 Caledonia Rd

Organization Overview: The organization serves the Portuguese speaking community in Toronto. Services include: a senior's drop-in-centre; cultural programs; form filling; heritage language classes' and referrals. The organization is located in Ward 17 Davenport

Festival/Event Title: FPCCC

Event Service Area: Ward 17 Davenport

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is to celebrate FPCCC's commitment and achievements in the community over the past 55 years. The goal of the event is to build community pride and showcase Portuguese culture.

Purpose of Festival: To build community pride and showcase Portuguese culture

Community Served: Portuguese Community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1000	50	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$20,500.00	\$2,000.00	\$10,500.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: October 1 2011

Festival Location: 60 Caledonia Rd

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

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Application #19: Friends In Trouble (F.I.T)

Address: 65 Carl Hall Road, Unit# 209

Organization Overview: The group was established in 2004 by youth within the Jane/Finch neighbourhood in response to the impact of poverty and oppression on the community. The group's goals are to develop and nurture youth narrative, empower residents to be able to address systemic issues of oppression, and create a safe space for youth. Services include workshop facilitation, arts for social change, advocacy, counselling, mediation circles, training workshops on race, racism and oppression, and community mobilizing. The organization is located in Ward 9 York Centre.

Festival/Event Title: Festival of Hope Celebration

Event Service Area: Ward 8 York West

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Jane/Finch

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a celebration designed to build esteem, inspire, engage and foster a sense of community among residents. The goal of the event is to increase community spirit and participation. Event activities include: entertainment, dinner and award ceremony.

Purpose of Festival: To increase community spirit and participation.

Community Served: Jane & Finch/Black Creek residents, people who are living in a marginalized community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
850	15	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$38,900.00	\$6,600.00	\$5,000.00	\$33,900.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: August 31, 2011

Festival Location: Downsview Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. The event is beyond the Community Festivals and Special Event program's scope and capacity to fund. The organization is encouraged to seek other sponsors for their dinner and awards ceremony.

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Application #20: FutureWatch Environment & Development Education Partners (EDEP)
Address: 3101 Dundas Street W

Organization Overview: The organization works with socially and economically marginalized youth, children, women and seniors from diverse ethnic backgrounds to build healthy, sustainable communities through participatory action learning approaches. Services include an eco-outdoor leadership program, community-based ecological restoration and climate change initiatives. The organization is located in Ward 13 Parkdale-High Park

Festival/Event Title: Family Fishing Festival (Eco-outdoor adventure for all)

Event Service Area: Ward 13 Parkdale-High Park

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a one day fishing event at High Park to celebrate Ontario Urban Fishing Week. The goal of this project is to educate newcomer communities about friendly fishing practices in Toronto. Event activities will include: arts and crafts, face painting, musical show and catch and release fishing.

Purpose of Festival: To educate newcomer communities about friendly fishing practices in Toronto.

Community Served: Newcomers

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
300-500	30	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$14,367.00	\$11,650.00	\$9,367.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00

Festival/Event Date: July 9, 2011

Festival Location: High Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #21: Greenest City
Address: 220 Cowan Ave

Organization Overview: The organization works in the Parkdale community to inspire healthy communities through community gardening and the celebration of food. Services include community garden, community kitchen, after school programming and summer employment for youth. The organization is located in Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park.

Festival/Event Title: Parkdale Earth, Food & Culture Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will celebrate the benefits of local food solutions to every environmental challenge and the diverse cultures of Toronto. The goal of this project is to promote the diversity of South Parkdale. Event activities include: cultural performances, children's performers, and harvest lunch.

Purpose of Festival: To promote the diversity of South Parkdale

Community Served: Residents of Parkdale high Park

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
750	150	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$9,700.00	\$7,000.00	\$5,200.00	\$4,500.00	\$2,200.00

Festival/Event Date: September 25, 2011

Festival Location: Masaryk Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #22: Heritage Skills Development Centre (HSDC)
Address: 400 McCowan Rd Ground Floor

Organization Overview: The organization promotes health, social, cultural and economic self-sufficiency of marginalized groups. Services include social support and transition programs, small business development and integration training and food and nutrition training. The organization is located in Ward 38 Scarborough Centre.

Festival/Event Title: Showcasing Talents and Minority Women in Business

Event Service Area: Ward 38 Scarborough Centre

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a showcase of community businesses and talents, and celebrates the accomplishments of ethnic and minority women in becoming economically self-sufficient. The goal of the event is to foster contact among business people through a networking event and tradeshow. Event activities include: workshops and seminars led community leaders and politicians and business people.

Purpose of Festival: To foster contact among business people through a networking event and tradeshow.

Community Served: Minority women in business

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
7,250	25	5

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$38,900.00	\$20,000.00	\$28,922.00	\$9,978.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: December 17, 2011

Festival Location: 15151 Danforth Rd, Bendale Branch Public Library

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Ineligible

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. The event falls into the category of conference/tradeshow.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #23: Iranian Fire Festival Celebrations Committee -Ontario
Address: 33 Sheppard Ave E Suite 1502

Organization Overview: The organization provides cultural programs and performances to educate Iranians and non-Iranians about the roots and significance of the Fire Celebration. The organization's only service is its annual fire celebration. The organization is located in Ward 23 Willowdale.

Festival/Event Title: Chaharshanbeh Suri (Fire Festival)

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will celebrate the ancient Iranian fire festival of Chaharshanbeh-Suri. The goal of this project is to celebrate Iranian heritage while educating the younger generation and non-Iranians on Iranian culture and history. Event activities will include: performances, educational activities, a bonfire and fireworks.

Purpose of Festival: To celebrate Iranian heritage while educating the younger generation and non-iranians on Iranian culture and history

Community Served: Iranian community and general public

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
14,000	45	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$12,500.00	\$2,800.00	\$9,500.00	\$9,500.00	\$4,000.00

Festival/Event Date: March 15, 2012

Festival Location: Mel Lastman Square

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

The organization must provide additional documentation about their organizational status.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #24: Iraqi Canadian Society of Ontario, The
Address: 2141 Kipling Ave Suite 208

Organization Overview: Organization promotes an environment where Iraqi Canadians, newcomers and refugees can be united. Services include: translation, job search support and settlement support. The organization is located in Ward 2 Etobicoke North.

Festival/Event Title: Iraqi Canadian Heritage & Culture Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a three day event that will introduce the Canadian public to Iraqi culture. The goal of the event is to build pride in communities through economic development and partnership development. Event activities include: music, group dancing, theatre, poetry and an arts and crafts exhibition.

Purpose of Festival: To build pride in communities through economic development and partnership development.

Community Served: Iraqi Canadian Community and general public

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
2,500	25	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$15,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$5,000	\$10,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: October 14-16, 2011

Festival Location: 1150 Crestlawn Drive, Mississauga, ON

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Not eligible

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding and the project is not eligible for funding. The event does not take place in the City of Toronto.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #25: Jane Finch Community & Family Centre
Address: 4400 Jane Street Suite 108

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the Jane/Finch area. Services include a child-parent drop-in centre, women's groups, budget counselling, outreach and support, community development, and a social recreational program. The organization is located in Ward 8 York West.

Festival/Event Title: Driftwood Community Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 8 York West, Ward 9 York Centre

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Jane/Finch

Festival/Event Description: This festival will celebrate the accomplishments of the Driftwood community. The goal of this project is to bring together residents of the Jane/Finch community to participate in activities and build community pride. Project activities will include: a youth and child talent show, drop-in activities for all ages, and information booths about active living and healthy eating.

Purpose of Festival: To bring together residents of the Jane/Finch community to participate in activities and build community pride.

Community Served: Jane and Finch, Newcomers

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,500-2,000	30	10

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$13,500.00	\$1,300.00	\$6,500.00	\$7,000.00	\$5,000.00

Festival/Event Date: June 18, 2011

Festival Location: 4401 Jane St

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #26: Joseph J. Piccininni CRC Advisory Council
Address: 1369 St. Clair Ave W

Organization Overview: The advisory council is set up to provide resident input and support to the work of the recreation centre in the local community. The organization is located in Ward 17 Davenport.

Festival/Event Title: Ward 17 Canada Day Festival

Event Service Area: 17 Davenport

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This event will provide a Canada Day event with food and entertainment.

Purpose of Festival: Community celebration

Community Served: Residents of Ward 17

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
0	0	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$11,350.00	\$210.00	\$7,350.00	\$4,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 1, 2011

Festival Location: 1369 St. Clair Ave W

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Ineligible

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. This application was received late and the information was incomplete. Recreation centre advisory councils are not eligible for Community Festivals and Special Events grants.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #27: Korean Canadian Cultural Association of Metropolitan Toronto
Address: 1133 Leslie St

Organization Overview: The organization serves Korean-Canadians across the City of Toronto and works to help Korean-Canadians to connect with Korean culture. Services include festivals, events, heritage classes and workshops. The organization is located in Ward 25 Don Valley West.

Festival/Event Title: Korean Cultural Heritage Society

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will celebrate Korean Heritage Day. It will be held concurrently with the organization's seventh Annual Peace Marathon. The goal of this project is to enhance cultural life in Canada and contribute to the economic activity of the local community. It will do this through enhancing understanding of Korean culture while promoting local businesses, musicians and artists. Event activities will include: traditional musical and dance performances, art exhibits, singing and food supplied by local restaurants.

Purpose of Festival: To enhance cultural life in Canada and contribute to the economic activity of the local community, enhance understanding of Korean culture, and promote local businesses, musicians and artists.

Community Served: GTA, Korean Canadian Community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,500	50	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$21,620.00	\$7,000.00	\$10,860.00	\$10,400.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: To be determined

Festival Location: Agency parking lot

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #28: Kumasi Asafo Charitable Foundation
Address: 3398 Kingston Rd Unit 13

Organization Overview: This organization was created in 2001 and serves the Ghanaian Community. The organization works to educate their members about economic, health and social issues. The organization is located in Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest.

Festival/Event Title: Ghanaboriginal Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Jane/Finch

Festival/Event Description: This festival is an intercultural event showcasing the distinct cultures and traditions of Ghana and Native peoples of Canada. The goal of the project is to engage participants in cultural activities and appreciation of diversity. Event activities include: procession of queen mothers and chiefs, traditional drumming and dances, big drum and Pow Wow.

Purpose of Festival: To engage participants in cultural activities and appreciation of diversity.

Community Served: Ghanaian Canadians, Aboriginal community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
400	10	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$25,343.00	\$2,155.00	\$0.00	\$25,343.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: June 24, 2013

Festival Location: 350 Grandravine Drive

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. This organization was funded in 2010 for a different event.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #29: Malvern Family Resource Centre
Address: 1371 Neilson Road # 219

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the area bounded by Markham Rd., Morningside Ave., Finch Ave. and Highway 401. Services include parent/child drop-ins, after-school tutoring and mentoring, youth development and recreation, Tamil girls program, parenting supports, seniors programs, legal and income tax clinics, and community development. This organization is located in Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River.

Festival/Event Title: Malvern Multicultural Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Malvern

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a one-day community celebratory event to promote multiculturalism, and to build intercultural spirit and community pride.

Purpose of Festival: To showcase the unique heritage of Malvern's diverse community

Community Served: Residents of the Malvern community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
0	0	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$8,000.00	\$0.00	\$5,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: Saturday June 25, 2011

Festival Location: Malvern Town Centre, 31 Tapscott Rd.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. This application was received late and has not been reviewed.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #30: Momentum 1 "Community in Motion"

Address: 117 Old Forest Hill Rd # 23

Organization Overview: The organization aims to establish walking as a culture and behaviour, and to increase people's knowledge and understanding of the benefits of being active. The organization serves communities across Ontario and Toronto. The organization is located in Ward 21 St. Paul's.

Festival/Event Title: Toronto Trails Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This provides a 5 to 10 kilometre walk program and environmental stewardship program in trails and walking paths in up to 16 communities. The goal of this project is to institute a culture and behaviour of walking in participants and to support positive lifestyle change by supporting people to become healthy, active and productive. It also aims to create an awareness of the environment and the need to protect the natural state of communities. The primary event activity is the delivery of up to 16 volunteer-led walking programs.

Purpose of Festival: To promote a culture and behaviour of walking in participants and to support positive lifestyle change by providing an opportunity for people to become healthy, active and productive.

Community Served:

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
8,000	52	8

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$174,400.00	\$23,200.00	\$87,200.00	\$87,200.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: August 1, 2011 - March 1, 2012
October 31, 2012 - April 30, 2012

Festival Location: City parks and ravines

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. This ambitious request is beyond the scope and capacity of the Community Festivals and Special Events funding program. The applicant is encouraged to consider other options for partnership and sponsorship.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #31: Native Child & Family Services of Toronto
Address: 30 College Street

Organization Overview: The organization serves members of Native communities across the city of Toronto. Services include case management for families at risk of losing their children, foster care for children in need of protection, services for women who have suffered trauma and men at risk for violence, a mobile parent/child centre, services for youth, and a nursery school. The organization is located in Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Festival/Event Title: Pow Wow

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will provide an opportunity for all Torontonians to take part in the Aboriginal cultural traditions of dancing, singing and drumming. The goal of this project is to share Aboriginal cultural traditions with Torontonians and to honor and celebrate the diversity of Native cultures in Toronto. Event activities will include: dancing, singing, drumming, traditional food stands, crafts for children and an art exhibition for Aboriginal artists to showcase their arts and traditional crafts.

Purpose of Festival: To share Aboriginal cultural traditions with Torontonians and to honor and celebrate the diversity of Native cultures in Toronto

Community Served: Aboriginal community and general public

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
600	90	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$20,250.00	\$1,200.00	\$10,250.00	\$10,000.00	\$7,000.00

Festival/Event Date: September 24, 2011

Festival Location: Dufferin Grove Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #32: Neptune Renewal Group (eNeRGy)

Address: 145 Neptune Drive # 225

Organization Overview: The organization uses the principles of social justice to empower residents to make positive change in their community. Services include grassroots events that address social and community needs. The organization is located in Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence.

Festival/Event Title: "One Community Festival"

Event Service Area: Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Lawrence Heights

Festival/Event Description: This festival is focused on engaging the residents of the Lawrence Heights community. The goal of the event is to build pride and awareness of heritage and culture of local communities by engaging residents in event planning. Event activities include: art displays/presentation, food, and music.

Purpose of Festival: To build pride and awareness of heritage and culture of local communities by engaging residents in event planning and production.

Community Served: Lawrence Heights & Neptune Communities.

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
300-500	15	6

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$19,500.00	\$3,500.00	\$0.00	\$19,550.00	\$7,000.00

Festival/Event Date: September 24, 2011

Festival Location: John Polany Collegiate Institute

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Funding Recommendation:

Conditions / Comments: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

In order to receive the 2011 funding, the organization must provide a revised project budget to demonstrate that the event can go ahead at a smaller scale. The organization must also provide additional documentation about their organizational status.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #33: New Canadian Community Centre
Address: 101 Placer Crt # 208

Organization Overview: The organization serves people of all ages in the Mandarin speaking Chinese community in the Greater Toronto Area with a focus in Scarborough. Services include settlement services, language and cultural classes for children and adults, information and referral, seniors services, after-school programs and advocacy. The organization is located in Ward 24 Willowdale.

Festival/Event Title: Toronto International Seniors Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Steeles-L'Amoreaux

Festival/Event Description: This festival is designed for all seniors groups in Toronto, and will specifically target non-English speaking seniors. The goal of this project will be to reduce the isolation of seniors and improve their communication skills, while engaging them and their families. Event activities will include: music and dance performances and personal skill demonstrations including cooking, handcrafting and photography.

Purpose of Festival: To reduce the isolation of seniors and improve their communication skills, while engaging them and their families.

Community Served: L'Amoreaux Park, Vietnamese, Korean, Indian Seniors, Non English

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
undetermined	28	3

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$12,500.00	\$6,500.00	\$6,500.00	\$6,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: September 17, 2011

Festival Location: 3159 Birchmount Road

Event Grant Eligibility Status: See comments below

Comments / Conditions: The organization was funded in 2010 for an event that was significantly different from the proposed 2011 event. The event is not recommended for funding as the application did not demonstrate a fit with the CFSE funding criteria.

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Application #34: Parkdale Community Development Group
Address: 1313 Queen Street W

Organization Overview: The organization encourages and stimulates economic initiatives and collaborative community partnerships that build and nurture sustainable and environmentally sound growth in the Parkdale community. Services include festivals, bazaars, and community-building events. The organization is located in Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park.

Festival/Event Title: Queen West Art Crawl

Event Service Area: Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park, Ward 18 Davenport, Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will provide a 3 day visual art event showcasing the queen west community. The goal of this project is to deepen participants' appreciation of the visual arts and allow meaningful engagement with this diverse community. Event activities include: an opening gala, an outdoor art show and sale, a community partner crawl showcasing galleries and businesses in parkdale/Queen West, a symposium series, walking art-related tours, and a parkdale nightcrawl visual and performing arts event.

Purpose of Festival: To deepen participants' appreciation of the visual arts and allow meaningful engagement with this diverse community

Community Served: Queen West & Parkdale Area, Art Enthusiasts,

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
30,000	130	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$106,925.00	\$4,000.00	\$99,725.00	\$7,200.00	\$6,000.00

Festival/Event Date: September 16-18, 2011

Festival Location: Trinity Bellwoods and additional Parkdale locations

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4 - This event was funded in 2010 through the Parkdale Liberty Economic Development Group as the applicant

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for a fourth and final year of funding.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #35: Regent Park Film Festival Inc
Address: 401 Richmond St W # 354

Organization Overview: This organization hosts a community film festival dedicated to showcasing independent works relevant to residents of Regent Park. Films screened reflect the key themes of immigration, inner city issues cultural identity and multicultural relationships. Services include: monthly movie screenings, School Program and Youth Media Art Program. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: The 9th Annual Regent Park Film Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Regent Park

Festival/Event Description: This festival is an annual film festival. The goal of this project is to promote social justice, cultural awareness, inclusion. Event activities will include: movie screenings, hands-on film workshops, and panel discussions.

Purpose of Festival: To promote social justice, cultural awareness, inclusion.

Community Served: Regent Park Residents, South Asian, East Asian, African, Caribbean & First Nations

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
4,000	40	1.5

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$165,000.00	\$21,630.00	\$155,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$4,200.00

Festival/Event Date: November 2-5, 2011

Festival Location: 350 Parliament St

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

This project has grown beyond the size of event supported by the CFSE program. This recommendation is for the final year of funding.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #36: Roma Community Centre
Address: 2340 Dundas St W Unit 301

Organization Overview: This organization is devoted to promoting the interests and addressing the needs of Canadian and newly arrived Roma. Services include settlement assistance and cultural and educational events. This organization is located in Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park.

Festival/Event Title: Toronto Roma Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Parkdale

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a day long event featuring Roma youth and adult music and dance performances. The goal of the event is to strengthen the Roma community through a community project. Event activities include: youth performances and amateur and professional musicians.

Purpose of Festival: To strengthen the Roma community through a community project. The wider community will benefit from being exposed to the traditions of a growing community that lives in their midst and has a very rich culture and history.

Community Served: Roma community members and general public in Parkdale

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
500	30	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$7,920.00	\$1,250.00	\$4,040.00	\$3,880.00	\$3,800.00

Festival/Event Date: April 9 2012

Festival Location: High Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Conditions / Comments: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

The organization must provide additional documentation about their organizational status.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #37: Scadding Court Community Centre
Address: 707 Dundas Street W

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the area bounded by College St., Front St., Spadina Ave. and Euclid Ave. Services include children, youth and seniors programs, ESL classes, newcomer youth mentoring, programs for disabled individuals, adult fitness and recreation, and employment training. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: Dundas Night Market

Event Service Area: Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina

Priority Neighbourhood Served:

Festival/Event Description: This event will stimulate local economic development by providing unique and affordable operating sites for small businesses. The goal of the event is to support a local economic development initiative and provide a fun inclusive community event. Event activities will include: live performances, community garden tours, children's play area and an outdoor film screening.

Purpose of Festival: To support a local economic development initiative and provide a fun inclusive community event.

Community Served: People who live, work or play in the area surrounding the Dundas St/Bathurst St Intersection

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
300-500	20	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$13,810.00	\$11,300.00	\$7,010.00	\$6,800.00	\$5,000.00

Festival/Event Date: July 9, 2011

Festival Location: Scadding Court

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #38: Scarborough Centre For Healthy Communities (West Hill Community Services)
Address: 3545 Kingston Road

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents of the area bounded by Highway 401, Markham Rd., Pickering Town Line and Lake Ontario. The organization provides seniors services, a health clinic, and community services including drop-in centre, emergency food and clothing, social and recreation programs, family resource centre, and child care registry. The organization is located in Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest.

Festival/Event Title: Eglinton East Kennedy Park Annual Summer Festivals

Event Service Area: Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest, Ward 37 Scarborough Centre, Ward 38 Scarborough Centre

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Eglinton-East

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a neighbourhood-based event that will celebrate and promote diversity in the Eglinton-East community through local arts, craft market, food and other activities. The goal of this project is to build connections between residents, business and local organizations. It will also foster a sense of community pride, by showcasing local artists, performers and talent. Event activities include: cultural and youth-focused performances, a BBQ, a marketplace with local vendors, games and sports, children and youth activities, and social service providers fair.

Purpose of Festival: To build connections between residents, business and local organizations and a sense of community pride, by showcasing local artists, performers and talent

Community Served: Eglinton East/Kennedy Park Neighbourhood

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,000	50	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$7,000.00	\$26,500.00	\$2,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$1,600.00

Festival/Event Date: June 18, 2011

Festival Location: Don Montgomery Recreation Centre

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #39: Scarborough Centre For Healthy Communities (West Hill Community Services)
Address: 3545 Kingston Road

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents of the area bounded by Highway 401, Markham Rd., Pickering Town Line and Lake Ontario. The organization provides seniors services, a health clinic, and community services including drop-in centre, emergency food and clothing, social and recreation programs, family resource centre, and child care registry. The organization is located in Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest.

Festival/Event Title: Scarborough Village Annual Summer Festival

Event Service Area: Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest, Ward 38 Scarborough Centre, Ward 43 Scarborough East

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Scarborough Village

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a neighbourhood-based event that will celebrate and promote diversity in the Scarborough Village community through local arts, craft market, food and other activities. The goal of this project is to build connections between residents, business and local organizations. It will also foster a sense of community pride, by showcasing local artists, performers and talent. Event activities include: cultural and youth-focused performances, a BBQ, a marketplace with local vendors, games and sports, children and youth activities, and social service providers fair.

Purpose of Festival: To build connections between residents, business and local organizations and a sense of community pride, by showcasing local artists, performers and talent.

Community Served: Scarborough Village Neighbourhood

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
3000	100	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$24,500.00	\$40,500.00	\$19,500.00	\$5,000.00	\$1,600.00

Festival/Event Date: July 23, 2011

Festival Location: Scarborough Village Park at 23 Gatesview Ave

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #40: Senior Tamils' Centre of Ontario
Address: 5200 Finch Ave E

Organization Overview: The organization serves Tamil seniors across the City of Toronto with social, recreation and community support programs. The organization is located in Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River

Festival/Event Title: Harvest Festival (Thai Pongal) Grant

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will celebrate the Tamil festival of Thai Pongal, a thanksgiving agrarian festival dedicated to the sun god. The goal of this project is to bring seniors and their families together to celebrate the cooking of the first harvest.

Purpose of Festival: To bring seniors and their families together to celebrate the cooking of the first harvest

Community Served: Seniors living in the GTA, Tamil Seniors

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
250	30	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$7,000.00	\$4,050.00	\$4,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: January 15, 2012

Festival Location: Burrows Hall Community Centre, 1081 Progress Ave

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #41: Somali Business Development Centre
Address: 1615 Weston Rd

Organization Overview: Somali Business Development Centre supports and advances Somali and African performing arts. The organization is located in Ward 11 York South-Weston.

Festival/Event Title: Capacity for Somali Cultural Event

Event Service Area: Ward 2 Etobicoke North, Ward 3 Etobicoke Centre, Ward 11 York South-Weston

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will provide Somali artists with workshops and training to build their capacity. The goal of the project is to encourage the development of new partnerships through local and private sector cooperation. Event activities include: workshops, training, and showcase of Somalian heritage, culture and achievements.

Purpose of Festival: To encourage the development of new partnerships through local and private sector cooperation

Community Served: Somali Community

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,460	22	3

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$40,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$30,000	\$10,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: January 21-22, 2012

Festival Location: To be determined

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Ineligible

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. It was funded by the Toronto Arts Council in 2010. In 2010 the organization received a fourth and final year of CFSE funding for a different event.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #42: Somali Organization for Support Community Assistance
Address: 1923 Weston Road

Organization Overview: The organization provides support to the Somalian community including intergenerational programs and services. Activities include children and youth programming, cultural enrichment and Somali week celebrations. The organization is located in Ward 11 York South-Weston.

Festival/Event Title: Festival in the Park

Event Service Area: n/a

Priority Neighbourhood Served: --

Festival/Event Description: n/a

Purpose of Festival: n/a

Community Served: n/a

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
n/a	n/a	n/a

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$34,520.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$34,520.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 2011

Festival Location: n/a

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding. The application was submitted substantially incomplete and could not be assessed.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #43: St. Clair Gardens Business Improvement Area
Address: 1785 St Clair Ave W

Organization Overview: The organization represents area on St. Clair between McRoberts and Old Weston Road. Services include beautification projects, local parks improvements and special events. The organization is located in Ward 17 Davenport.

Festival/Event Title: Corn Fest on St Clair

Event Service Area: Ward 17 Davenport

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This event is a community festival. The goal of the event is to bring together businesses and members of the community to celebrate St. Clair as a place to live, shop and work. Event activities include: corn roasting, free community bbq, children's craft area and silent auction.

Purpose of Festival: To bring together businesses and members of the community to celebrate St. Clair as a place to live, shop and work.

Community Served: St. Clair Gardens businesses and residents

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
4,000	20	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$4,900.00	\$1,400.00	\$0.00	\$4,900.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: September 17, 2011

Festival Location: 1 Prescott Ave, St Clair Gardens Parkette

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #44: St. Lawrence Neighbourhood Association (SLNA)
Address: 230 The Esplanade

Organization Overview: The organization advocates and promotes public and pedestrian safety, organizes events and champions the interests of the St. Lawrence Market community. Organization services include community engagement and public events. The organization is located in Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Festival/Event Title: Canada Day Celebration

Event Service Area: Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival will provide a day long celebration of Canada Day. The goal of this project is to showcase the diversity and multiculturalism of Canadians in the St. Lawrence neighbourhood and across the country. Event activities include: a parade, picnic, speeches, games and entertainment, and live music and a night-time dance.

Purpose of Festival: To showcase the diversity and multiculturalism of Canadians in the St. Lawrence neighbourhood and across the country

Community Served: Residents of the St. Lawrence Neighbourhood

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,000	60	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$10,300.00	\$1,000.00	\$5,300.00	\$5,000.00	\$3,700.00

Festival/Event Date: July 1, 2011

Festival Location: Crombie Playing Field

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #45: Sunshine Centre for Seniors
Address: 1033 Pape Avenue

Organization Overview: The organization operates social/recreational programs for frail and isolated seniors and persons with disabilities all across Toronto at two centers, five days per week for sixteen weeks during the summer on Wards Island. During the remaining months of the year, programs are offered 3.5 days per week including a frail day program at St. Andrews United Church. The organization is located in Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth.

Festival/Event Title: Sunshine Seniors' Strawberry Community Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival provides a day of outdoor recreation and socialization for seniors. The goal of the event is to showcase seniors who are active in their communities. Event activities include: bbq lunch, live musical entertainment and multicultural performances.

Purpose of Festival: To showcase seniors who are active in their communities.

Community Served: Isolated seniors throughout the GTA

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
300	45	10

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$11,500.00	\$41,600.00	\$6,500.00	\$5,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 16, 2011

Festival Location: Toronto Island

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #46: Thorncliffe Neighbourhood Office of Toronto for Social and Multicultural Development
Address: 18 Thorncliffe Park Drive

Organization Overview: The organization serves Thorncliffe Park and the surrounding area and works to build a safe and healthy community through strengthening the quality of individual and community life, with a focus on newcomer communities (including South Asian, Afghan and Asian) and family support programs. Activities include settlement and adaptation programs, LINC classes, employment and job search programs for newcomers, Early Years activities, information and referral and community access to computers. The organization is located in Ward 26 Don Valley West.

Festival/Event Title: Thorncliffe Park Mini Olympics

Event Service Area: Ward 26 Don Valley West

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Flemingdom Park

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a youth-led event that brings community members, businesses and families together to celebrate their children in a day-long mini-olympics. The goal of this project is to showcase cultural diversity, build pride in the community, and foster a positive experience of physical fitness. Event activities include: opening ceremony, a variety of sport events (races, hockey, track and field), other games (such as a scavenger hunt) geared to all ages and ability, and a mini-bazaar to showcase local arts and crafts.

Purpose of Festival: To showcase cultural diversity, build pride in the community, and foster a positive experience of physical fitness.

Community Served: Newcomer communities in Thorncliffe & Flemingdom Park (South Asian, Phillipino and Hispanic)

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
500	50	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$5,750.00	\$3,800.00	\$3,050.00	\$2,700.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 9, 2011

Festival Location: 81 Thorncliffe Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #47: Toronto Community & Culture Centre
Address: 222 Elm Street

Organization Overview: The organization serves the Mandarin-speaking community from Mainland China. Services include settlement support, information and referral, ESL, youth programs and other cultural and community development activities. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: 2012 Mandarin Community Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a celebration of Chinese New year. The goal of this event is to build a sense of community among Mandarin-speaking seniors. Event activities include a traditional Chinese performance.

Purpose of Festival: To build a sense of community among Mandarin-speaking seniors.

Community Served: City of Toronto Residents, Mandarin seniors, Mandarin community youth and seniors

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
750	15	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$30,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$23,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: January 14, 2012

Festival Location: 5183 Sheppard Ave East

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #48: Toronto Community Garden Network
Address: 640 Lawrence Ave W

Organization Overview: This organization works to encourage healthy community gardening within the City of Toronto. Their goal is to encourage the creation of gardens across the City and to make community gardening an integral part of city life. The organization is located in Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence.

Festival/Event Title: Seedy Sunday

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Lawrence Heights

Festival/Event Description: This festival provides an annual community gardening fair. The goal of the project is to bring together groups and individuals that have an interest in gardening and green issues. Event activities include: seed exchange, gardening workshops and garden-themed children's activities (arts and crafts, storytelling, scavenger hunt and face painting).

Purpose of Festival: To bring together groups and individuals that have an interest in gardening and green issues.

Community Served: Interest in gardening and environment

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
3,400	60	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$11,250.00	\$16,200.00	\$6,750.00	\$4,500.00	\$1,100.00

Festival/Event Date: Mid-February 2012
Mid-March 2012
Late March 2012

Festival Location: Hart House, Heron Park Recreation Centre, Lawrence Heights Community Centre

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

The organization must provide additional documentation about their organizational status.

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Application #49: Toronto Rape Crisis Centre/Multicultural Women Against Rape
Address: P.O. Box 6597, Station A

Organization Overview: The organization serves victims of sexual assault, survivors of child sexual abuse, and parents of victims of child sexual abuse in the City of Toronto. Services include a community resource centre, a public education and prevention program, a 24-hour crisis line, crisis intervention, advocacy and court support, one-to-one counseling and support groups. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: Take Back the Night

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This event addresses the fear that women experience walking the streets at night and provides women and children with sense of safety and pride in being a survivor through access to resources and information, and marching together with others. The goal of this project is that participants, many of whom have been touched by violence, feel empowerment and access information to better secure their own safety and access prevention resources and violence against women (VAW)-sector services. Event activities include a community fair, a rally, speakers, and a march.

Purpose of Festival: Residents who have experienced violence feel empowered, gain pride and are better able to secure their own safety and better able to access VAW-sector services.

Community Served: Toronto, Survivors of Violence

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
2,000	110	7

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$20,350.00	\$1,900.00	\$16,350.00	\$4,000.00	\$3,000.00

Festival/Event Date: September 17, 2011

Festival Location: To be determined

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #50: Toronto Renewable Energy Cooperative
Address: 401 Richmond St W Studio 405

Organization Overview: This organization promotes renewable energy development and conservation activities by creating links between energy habits and environmental impacts. Services include: energy science programs for schools, co-op placements for students, and energy science fair. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: Kids' World of Energy Festival

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is an annual environmental educational event that focuses on renewable energy, climate change and energy science. The goal of this project is to educate about the links between energy, our lives, and the environment. Event activities will include: activity centres, workshops, display booths, and theatre presentation.

Purpose of Festival: To educate about the links between energy, our lives, and the environment.

Community Served: School Days GTA based grade 5/6 students from low income areas surrounding neighbourhood of Regent park, Rosedale and Don Valley

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
5,000 +	200	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$89,000.00	\$55,000.00	\$79,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$1,800.00

Festival/Event Date: May 18-22, 2011

Festival Location: 550 Bayview Ave

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #51: Toronto Vegetarian Association

Address: 17 Baldwin Street 2nd Fl

Organization Overview: This organization strives to inspire people to choose a healthier lifestyle. Services include: healthy eating workshops, annual vegetarian food fair and vegetarian business directory. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: Veggielicious

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served:

Festival/Event Description: This event encourages restaurants to provide animal-free meals during a two-week period leading up to Earth Day. The goal of the event is to highlight the positives of a plant-friendly diet. Through this event, diners will try new restaurants, build relationships with local businesses and improve their health through healthy eating.

Purpose of Festival: To highlight the positives of a plant-friendly diet. Through this event, diners will try new restaurants, build relationships with local businesses and improve their health through healthy eating.

Community Served: Vegetarians, vegans, people with food sensitivities people interested in healthy eating people who like to dine out

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
11,000+	15	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$1,500.00	\$0.00	\$765.00	\$735.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: April 14-29, 2012

Festival Location: City-wide

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #52: Upfront Theatre Foundation
Address: 2660 Eglinton Ave E

Organization Overview: The organization provides cultural, educational and social programs using the arts to strengthen the community in Jane/Finch and the surrounding area. Services include workshops, employment supports, children's camps and a community experiential education program. The organization is located in Ward 8 York West.

Festival/Event Title: Rastafest

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Jane/Finch

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a free, family fun community event that showcases different aspects of the Rastafari culture, and draws from the rich and diversified Rastafari lifestyle and history. The goal of this project is to use the arts as a vehicle for strengthening community resiliency by contributing to the cultural enrichment of the Jane and Finch community and surrounding areas. Event activities include: music dance drumming arts and craft market place film and video screening visual arts exhibition and live concert featuring national and international artists.

Purpose of Festival: To strengthen community resiliency by contributing to the cultural enrichment of the Jane and Finch community and surrounding areas

Community Served: Jane/Finch community and surrounding area

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
20,000	75	3

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$92,000.00	\$21,062.00	\$87,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: July 10, 2011

Festival Location: Downsview Park

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #53: University Settlement
Address: 23 Grange Road

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the area bounded by College St., Yonge St., Spadina Ave. and Front St. Services include fitness, recreation, nursery school, child care, community development, employment and training, counseling, legal and income tax clinics, music and art activities, language training, family and seniors program. The organization is located in Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina.

Festival/Event Title: Grange Festival

Event Service Area: Toronto Centre/Davenport/Willowdale

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is an outdoor family event with a focus on newcomer families and children. The purpose of the event is to raise agency awareness, forge partnerships with the community, and provide an exciting and interactive community event. Event activities include: performances highlighting diversity, puppet and magic shows, and information booths from different agencies.

Purpose of Festival: To raise agency awareness, forge partnerships with the community, and provide an exciting and interactive community event.

Community Served: Newcomers, Low income families, focus on newcomers from China and Iran

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
2,500	80	3

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$17,800.00	\$14,500.00	\$13,800.00	\$4,000.00	\$3,600.00

Festival/Event Date: August 5, 2011

Festival Location: 23 Grange Road

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #54: Urban Non-violent Initiatives through Youth (UNITY)
Address: 2300 Yonge St, Suite #1602

Organization Overview: The service boundaries encompass the GTA. This organization is a youth-led and artist driven charity dedicated to teaching youth between the ages of 10-18 forms of artistic self-expression which will lead to positive life choices. The organization is located in Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence.

Festival/Event Title: Raising Voices

Event Service Area: Ward 17 Davenport and Scarborough East/Scarborough Centre/Agincourt

Priority Neighbourhood Served:

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a multi-day event that will take place at various public venues across the city. The purpose of the event is to commemorate the achievements of the youth performers who participated in the agency's alternative arts education program. Event activities include: poetry slam, art exhibition, concert and art exhibition.

Purpose of Festival: To celebrate the achievements of the youth performers who participated in the agency's alternative arts education program.

Community Served: Disengaged youth from ages 10-18, connecting them with each other, youth leaders and youth artist.

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
10,000	50	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$34,654.00	\$3,570.00	\$24,654.00	\$10,000.00	\$1,300.00

Festival/Event Date: July 8-10 2011

Festival Location: Yonge-Dundas Square and other still-to-be determined locations

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

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Application #55: Vasantham - A Tamil Seniors Wellness Centre
Address: 1756 St. Clair Ave W

Organization Overview: The organization serves Tamil seniors over the age of 55 and their families. Services include volunteer recruitment and training, health and mental health information and education, community consultations, access to information and resources, collaborations, outreach to high-risk seniors, activities for grandchildren, cultural events and translation and interpretation. This organization is located in Ward 37 Scarborough Centre.

Festival/Event Title: Moving Forward

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a city-wide multi-cultural celebration focusing on Tamil Seniors and their family members as well as members from other friendly communities and diverse cultures in the GTA. The goal of this project is for children, youth and adults from the Tamil community to integrate into friendly multi-cultural communities in Toronto. Event activities will include: South Asian cultural dances, songs and dramas focusing on the rights and abuses/hardships of seniors, interactive yoga sessions, and non-South Asian community showcases.

Purpose of Festival: For children, youth and adults from the Tamil community to integrate into friendly multi-cultural communities in Toronto

Community Served: Scarborough, Tamil-speaking seniors and families and South Asian communities

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
200	8	2

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$8,300.00	\$5,300.00	\$5,300.00	\$3,000.00	\$1,800.00

Festival/Event Date: September 17, 2011

Festival Location: 2660 Eglinton Ave. East, Mid Scarborough Hub

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 4 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #56: Vietnamese Women's Association of Toronto
Address: 74 Fir Valley Court

Organization Overview: The organization serves Vietnamese women and their families from across the City of Toronto. Activities include settlement and integration supports for newcomers, information, referral, informal counselling, education workshops, women's day events, social and cultural activities, recreation activities and supports for women experiencing violence/abuse. This organization is located in Ward 17 Davenport.

Festival/Event Title: Tet Trung Thu: Mid-Autumn Celebration

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This youth-run festival celebrates the South Asian autumn harvest. The goal of this project is to build pride among Vietnamese-Canadians along with other ethnic minorities and to strengthen South Asian traditional heritage by celebrating this festival and combining it with the Canadian culture youth are familiar with. Event activities include: dance performance, talent performances and a lantern parade.

Purpose of Festival: To build pride among Vietnamese-Canadians along with other ethnic minorities and to strengthen South Asian traditional heritage by celebrating this festival and combining it with the Canadian culture youth are familiar with

Community Served: Vietnamese community and general public

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
1,200	160	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$15,045.00	\$8,900.00	\$12,945.00	\$2,100.00	\$1,800.00

Festival/Event Date: July 9 2011

Festival Location: 74 Firvalley Court

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 3 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #57: Warden Woods Community Centre
Address: 4 John Street Unit 3

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the southwest former Community Council District of Scarborough. Services include social-recreational activities, family support, education and training, settlement services, services for seniors, a nursery school, a parent-child drop-in and supportive housing. The organization is located in Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest.

Festival/Event Title: Taste of the Woods

Event Service Area: Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest

Priority Neighbourhood Served: n/a

Festival/Event Description: This festival works to provide an all-ages community-driven event that offers entertainment and diverse foods from around the world. The goal of this project is to learn about and celebrate the diverse cultures that make up the neighbourhood. Event activities include: a play for children, a talent show for local talent, games, bouncy castle, crafts for kids and workshops on health, wellness and safety.

Purpose of Festival: To learn about and celebrate the diverse cultures that make up the neighbourhood.

Community Served: Low income residents in southwest Scarborough

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
Not projected	45	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$11,820.00	\$3,400.00	\$6,029.00	\$5,791.80	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: September 3, 2011

Festival Location: Warden Woods

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #58: West Scarborough Neighbourhood Community Centre
Address: 313 Pharmacy Ave

Organization Overview: The organization serves residents in the area bounded by Gerrard Street, Main Street, Lawrence Avenue and Kennedy Avenue. The organisation provides social and recreational services including young adult programs, summer day programs, employment training services, placement services, community development, special projects, senior citizens' clubs, sports, an outreach program for youth, family resource centers, and a literacy program. This organization is located in Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest.

Festival/Event Title: Byng Spring Fling Community Festival

Event Service Area: 35

Priority Neighbourhood Served:

Festival/Event Description: This festival is an annual community outreach event for the West Scarborough neighbourhood together for a family-oriented event. The goal of the project is for community members to learn about community agencies and services and meet each other. Event activities include: games, arts and crafts, sports activities, talent show and music and dance.

Purpose of Festival: For community members to learn about community agencies and services and meet each other.

Community Served: Oakridge, Teesdale and Catarqui Residents, Seniors, Children, Tamil, Benjali, Italian, Afghani & Chinese. Seniors looking to socialize, Parents and newcomers looking for helpful resources, youth looking for community volunteer hours

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
400	50	0

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$5,800.00	\$7,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$2,800.00	\$0.00

Festival/Event Date: May 26, 2012

Festival Location: 313 Pharmacy Rd

Event Grant Eligibility Status: First year request

Comments / Conditions: This project is not recommended for funding

2011 Community Festivals & Special Events Investment Program Project Summary

Application #59: Weston Village Business Improvement Area (BIA)
Address: 105 Grange Court

Organization Overview: The organization works with the business community to strengthen the local economy while working in partnership with local public and private committees, groups and organizations. This organization is located in Ward 11 York South-Weston.

Festival/Event Title: The Best of Weston Multicultural

Event Service Area: City-wide

Priority Neighbourhood Served: Weston-Mt Dennis

Festival/Event Description: This festival is a sidewalk sale on weston road from King Street to Wilby Crescent. The goal of this project is to strengthen the local economy and businesses and to showcase the rich heritage of the community. The event activities include entertainment, local art exhibits, rides and games for children, seniors activities, youth and senior performances and artisan displays.

Purpose of Festival: To strengthen the local economy and businesses and to showcase the rich heritage of the community

Community Served: The local business community, cultural groups and on community residents

Expected Attendance	Volunteers	Project Staff
5,000-10,000	100	1

Total Event Budget	In Kind Support	Funding from Other Sources	Requested Amount	Recommended Amount
\$20,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$15,500.00	\$4,500.00	\$4,000.00

Festival/Event Date: August 21, 2011

Festival Location: Weston Rd from King St to Wilby Crescent

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 4

Comments / Conditions: This project is recommended for funding. Prior to the implementation of the CFSE program in the 2012 funding cycle, the Community Funding Unit will undertake a review of the program criteria, allocation patterns and community impact. The review of the CFSE may result in changes to the four year declining funding model, and recommendations for new and returning grants in 2011 are made on a one year basis only.

Funding Period: The funding is to be used during the period from July 01, 2011 to June 30, 2012.