

CD10.4 - Appendix C

2016 Community Festivals and Special Events – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: # 1

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21 Panorama Court, Suite 14, Toronto, Ontario M9V 4E3

Event Name: Project Quiet Storm Community Festival

Event Ward(s): Ward 01 Etobicoke North

Group Overview: This organization works to assist incarcerated young people and uses education to promote and support positive change in their lives and communities. This organization is located in Ward 01 Etobicoke North.

Project Description: This festival aims to build stronger relationships and trust among residents, promote community safety following recent incidents of youth violence and trauma, and build pride in the neighbourhood. The festival will be organized, implemented and evaluated by a coalition of youth and allies who have been impacted by incarceration and/or violence and crime, and by North Kipling's Youth and Community (adult/senior) advisory councils. The festival will include a community barbecue, games and activities, guests, raffles, workshops, demonstrations and giveaways and will showcase local community arts and culture. Community agencies will be invited to promote and provide information about their initiatives.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Mount Olive-Silverstone-Jamestown

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
500	\$ 3400 in-kind support from project partners	200 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		25 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 11,800.00	\$ 8,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 8,500.00 for one year funding.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 1

Comments: As a condition of funding the applicant must work with a trustee organization.

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Application: # 2 **Delta Family Resource Centre**
2972 Islington Avenue. West, Unit 5, Toronto, Ontario M9L 2K6

Event Name: Celebrate Diversity

Event Ward(s): Ward 07

Group Overview: This organization provides a range of integrated, accessible programs and services to undertake actions that build on the existing strengths and assets in the community. This organization is located in Ward 07 York West.

Project Description: This project is a collaboration of social services, health, business and residents that supports initiatives related to economic independence, education and training, and enhancement of information and services in order to improve the economic, social and health outcomes for the community. A community needs assessment called for opportunities to engage residents in meaningful ways, connect residents with community services and support, raise the profile of the collaborative in the community and support local businesses. This one-day celebration of diversity is a response to this need including community engagement, through the training and use of volunteers and community animators, partnerships and promotion of local small business and community services and supports who will have an opportunity to showcase their products and services and participate as sponsors. Food will be used as the back-drop as food security issues is ongoing in the community.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Black Creek, Humbermede, Humber Summit

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
400	\$ 5500 in-kind support from project partners	160 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		50 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 14,000.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 9,000.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 3

Funding Condition: Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

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Application: # 3 **East Danforth Creative Collective**
91 Linsmore Crescent, Toronto, Ontario M4J 4K3

Event Name: Art of the Danforth

Event Ward(s): Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 31 Beaches-East York, Ward 32 Beaches-East York

Group Overview: .This organization works to facilitate the creation of diverse, cultural activities through projects that strengthen and unite communities in East Toronto. This organization is located in Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth.

Project Description: This festival will be a two week showcase of visual and performance art along Danforth Avenue. In the months leading up to and during the event, the group will provide free workshops and activities that will encourage diverse community members to explore the possibilities of combining community, art and space. Artists will be invited to submit pieces and performance to a juried competition for display during the event. Judges will seek to identify artwork that pushes both aesthetic boundaries and the typical physical boundaries of exhibition spaces. The public display of this art will be held in June and will be the culmination and showcase of ideas that have evolved over the course of the proceeding months.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Not applicable.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
4,600	\$ 1,500 in-kind support from project partners	600 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		25 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 4,250.00	\$ 41,229.00	\$ 4,250.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 4,250.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 3

Funding Condition: As a condition of funding, the organization must work with a trustee. Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

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Application: # 4 **FCJ Refugee Centre**
 208 Oakwood Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M6E 2V4

Event Name: Diverse Residents, One Community

Event Location: Wychwood Barns

Event Ward(s): Ward 21 St. Paul's

Group Overview: This organization helps uprooted people overcome the challenges of rebuilding their lives in Canadian society. With an open door approach, the Centre offers an integrated model of refugee protection, settlement services and education, including shelter for women and their children. This organization is located in Ward 17 Davenport.

Project Description: This festival will build on the inaugural event that connected isolated and under-resourced members of LGBTQ+ members with different immigrant statuses with needed services, social connections and information. The festival will be held outside the downtown core to broaden the city's positive space. This event will also be complimented by a community fair where organizations and community members will be able to share information, offer food and include other elements identified by the Advisory Committee. The event will have the added benefits of promoting access to additional services such as health, sexual health, education, language training, and recreation services that are inclusive for LGBTQ+ communities and accessible for different immigration statuses.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): N/A

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
150	\$ 1,000 in-kind support from project partners	260 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		40 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 14,270.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$9,000.00 for final year a 3 year event.

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Application: # 5 **Firgrove Learning & Innovation Community Centre**
432 Horner Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M8W 2B2

Event Name: Experience Black Creek

Event Location: York Woods Public Library

Event Ward(s): Ward 7 York West, Ward 8 York West

Group Overview: This organization serves the educational / learning needs of the Firgrove Crescent Community since 2008. Programs offered include after-school educational programs, community sewing circles, and computer literacy classes. The organization is located in Ward 7 York West.

Project Description: This event will increase awareness of local residents about local retail shopping, dining, attractions and non-profit programs and services. At the same time, the event intends to increase the positive profile of the Black Creek neighbourhoods (Jane & Finch, Jane & Sheppard, Jane & Wilson, Finch & Weston) with non-resident neighbours. Both goals will be achieved by promoting a “shop local” campaign that seeks to promote local commerce while showcasing Jane and Finch and the broader Black Creek as a community worth supporting.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Black Creek

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
300-800	\$ 9,775 of in-kind support from program partners	0 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		35 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 8,000.00	\$ 9,052.50	\$ 8,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$8,000.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: 3rd of 3 eligible grants for this event.

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Application: # 6 **Greenest City Environmental**
 220 Cowan Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M6K 2N6

Event Name: Masaryk Park Harvest Celebration

Event Ward(s): Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park

Group Overview: This organization builds healthy inclusive neighbourhoods through education and empowerment to preserve, protect and improve the environment. This organization is located in Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park.

Project Description: This event will celebrate the diversity of the South Parkdale Community through eating, working, and playing together. This will be a free, fully accessible, multi-generational and inclusive event. The coming together of food and art will be a common theme running through all the activities that will include local growers, a mini market, and culinary, visual artists, musicians and a community choir performance. The event will be a collaboration between Greenest City, Friends of Masaryk Park and Melbourne Parkette, and Making Room Community Arts, three community organizations active in the park.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): South Parkdale

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
500	\$ 1,550 in-kind support from project partners	705 staff hours to be paid through the project budget 400 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 12,000.00	\$ 19,750.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 9,000.00 for one year of funding.

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Application: # 7

Neighbourhood Information Post

269 Gerrard Street East, 2nd floor, Toronto, Ontario M5A 2G3

Event Name: Moss Park Summer Festival

Event Location: Moss Park in front of Toronto Community Housing at 275-295 Shuter Street

Event Ward(s): Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale

Group Overview: This organization helps and empowers marginalized and socially isolated people in their community by ensuring equitable access to quality programs and services; implementing programs that promote and maintain stability in people's lives; and fostering trusting and caring relationships with community members. The organization is located in Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Project Description: This event will build on the organization's program to create a sense of safety and community through the animation of the Moss Park neighbourhood space. Project activities include implementing a ten-week leadership training program for volunteers to enable the peer leaders to design and facilitate activities with residents to build trust. Event goals include bringing residents together, encouraging a sense of pride in their community, and creating a legacy piece that can continue each year. The event, to be held in July will be open to all Moss Park residents, as well as the broader downtown east neighbourhood.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): N/A

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
125	\$ 1,800 in-kind support from project partners	100 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		30 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 9,000.00	\$ 54,000.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$9,000.00.

Project Eligibility Status: 2nd of 3 eligible grants for this event.

Comments: Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

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Application: # 8 **Ontario Pops Orchestra**
2238 Dundas Street West, 59009, Toronto, Ontario M6R 3B5

Event Name: Pops in the Park

Event Ward(s): Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale

Group Overview: The organization's mission is to enrich the lives of the community and to connect to new audiences through the performance of light classical and popular music. This organization is located in Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park.

Project Description: This event is a series of free concerts that will be held at the Daniel's Spectrum Outdoor Area in Regent Park. The event aims to include diverse genres of music, to connect and include residents while showcasing the diversity in the neighbourhood. Project partners include the Regent Park School of Music and Hispanic Canadian Arts and Cultural Association. Event activities will include members of the community as performers in the event, children and youth musical groups and local bands. The second year of activities will be held three parks in the city including in Jamestown, Scarborough and Jane-Finch neighbourhoods.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Regent Park

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
3,000	\$ 3,000 in-kind support from project partners	400 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		50 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 8,000.00	\$ 25,500.00	\$ 7,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 7000 for Year 1 of 2 funding.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 2

Comments: The organization is required to work with a trustee organization. Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

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Application: # 9 **Progress Place**
576 Church Street, Toronto, Ontario M4Y 2E3

Event Name: Weston Mount Dennis Community Festival

Event Ward(s): Ward 11 York South-Weston

Group Overview: This organization is dedicated to improving the lives of people living with mental illness. They offer programs and services which provide opportunities for recovery through friendship, employment, education, housing and recreation. This organization is located in Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Project Description: This festival aims to connect neighbours and families through fun activities, showcase cultural diversity and local talent, and engage residents of the Weston and Mount Dennis communities to share their skills and learn about services provided by local community organizations. Festival activities include: a 'kids zone' featuring a bouncy castle, face-painting, henna, button-making, and other outdoor games and prizes; a 'world bazaar' where local entrepreneurs and artisans can sell cultural food, crafts and wares; a 'teach-in corner' featuring a pop-up bike clinic and community-curated skill-sharing demonstrations of cooking, nail art, hair braiding, etc; and 'centre stage' performances that will spotlight local dancers and musicians, a youth talent show organized by local youth, and a community mural alongside the entertainment. Residents will be able to bid on local art commissioned for the festival by offering their skills and volunteer hours to neighbourhood-based community agencies. The festival will include a free Community BBQ and 4 resource tents will provide information from relevant local community agencies on topics including health/wellness, newcomer support, and services for seniors, children and youth.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Weston

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
550	\$ 2,700 in-kind support from project partners	41 staff hours to be paid through the project budget 60 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 9,999.00	\$ 9,999.00	\$ 8,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 8,500.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 2

Comments: Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

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Application: # 10 **South Asian Women's Rights Organization**
 10 Teesdale Place, 108, Toronto, Ontario M1L 1K9

Event Name: Dentonia Park Community Summer Festival

Event Ward(s): Ward 31 Beaches-East York

Group Overview: The organization was created by a group of immigrant women living in the Oakridge-Crescent Town neighborhood to help alleviate poverty experienced by many people in the community. This organization is located in Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest.

Project Description: This event will see five Bangladeshi-Canadian service organizations collectively deliver two community-led summer festivals. Event activities include culturally diverse entertainment for all ages and multi-ethnic festive foods. Local businesses, micro-enterprises and crafts people will present their goods and services to residents. The event is expected to increase the feeling of inclusion among community residents and to strengthen the capacity of residents and community organizations for collaborative civic action.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Taylor Massey

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
3,000	\$ 1,500 in-kind support from project partners	500 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		120 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 9,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 9,500.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 2

Comments: Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

Application: # 11 **SPUR (Social Partnerships for Urban Renewal)**
 7 Concorde Place, Suite 2007, Toronto, Ontario M3C 3N4

Event Name: Scarborough Summer Fest

Event Location: St. Margaret's Parkette on Lawrence Avenue East

Event Ward(s): Ward 43 Scarborough East

Group Overview: This organization serves as an agent of change and renewal to better the community and its residents by bridging gaps between people and communities, empowering residents and increasing the well-being of the neighborhood and those who live in it. The organization is located in Ward 26 Don Valley West.

Project Description: This summer long festival will be held one day a week over 11 weeks. Activities include connecting neighbours and visitors through eclectic food, diverse music and fun activities; providing a space for community members to showcase their crafts and local vendors to display their wares to attract customers from the community and across the city. Event goals include enhancing community living and connecting the young and old, new-comers and old time residents to foster greater community well-being. Engaging resident volunteers will provide them with skills to organize and manage a self-sustaining community festival.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Kingston Road/Galloway Road/Orton Park Road

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
3,300	\$ 16,945 in-kind support from project partners	90 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		20 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 9,500.00	\$ 11,300.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$9,000.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: 2nd grant of 3 eligible grants for this event.

Comments: Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

Application: # 12 **Sunshine Centres for Seniors**
 117 Bloor Street East, P.O. Box 849 Station F, Toronto

Event Name: Rainbow Bridges Festival

Event Location: Camp Sunshine Centre, The Parsonage, Ward's Island, 60 Lakeshore Avenue

Event Ward(s): 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale

Group Overview: The organization operates social/recreational programs for frail and isolated seniors and persons with disabilities across Toronto, five days per week for sixteen weeks during the summer on Ward's Island. During the remaining months of the year, programs are offered at St. Andrews United Church. This organization is located in Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Project Description: This event will be an inter-generational LGBTQ event for seniors, youth, members of the community and allies, to be held on Ward's Island in June each year. Event goals include providing a LGBTQ seniors and youth-focused event; and increasing sharing and understanding across generations in the LGBTQ community. Event activities will include local and international performers including drag artists, musicians, a BBQ, rainbow cake and decorations, speakers, interactive games such as three-legged races, cotton candy machines, balloon animals, artists drawing caricatures, and jugglers.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): N/A

Population served: LGBTQ seniors, adults and youth from across the city.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
120	\$4,100 of in-kind support from program partners	95 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		25 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 8,000.00	\$ 12,100.00	\$ 8,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$8,000.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: 3rd of 3 eligible grants for this event.

Application: # 13 The Laneway Project
 14 Greyton Crescent, Toronto, Ontario M6E 2G2

Event Name: Laneway Crawl Series 2016

Event Ward(s): Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence, Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 31 Beaches-East York, Ward 32 Beaches-East York

Group Overview: This organization works with communities to improve and activate Toronto's laneways and take advantage of untapped public space, building awareness and ownership of these spaces, encouraging community participation, creating meaningful community relationships. This organization is located in Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence.

Project Description: This festival will scale up an innovative community event successfully piloted in 2015, bringing it to new communities that have identified local laneways that are in need of improvement. Laneway Crawl builds awareness and ownership of these spaces, encourage community participation, creating meaningful community relationships, showcases local business and organizations, and acts as a catalyst for further improvements to a neighbourhood laneways.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): To be determined.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
1500	\$ 9750 in-kind support from project partners	147 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		15 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 9,696.50	\$ 10,096.50	\$ 8,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 8,500.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 1

Comments: The organization is required to work with a trustee organization.

Application: # 14 The Three Sisters' House / Nswo Nshiimenhig Endaayaat
 245 Brenyon Way, Suite #67, Toronto, Ontario M1B 3V8

Event Name: Mother Earth Pow Wow

Event Ward(s): Ward 39 Scarborough-Agincourt

Group Overview: This organization is part of the Cross Cultural Food Access Innovation Hub Project initiated by FoodShare Toronto. Through this project, FoodShare supports The Three Sisters' House in sharing and educating on indigenous food traditions. This organization is located in Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River.

Project Description: This event, the Mother Earth Pow Wow in Chester Le Park, will celebrate the expansion of an Aboriginal community garden plot in Chester Le Park. The event will incorporate traditional, cultural spiritual food values with mainstream western society values and the need to change and create awareness for the Seven Generations. The event will create an opportunity to share traditional knowledge, awareness, and wisdom from Aboriginal ancestors, and empower people to make healthy, sustainable choices when feeding themselves and their communities.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Not applicable.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
400	\$ 5,000 in-kind support from project partners	50 staff hours to be paid through the project budget 20 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 12,500.00	\$ 8,750.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 8,750.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 1

Funding Condition: This organization is required to work with a trustee organization.

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Application: # 15 **Young and Potential Fathers**
 1901 Weston Road, 18, Toronto, Ontario M9N 3P5

Event Name: Weston Father's Day Community Festival

Event Ward(s): Ward 11 York South-Weston

Group Overview: This organization addresses the cycles of disengagement, lack of resources and lack of visible role models for young racialized fathers in Toronto's priority neighbourhoods, with a specific focus on African-Canadians. This organization is located in Ward 11 York South-Weston.

Project Description: This event aims to bring together community members from the Weston and Mount-Dennis neighbourhoods to celebrate and honour fathers, fatherhood and families. The event provides a safe space where community members of diverse ages, backgrounds and cultures can come together and participate in a variety of fun, family-friendly and interactive activities, cultural presentations, showcase local talent, as well as provide residents with connection to family resources in their communities. Event activities include mini parenting workshops, arts and crafts, and performances and presentations from residents.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Mount Dennis, Weston

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
1,400	\$ 3,470 in-kind support from project partners	180 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		40 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 15,039.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 9,000.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 1 of 1

Funding Condition: This organization is required to work with a trustee organization.

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Application: # 16

YouthLink

747 Warden Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, M1L 4A8

Project Name: East Side Pride

Organization Ward(s): Scarborough Centre, Scarborough Southwest, Scarborough East, Scarborough Southwest, Scarborough Centre

Group Overview: This organization offers a variety of services ranging from prevention and early intervention to treatment for young people and their families in Toronto. Current services and programs include counselling, school-based programs, community work, residential services, employment-focussed services, and resources for street youth. The organization is located in Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Birchmount-Eglinton East, Dorset Park, Eglinton East, Kennedy Park, Kingston Galloway Orton Park, Mornelle Court, Scarborough Village, Taylor Massey, Woburn

Other neighbourhoods served: Malvern, Steeles-L'Amoreaux

Project Description: This festival is a collective of East Toronto community service providers who have teamed up to address the lack of LGBTQA+ visibility, celebration and services in East Toronto neighbourhoods. To enhance the experiences of LGBTQA+ individuals, particularly youth, in the east by increasing access to inclusive spaces while establishing a sense of community pride. Activities include spreading these events over pride month and at different venues to allow for more opportunities for community involvement, promotion of LGBTQA+ visibility, and the creation of inclusive spaces. Bringing such events into areas where it has not been common can aid in opening dialogue, building acceptance and inclusivity, and supporting awareness/education around queer/trans*folks' strengths and struggles.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
320	\$ 560 in-kind support from program partners	0 staff hours to be paid through the requested project budget
		10 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 9,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$9,000.00.

Event Grant Eligibility Status: Year 2 of 3

Comments: Funding for the subsequent year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the year, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #1 **Belka Enrichment Centre (Caribbean Global Missions)**
 120 Norfinch Drive, Unit 37 (P.O. Box 21024), Toronto, Ontario M3N 1X3

Project Name: Intergenerational Recreational Project

Project Ward(s): Ward 07 York West, Ward 08 York West, Ward 09 York Centre

Group Overview: This organizations works to help develop academic and social potential of low income youth by working with youth, young adults, parents and teachers in the Jane Finch community. This organization is located in Ward 08 York West.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Glenfield-Jane Heights, Black Creek, Downview Roding-CFB

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Elms-Old Rexdale

Population served: Youth and seniors living in the Jane/Finch neighbourhood.

Project Description: The project aims to provide youth and seniors in the Jane Finch community with inter-generational recreation programs. 75 youth will meet after school to learn life skills, and train in roller derby, baseball and table-tennis. 25 seniors will meet during the day to take part in table-tennis training and playing. Youth and seniors will meet once weekly to take part in recreational activities together. Staff and volunteers will provide workshops, coach sports, and provide transportation to seniors. Tournaments will also be held to invite the larger community. Goals of the project includes opportunities for creating network of supports and mentorship between generations, and learning new physical activity skills in a safe environment for seniors and youth.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
100	\$ 4,000 in-kind support from project partners	1500 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		20 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 35,000.00	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 30,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 30,000.00 for the first year of a two year project.

Comments: Funding for the second and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

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Application: #2

Earth Day Canada

276 Roncesvalles Avenue, Toronto, Ontario M6R 2M2

Project Name: Earth Day's POP UP Adventure Days

Project Ward(s): Ward 26 Don Valley West, Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 12 York South-Weston, Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence, Ward 08 York West, Ward 31 Beaches-East York, Ward 09 York Centre, Ward 32 Beaches-East York, Ward 21 St. Paul's, Ward 38 Scarborough Centre, Ward 18 Davenport, Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest, Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina, Ward 37 Scarborough Centre

Group Overview: This organization collaborates with communities to foster and celebrate environmental respect, action, and behaviour change that lessens our impact on the earth, improving the quality of local environments. This organization is located in Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): York University Heights, Woburn, Beechborough-Greenbrook, Oakridge, Thorncliffe Park, Taylor Massey, Flemingdon Park, Downsview-Roding-CFB, Kennedy Park

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Beaches - East York, Crescent Town, Trinity Spadina and St. Paul's, Davenport

Population served: Children and parents living in Neighbourhood Improvement Areas.

Project Description: This project works to establish outdoor recreational activity as a lifelong practice. The project will implement POP UP Adventure Playgrounds across the city, where children can play with materials such as cardboard sheets, tubes, duct tape, fabric, tires, rope, and other re-purposed scrap, while their parents will have a chance to discuss parenting, play supervision, and local neighbourhood supports. The project will seek to engage parents in discussions around priority parks improvements that will improve the play value of green spaces for children through community consultations. Local agencies will be encouraged to train in "loose parts" play provision.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
4,500	\$ 17,000 in-kind support from project partners	4,842 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		8 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 43,000.00	\$ 101,000.00	\$ 38,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 38,000.00 for 2nd of 3 years funding.

Comments: Funding for the third and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the second year of the project, and available funding.

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Application: # 3 **East Scarborough Storefront-Tides Canada**
4040 Lawrence Ave E, Toronto, Ontario, M1E 2R2

Project Name: KGO Centre of Excellence

Project Ward(s): Ward 43 Scarborough East, Ward 44 Scarborough East

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

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Kingston Road/Galloway Road/Orton Park Road

Other neighbourhoods served: N/A

Population served: Volunteers, staff and organizations running recreational programs in Scarborough.

Project Description: This project will build the capacity of residents and front-line staff living and working in the Kingston Galloway/Orton Park (KGO) community to provide sports and recreational programming. A table of expert partners will collaborate to engage residents in extensive capacity building and mentoring so that they are able to deliver increased sports and recreation programming in the neighbourhood. Additional partners will be brought to the network, including Native Child and Family Services and two resident-led recreational projects. The collaborative will also create a series of Commitment to Community principles for positive recreational programming, and promote these through the KGO Centre of Excellence website, provide best practice tools and capacity building for local groups, and, identify common hiring requirements of major recreation partners and create training opportunities for residents in concert with these requirements.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
200	\$ 29,000 in-kind support from program partners	1,250 hours staff to be paid through the requested project budget
		10 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 36,500.00	\$ 66,500.00	\$ 36,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$36,500.00 for one year.

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Application: #4 **Elsbeth Heyworth Centre for Women (North York)**
 2350 Finch Ave. West, Unit D, Toronto, Ontario M9M 2C7

Project Name: Recreation, Socialization and Art- Expression (RSA)

Project Ward(s): Ward 07 York West, Ward 08 York West, Ward 09 York Centre

Group Overview: This organization works with immigrant and newcomer women, seniors and families through advocacy and services focused on promoting healthy families, community relationships and economic self-sufficiency. This organization is located in Ward 07 York West.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Black Creek

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Not applicable.

Population served: Women who are isolated in their homes in the Black Creek neighbourhood.

Project Description: This project is an expansion to a existing recreation program offered to be offered to women who are homebound, newcomer and immigrant women and girls, seniors, LGBT, Ethno-cultural, racial minorities and women suffering/enduring domestic violence and have language barriers. The program will be geared towards those with the greatest need for recreation. The recreation program will include Yoga, Laughter Yoga, Tai Chi, folk dance (Gidda), arts and craft expression and will be held four times a week.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
50	\$ 26,840 in-kind support from project partners	572 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		10 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 18,723.00	\$ 22,883.00	\$ 16,700.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 16,700.00 for the first year of a two year project.

Comments: Funding for the second and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: # 5 **Everdale - Black Creek Community Farm**
4929 Jane Street, Toronto, Ontario, M3N 2K8

Project Name: Seniors' Gardening and Recreation Program

Organization Ward(s): Ward 08 York West

Group Overview: This organization provides hands-on solution-based food and farming education to build and engage healthy local communities. The organization runs the Black Creek Community Farm, an eight acre community farm that grows fresh organic food for the Jane-Finch community. They conduct community food and farming workshops and train sustainable farmers, community food growers, and local food advocates. The organization is located in 08 York West.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Black Creek

Other neighbourhoods served: Humber Summit, Humbermade, Glenfield-Jane Heights, York University Heights

Population served: Low income seniors

Project Description: This project will offer gardening-based recreational programming for seniors in the Jane-Finch community. The project will help to improve participants' physical and mental well-being by increasing access to green space and healthy food, increasing physical activity and creating an inclusive social environment. Project activities include three eight-week sessions in the spring, summer and fall that includes organic gardening, instructor-led nature trail walks, strength building and mobility exercises, and healthy eating activities. Project outcomes include seniors skills building, creation of garden beds, and harvesting of fruits and vegetables.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
60	\$ 5,700 in-kind support from program partners	396 staff hours to be paid through the requested project budget
		7 volunteer

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$16,308.40	\$ 16,308.40	\$ 16,300.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 16,300.00 for the final year of a two year project.

Comments: As a condition of funding, the applicant must work with a trustee organization.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: # 6 **Local Enhancement and Appreciation Forests (LEAF)**
601 Christie Street, Suite 253, Toronto, Ontario, M6G 4C7

Project Name: Youth Urban Forest Leaders

Project Ward(s): Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 32 Beaches-East York, Ward 34 Don Valley East (to be confirmed)

Group Overview: This organization is dedicated to the protection and improvement of the urban forest. This organization engages citizens in urban forest stewardship through planting, education and training. The organization is located in Ward 21 St. Paul's.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Victoria Village, Regent Park (to be confirmed)

Other neighbourhoods served: N/A

Population served: Underemployed and low-income young women

Project Description: This project will train underemployed/low-income young women to become Community Urban Forest Leaders who will engage their neighbourhoods in urban forest activities. Project activities include formal arboriculture training followed by project-specific workshops. Leaders will animate a publicly accessible space in the community through the creation of a site inventory of existing trees, a planting and maintenance plan, and will coordinate and deliver a mulching and tree tour event. Project outcomes include engaging and building the capacity of the local community, increasing the employability of young women through hands-on training and increasing the number of people who participate in environmental activities in their communities.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
1,800	\$ 6,300 in-kind support from program partners	820 staff hours to be paid through the requested project budget
		60 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$37,500.00	\$51,860.00	\$34,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$34,500.00 for the 2nd year of a 3 year project.

Comments: Funding for the third and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the second year of the project, and available funding.

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Application: # 7 **Malvern Family Resource Centre**
90 Littles Road, Toronto, ON M1B 5E2

Project Name: 42 Rides

Project Ward(s): Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River

Group Overview: This 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 programs, housing, youth development and recreation, parenting supports, women’s programs, seniors programs, legal supports and tax clinics. The organization is located in Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Not applicable.

Other neighbourhoods served: Malvern, Rouge, Steeles-L'Amoreaux, Mornelle Court, Woburn, and Agincourt

Population served: Children and youth

Project Description: This project works to increase cycling and BMX as a recreational opportunity for youth and the wider community in the Malvern neighbourhood. The project works to build leadership skills among local youth to lead a seasonal BMX park in one of Malvern’s ice rinks. The project will also build the technical skills of youth allowing them to learn cycle repair as well as other employment related skills. Activities include a community bike repair clinic, recreation and leadership training, First AID/CPR training, BMX Canada – Instructor Level 1, beginner and intermediate ‘Learn to BMX’ Clinics, as well as cycle repair workshops.

Number of Expected Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
500	\$ 17,350 in-kind support from program partners	1,300 staff hours to be paid through the requested project budget
		60 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 43,000.00	\$ 43,000.00	\$ 43,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$43,000.00 for the 2nd year of a three-year project.

Comments: Funding for the third and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the second year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #8 **Native Child and Family Services of Toronto**
30 College Street, Toronto, Ontario M5G 1K2

Project Name: Physical Literacy Strategy for Native Families Through the Life Cycle

Project Ward(s): Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 43 Scarborough East, Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina

Group Overview: The organization serves members of the Native communities across Toronto. Services include case management for families at risk of losing their children, foster care, 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. This organization is located in Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Kingston Road/Galloway Road/Orton Park Road

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Not applicable.

Population served: Aboriginal children, youth, adults and seniors.

Project Description: The project works in partnership with University of Toronto, York University, and community partners on a two-year pilot project to develop a Physical Literacy Strategy for Toronto Native families. The project will also deliver a recreation program designed to help Aboriginal children, youth, adults, and seniors increase their access to recreation programs and make physical activity part of their daily lives. The project will work with 80 Aboriginal children, youth, adults and seniors to conduct a community-led needs assessment. This assessment will inform the development of a holistic, culture-based Physical Literacy Strategy for Native families specific to each age/stage of development. The project will share the findings and provide training to staff and community members and deliver an eight-week pilot recreation program for up to 60 Aboriginal children, youth, adults and seniors.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
80	\$ 24,000 in-kind support from project partners	1,400 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		5 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 41,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 41,000.00 for the first year of a two year project.

Comments: Funding for the second and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #9

New Canadian Community Centre

2760 Victoria Park Ave, 215, Toronto, Ontario M2J 4A8

Project Name: Family Olympic

Project Ward(s): Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest, Ward 39 Scarborough-Agincourt, Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest, Ward 40 Scarborough-Agincourt, Ward 37 Scarborough Centre, Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River

Group Overview: The organization serves people of all ages in the Mandarin speaking Chinese community in Toronto with a focus on Scarborough. Services include settlement services, language and cultural classes for children and adults, information and referral, seniors services, after-school programs and advocacy. This organization is located in Ward 33 Don Valley East.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Scarborough Village

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Not applicable.

Population served: Children and seniors living in Scarborough.

Project Description: The project works to organize 24 bi-weekly, two hour family Olympic exercises. The project works to bring the three generations together to have fun while improving their social skills and health conditions. Project goals include reducing senior isolation, relieving stress, and improving children's social ability and health condition through recreation. Activities include team competition, exercise, training and intergenerational activities.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
3,500	\$ 0 in-kind support from project partners	420 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		60 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 35,000.00	\$ 43,000.00	\$ 30,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 30,000.00 for one year.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #10 **Ogaden Somali Community Association of Ontario**
 1575 Lawrence Avenue West, 203, Toronto, Ontario M6L 1C3

Project Name: Girls ONLY Weekly Soccer Programming

Project Ward(s): Ward 02 Etobicoke North, Ward 03 Etobicoke Centre, Ward 04 Etobicoke Centre, Ward 01 Etobicoke North

Group Overview: The organization promotes and advances the social well-being, health and the welfare of the of the Somali Community by providing community and settlement services, such as ESL training, computer training, interpretation and translation services, after-school tutoring, as well as support for youth and elders. The organization is located in Ward 12 York South-Weston.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Kingsview Village-The Westway

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served:

Population served: Somali girls

Project Description: This project aims to increase the participation of girls and women playing and coaching soccer, specifically those who are not comfortable participating in co-ed soccer leagues because of their cultural backgrounds and traditions. Project activities include selecting and training 10 women through the Toronto Soccer Association's coaching program, organizing and running indoor and outdoor girls' only (6-15 years old) weekly soccer programs lead by trained women soccer coaches, providing participants with the opportunity to play in summer soccer tournaments, and inviting guest speakers once a month to discuss topics such as nutrition and self-esteem with the project participants. Project goals include developing and enhancing the physical fitness levels of female participants, increasing access for women to develop coaching skills, encouraging girls to learn and play sports, and developing a sustainability plan so the girls' soccer programming can continue after the two year project concludes.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
100	\$ 9,350 in-kind support from project partners	192 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		31 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 31,622.00	\$ 38,622.00	\$ 30,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 30,000.00 for the first year of a two year project.

Comments: Funding for the second and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: # 11 **Rexdale Women's Centre**
 925 Albion Road, Toronto, Ontario, M9V 1A6

Project Name: Our Place, Our Space

Project Ward(s): Ward 01 Etobicoke North

Group Overview: This organization supports immigrant, newcomer and refugee women and their families members to become fully participating members. The organization provides settlement services, English language classes, violence prevention services, children's services, family support services, and post settlement services, among others. The organization is located in Ward 01 Etobicoke North.

Neighbourhood Improvement Areas: Mount Olive-Silverstone-Jamestown

Population served: Ethno-cultural seniors and youth

Project Description: This project will enable ethno-cultural seniors and youth to engage in physical, creative and recreational activities during the year. Seniors and youth, through elected representatives and leaders, will develop programs and activities that will build leadership, and community-resident engagement opportunities relevant to their respective groups. Project activities include planning and participating in dance, singing/rapping, poetry, theatre, arts and craft, yoga, dance, power walking, basketball, and soccer.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
350	\$ 0 in-kind support from program partners	365 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		15 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 36,500.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 36,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$36,500.00 for the second year of a three year project.

Comments: Funding for the third and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the second year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: # 12 **Riverdale Immigrant Women's Centre**
1326 Gerrard Street East, Toronto, ON M4L 1Z1

Project Name: Women in the Garden

Project Ward(s): Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 32 Beaches-East York

Group Overview: This organization is committed to supporting Asian and South Asian women and their families in taking greater control of their lives. The group provides culturally appropriate and linguistically specific settlement support and counseling services with the use of community determined strategies, developed and delivered by immigrant women. The organization is located in Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): N/A

Other neighbourhoods served: Riverdale

Population served: Immigrant and refugee women

Project Description: This project will increase access to gardening for marginalized immigrant and refugee women to support their social and physical development. Through culturally relevant, anti-poverty, and age-appropriate approaches, this project aims to remove barriers to participation in gardening. Project activities include knowledge and skills building in gardening and engagement in independent low-impact exercise, capacity building around cooking, health, and food security, along with the opportunity to be involved in the creation of three new gardens to increase access to plots and sustainably engage in gardening post-project.

Number of Expected Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
12-15	\$16,980.00 in-kind support from program partners	1,560 staff hours to be paid through the requested project budget
		5 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$35,000.00	\$36,671.00	\$35,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$35,000.00 for the final year of a 3 year project.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #13 **Scarborough Basketball Association**
 2343 Brimley Road, Suite 717, Toronto, Ontario M1S 3L6

Project Name: SBA Women’s Leadership Program

Project Ward(s): Ward 43 Scarborough East, Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest

Group Overview: This organization aims to improve the health of residents in the Scarborough community by providing opportunities for children and youth aged 4 to 19 to develop and build educational, athletic and life skills to foster the development of well rounded student-athletes. Children and youth learn to play basketball from qualified coaches and learn to compete in a supportive environment. The organization is located in Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Kennedy Park

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Not applicable

Population served: Young women

Project Description: This project will identify, recruit, train, and support young women to become skilled youth basketball coaches and community leaders in designated Neighbourhood Improvement Areas. Project activities include recruiting twenty women between the ages of 16 to 24, and providing them with free training, certification, mentoring, and personal development opportunities. Participating women will then use their skills to coach existing and new Scarborough Basketball Association girls basketball teams located in Neighbourhood Improvement Areas. Project goals include increasing the number of trained female coaches involved in recreational basketball in Toronto by decreasing barriers to certification; increasing the number of girls enrolled in recreational basketball leagues in the Scarborough area; and enhancing the calibre of programming currently being delivered to female participants.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
20	\$ 0 in-kind support from project partners	430 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		20 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 29,320.00	\$ 37,320.00	\$ 25,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 25,000.00 for one year.

Comments: As a condition of funding, the applicant must work with a trustee organization.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #14 **Women's Health in Women's Hands CHC**
 2 Carlton Street, Suite 500, Toronto, Ontario M5B 1J3

Project Name: Mind and Body Movement (MBM) Program

Project Ward(s): Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth, Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale

Group Overview: The organization works to provide primary healthcare to racialized women from the African, Black, Caribbean, Latin American and South Asian communities in Toronto and surrounding municipalities. This organization is located in Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Thorncliffe Park, Regent Park

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Not applicable.

Population served: Women living in poverty.

Project Description: The project works in partnership with the Central Neighbourhood House and the Newcomer Women Services to offer the 'Mind and Body Movement program (MBM)' that provides participants physical activity classes which include yoga, zumba and tai chi. These classes will serve over 800 hard to reach participants over two years. The project works to improve mental health, physical health, reduce social isolation and create a sense of belonging amongst participants.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
400	\$ 13,700 in-kind support from project partners	0 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		6 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 37,620.00	\$ 37,620.00	\$ 34,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 34,000.00 for the first year of two year project.

Comments: Funding for the second and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: #15 **York-Fairbank Centre for Seniors**
2213 Dufferin Street, Toronto, Ontario M6E 3S2

Project Name: Generations Unite Through Fitness

Project Ward(s): Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence, Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence, Ward 17 Davenport, Ward 21 St. Paul's, Ward 18 Davenport, Ward 22 St. Paul's

Group Overview: The organization provides social recreation and community support programs for seniors 55 plus and people with disabilities in York. This organization is located in Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Keeleisdale-Eglinton West, Black Creek

Other Neighbourhood(s) Served: Not applicable.

Population served: Newcomer children, youth and seniors.

Project Description: The project works to increase and enhance intergenerational relationships between various ethno-specific communities through recreational programming and activities. The project will involve school aged children, at-risk youth, low income families, disabled adults and isolated seniors of the community. The project works to give school aged children and youth a better understanding of the attributes and vigor of the senior population. It will also give seniors an insight into issues and concerns affecting youth and children. Activities include yoga, heart health fitness, bocce, gardening and nutri-fit programs to more than 550 community members through participation, volunteering, outreach and community involvement. A steering committee composed of members from different partner agencies will be set up to plan and engage community members in the process.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
550	\$ 23,000 in-kind support from project partners	1,820 staff hours to be paid through the project budget
		30 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 33,000.00	\$ 58,000.00	\$ 25,500.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$ 25,500.00 for the first year of two year project.

Comments: Funding for the second and final year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Funding

Application: # 16 **YouthLink**
747 Warden Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, M1L 4A8

Project Name: Around the World Cooking

Organization Ward(s): Scarborough Centre, Scarborough Southwest, Scarborough East, Scarborough Southwest, Scarborough Centre

Group Overview: This organization offers a variety of services ranging from prevention and early intervention to treatment for young people and their families in Toronto. Current services and programs include counselling, school-based programs, community work, residential services, employment-focussed services, and resources for street youth. The organization is located in Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest.

Neighbourhood Improvement Area(s): Oakridge, Scarborough Village, Eglinton East, Steeles-L'Amoreaux

Other neighbourhoods served: N/A

Population served: Youth with intellectual disabilities

Project Description: This project aims to develop the social and recreational skills of youth with intellectual disabilities through cooking. Project activities for the first year of this three year project includes transitional-aged youth, between 18 and 21, will attend a weekly class for 10 weeks and youth will learn how to read a recipe, prepare basic meals; make a list and navigate a grocery store. They will play an active part in preparing foods from different cultures. This project will help to provide participants with the opportunity to learn basic food preparation skills as they move towards independent or semi-independent living.

Number of Participants	In-kind Support	Staff and Volunteers
88	\$ 3,200 in-kind support from program partners	336 staff hours to be paid through the requested project budget
		3 volunteers

Requested Grant Amount	Total Project Budget	Funding Recommendation
\$ 20,193.00	\$ 20,193.00	\$ 18,000.00

Funding Recommendation: This application is recommended for funding in the amount of \$18,000.00 for the first year of a three year project.

Comments: Funding for the second year is contingent on the submission of a report, outcomes achieved during the first year of the project, and available funding.

2016 Community Festivals – Projects Recommended for Funding

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
1. African Canadian Muslim Network	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	Not provided.	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival is to be held in Regent Park. The project works to benefit and encourage the residents in Regent Park to have fun, connect with each other, contribute to a community's strength and learn about the overall impact of various values in the society.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
2. Aga Khan Museum	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project works to organize emerging and local musicians to perform in and animate the Aga Khan Museum's galleries, courtyard, gardens and atrium in summer 2016 three times daily for a total of 13 weekends in 2016. A mini-festival will also take place in the Park on one weekend during each of these months. This will encourage meeting and greeting, gathering, and conversation resulting in improving accessibility for audiences who cannot access paid performances.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated project objectives.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
3. Agincourt Community Services Association	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This two-part festival aims to bring different cultures together to help build awareness of opportunities for community-based civic engagement. The events will be held at the Dorset Park Community Hub and L'Amoreaux Recreation Centre and will include activities such as a talent show, a community civic market/learning fair and a celebration ceremony. Each event will create a festive and fun atmosphere in which individuals and groups can showcase their civic engagement work. Local residents will be engaged through offering small pockets of resources that they can use towards designing and implementing various components of the events. The event hopes to engage those populations most marginalized including newcomers and youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
4. Alliance of Portuguese Clubs & Associations of Ontario	No Ward Selected	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to celebrate Canadian/Portuguese culture with a Portugal Day Parade and street festival in Toronto on June 11-12, 2016. Tourists and community members participate and enjoy Canadian/Portuguese heritage and cultural events. Activities include a 4-kilometer parade route of over 500 floats, dancers, marching bands and entertainers and a major concert venue at Lamport Stadium in the evening.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
5. Applegrove Community Complex	Ward 32 Beaches-East York	\$ 5062.22	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to engage East End residents to explore the businesses, parks and sites of interest while undertaking physical, creative and intellectual quests, learning about the area history, and interacting with community members such as community services and shop owners. The project also works to develop new partnerships with local businesses and non-profits while helping them publicize their services.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
6. Batuki Music Society	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 12050	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project will take place at the Harbourfront Centre at the newly revised waterfront neighbourhood and works to bring diverse African communities together to showcase their artistic and cultural heritages, along with providing support and visibility for their artists and members. Activities include presentations of traditional and contemporary music, dance, film, visual arts featuring emerging and established artists, youth focused workshops, games and activities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
7. Better Living Health and Community Services (E. P. Taylor Place)	Ward 25 Don Valley West	\$ 5000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to host a “Harmony of Community” special event where seniors in both Flemingdon Park and Don Mills can visit the neighbouring centre and participate in free social recreation programs. Seniors will participate in fitness, culturally specific programming and learn about volunteer and community engagement opportunities in both communities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
8. Birchmount Community Action Council	Ward 11 York South-Weston	\$ 12430	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The Lonview Festival will encourage residents to increase civic action within our community while bringing residents together to experience the vitality of neighborhood engagement. We will have local talents such as musicians, and performers; to encourage residents to have fun and participate in activities. This event will showcase the many cultures of Lonview through the sharing of food, dance and music. We will work with our community partners to engage and train residents to run the festival, including certification in food handling. Local vendors and non-profit groups will be featured in a market place where residents can learn about services and taste the wonderful flavours that Lonview has to offer. This festival will aim to promote local vitality in our community by incorporating local talents, businesses and services.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
9. CANORAA INC	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to have the first Poetry Festival in the Francophone Immigrant Community. The Canora Poetry Festival (CaPoFe) will attract many Torontonians residents, as the CaPoFe will take place downtown Toronto with poetry readings, workshops, play and music.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The organization did not submit their workplan. This application is not recommended for funding. There was not enough information provided to assess the project impact as the application was incomplete.</p>			

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10. CaribbeanTales	Not provided.	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to provide a platform for Caribbean story-tellers and film-makers to communicate with the community. The project will work with various partners to focus on topics including Islamophobia, Black Lives Matter, LGBT Culture, and Mental Health in the Black Community to fill a voice in discussion within the community; in its effort in maximizing community engagement in those issues.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The festival has been in place for over 10 years. This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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11. Casa Canadiense - Pueblito Canada	Not provided.	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to showcase diverse Latin American histories, cultures, and heritages through a month long exhibit of original historical Latin American posters from the 1980s and an opening night gala that will bring people together to view the exhibit and enjoy Latin American food, culture, and music. A toolkit for inclusive educational programming will also be developed for teachers to use based on the materials from the exhibit.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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12. Centre for Community Learning and Development (formerly East End Literacy)	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 9000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to host a competitive food competition which is a collaboration between Centre for Community Learning and Development, Toronto Public Health and the Paint Box Bistro Kitchen. The project works to give graduates of Toronto Public Health's Community Food Works Initiative an opportunity to showcase their skills and practice preparing healthy multicultural dishes. It also serves as a way for community members from different neighbourhoods to come together.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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13. Cinéfranco	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to showcase Francophone films rarely seen or not distributed in Toronto cinemas. This project provides an essential platform to foster the appreciation of Francophone films, gives an opportunity for Francophone film lovers to experience the films on a big screen, and for filmmakers to meet their audience. The films touch on social and cultural topics such as diversity, immigration, identity in a new country and acceptance of religious and racial differences.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The festival has been in place for over 10 years. This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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14. Community Folk Art Council of toronto	Not provided.	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to showcase Canada's rich diversity through a Canada Day celebration that will feature multicultural folkdance, arts and crafts, different cultural foods and traditions. This festival has been held annually for the past 9 years at Yonge-Dundas Square and will highlight the traditions of at least 20 different cultural groups.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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15. Corso Italia BIA	Not provided.	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to attract other Italians who no longer live in the area or those who live in other parts of the province to come out and enjoy all that Corso Italia Festival has to offer. Activities include film showing in the evening, face painters, balloon makers, photo booth, music and events featuring the kids from the local community centre during daytime.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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16. Dallington Pollinators Community Garden	Ward 33 Don Valley East	\$ 7000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will highlight the importance of insect pollinators and their role, by inviting groups to display information and a performance. Participants are invited to take part in hands-on workshops about habitat building and native plants, learn about the diversity and local history of the neighborhood, and initiatives being undertaken towards ecological restoration. Local artists will get a chance to highlight their wares and food vendors will be invited at the event</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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17. Danforth Mosaic BIA	Ward 32 Beaches-East York	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a weekly music series running every Wednesday in July at East Lynn Park with activities and entertainment for the entire family. There were intermission performances by local community organizations as well as activities and attractions for both children and adult. The project works to bring local residents of all ages together to get to know each other and encourages attendees to engage with and support local businesses.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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18. Dia de los Muertos Collective	Ward 21 St. Paul's	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event, organized by the Mexican Community, is a celebration and an ancestral tradition where the community can make new connections, where artists can network, and is a place to experience a grassroots cultural festivity. Event activities include cultural and traditional artistic aspects that are expressed through dance, installations, performance, theatre, spoken word, crafts, photography, sculptures, visual arts, music and gastronomy.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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19. Doorsteps Neighbourhood Services	Ward 07 York West	\$ 9989.46	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works as part of the Canada Day 2016 and will bring together community members who represent a wide variety of cultural and ethnic backgrounds. The project provides participants an opportunity to celebrate and share each other's culture, music, art, dance, food and stories. It also provides children to have fun and play in the carnival-style games and amusement features.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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20. Dundas Roncesvalles Peace Garden Group	Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park	\$ 14518	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to organize a festive opening for the Dundas Roncesvalles Garden. A commemorative plaque will be unveiled and contributions from the community partners will be recognized and encouraged to continue engaging in this public interest / communities enhancement project.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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21. East End Arts	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will be a free public showcase of arts and culture in the east end of Toronto. Loosely modeled after the Cultura Festival, this event will feature high-quality performers, a range of cultural influences and a family-friendly atmosphere. Event activities include visual displays, music, spoken word, dance, interactive workshops and food.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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22. East Scarborough Storefront-Tides	Ward 43 Scarborough East	\$ 8778	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to showcase different cultures to celebrate water, reflecting the cultural diversity of the neighbourhood, encouraging the use and stewardship of green space and water ways in East Scarborough and bringing positive attention to the area. The festival will be targeted at families and will include music, food, and fun activities for people of all ages. The event will be held mainly at the East Scarborough Storefront, with walks and activities also being held at Morningside Park in small groups.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
23. Elspeth Heyworth Centre for Women (North York)	Ward 07 York West	\$ 5760	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to hold an annual United Women event in the Black Creek Neighbourhood 24. Women who have faced domestic violence or abuse in the past and have taken the courage to break away from it will showcase their progress and achievements in the community. The event will inspire other women to break away from the cycle of violence and to lead a life as contributing citizens of the society. Entertainment programs of diverse cultures will be organized and staged to showcase the diversity amongst women living together in the same community.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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24. Everdale - Black Creek Community Farm		\$ 8550	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to celebrate food in the Jane/Finch and Black Creek Community, by showcasing culturally diverse local food vendors, meet-and-greets with local farmers, and tastings and vending of freshly picked organic produce grown on the farm. The event will include free educational food related workshops, a children's scavenger tour of the farm, and arts and crafts stations.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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25. Evergreen	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$ 12200	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to have a fun citizen-driven festival of civic engagement that demonstrates the capacity all Torontonians have to create a better city, collectively. The project works to empower citizens to lead and participate in 100 'urban interventions' - a small and/or complex act that aims to create momentary or permanent change, thereby unleashing the potential of the city and improving quality of life for its citizens. Activities include pre-event workshops, networking opportunities and event day festival space and supports.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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26. Flemington Urban Fair Committee	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will take place in Flemington Park in order to support opportunities for the community to gather together. This event provides an opportunity for cultural groups to connect, share their stories, share in music and food, and for social enterprises to showcase their goods.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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27. Fondation Sylvénie Lindor & Centre Multiculturalisme Jean Marcelin Fontaine Inc	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The event is an annual cultural exchange and dialogue between Youth of 16 from Francophones communities and the general public of Etobicoke. The project works to create integration and social cohesion of visible minority groups. This project will help Canadian artists, singers, performers and sculptors put forward their arts to create attraction for Cultural exchange. Activities include exposition, workshops, seminars, gastronomy and music band.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			
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28. Franklin Horner Community Centre	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event is being held to celebrate Franklin Horner Community Centre`s 30th anniversary as well as to showcase our newly renovated, accessible facility to the community. The event will be held at our facility at 432 Horner Ave. in Etobicoke. The event is open to all members of the City of Toronto with particular focus on the Etobicoke Lakeshore community. As we plan to make this a community event, people of all ages and ethno-cultural backgrounds are welcome to join in the celebration.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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29. Frontline Community Services	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: Scarborough Civic Festival is a festival being celebrated in the spirit of Canada's Civic Holiday. The festival is to be held mainly to welcome newcomers, immigrants and refugees to Canada. FCS therefore invites all of the community to come celebrate this day together, in order to remember the core aspects of Canadian Immigration.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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30. Geneva Centre for Autism Foundation	Ward 22 St. Paul's	\$ 8193	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will provide families an opportunity to have a fun evening out where their children with special needs are welcomed and accepted. Youth and adults with autism will practice and showcase their skills. The funding will help to revamp and strengthen the event to make it more of a community event rather than an event with just for clients. This event is held at June Rowlands Park.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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31. GHANAFEST	Not provided.	\$ 4720	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to bring Toronto's multicultural community together by showcasing the rich culture and heritage of the Ghanaian Canadian community. Event activities include various traditional foods, cultural showcases, dance performances, and local artists within the GTA and other parts of Canada.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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32. Go Green Cricket & Sports Field	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 76525.25	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will celebrate Canada's first cricket field with night-time lighting and Canada's first outdoor field illuminated with LED's. Because of the lights installation, a new night-time summer youth league will be launched and will celebrate during Ramadan on Canada Day with a cricket match between its youth coaching team and the Toronto Police Cricket Club. The Celebration is designed as a Ramadan and Canada Day celebration, to generate community pride and showcase programs.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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33. Greek Community of Toronto	Not provided.	\$ 9110	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project poposes to support the OXI Day Parade represents a significant moment for Greece during the second World War, where the country decided not to accept Mussolini's fascist occupation. It is an opportunity for our community to celebrate its independence, democracy and freedom from oppression.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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34. Groupe Artisanape Feminion Francophone de l'ontario	Ward 37 Scarborough Centre	\$ 12000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will be held in L'Amoreaux North Park on Canada Day inviting African francophone families. The festival aims to bring people together to celebrate Canada Day while allow African francophone residents to demonstrate their unique clothes and culture and enjoy diversified African performance and activities. Other participants will be exposed to traditional African celebration activities and music and dancing with African and Canadian elements.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated project objectives.</p>			

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35. Heritage Skills Development Center	Ward 44 Scarborough East	\$ 9850	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a 2-day weekend festival that aims to bridge social, cultural and economic differences through the sharing of arts, music, dance and cuisine. The festival aims to showcase, promote and celebrate the diversity of the Afro-Caribbean culture and heritage.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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36. Highland Creek Heritage Festival	Ward 44 Scarborough East	\$ 2000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to increase publicity by reinstating hanging of street banners which was done historically but cost of permit has become prohibitive. Community festival will be open to the public, held in Highland Creek Village (Old Kingston Road, Scarborough) and will include parade, craft market, kids' zone, live local musical entertainment stage.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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37. Homeless Connect Toronto	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 9000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This group will collaborate with community agencies and businesses to bring together over 50 essential resources and supports under one roof, on one day, for those at risk of or experiencing homelessness in Toronto. These services include: haircuts, foot care, eye examinations, legal help, an ID clinic, prenatal supports, harm reduction kits, resume writing, applications for social housing, hot catered lunch and takeaway comfort/toiletry kits.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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38. Jane Alliance Neighbourhood Services	Ward 11 York South-Weston	\$ 9132	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to celebrate the Iranian New year and build community pride by showcasing Persian cultural heritage and achievements and encouraging community members to connect with each other. Festival activities include cultural dance and music performances, face painting, henna drawing, and sharing of traditional foods.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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39. Jane and Finch Unity	Ward 07 York West	\$ 25000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The event is the 1st Annual Jane-Finch Unity Street Festival. This initiative is to decrease gun violence and enhance community engagement with different ethnic backgrounds to celebrate their countries origin through unity on Canada Day. The street festival will be launched on July 1, 2015 to collectively celebrate the diversity of Canadians.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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40. Jane/Finch Community and Family Centre	Ward 08 York West	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The event, Freedom Fridayz, will provide a platform for youth, elders, children, parents, artists, local entrepreneurs, educators, and leaders to organically build a space that is hospitable to friendship, learning, partnership and fun. Freedom Fridayz will build excitement and a sense of inclusiveness.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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41. Jarvis Street Baptist Church	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 4000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event is a one-week evening Bible recreation camp to be held from July 11th - July 15th, 2016, from 6:00pm to 8:30pm each day. It is designed for children from ages 3 to 12 years old. The goal of this program is to provide a safe environment for children in the community to learn and have fun in the summer time.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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42. Jayu Festival Inc		\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event is an annual film festival that takes place during International Human Rights month at the Bloor Hot Docs Cinema. The festival aims to provide a platform for those connected to human rights issues to have a voice and share their stories.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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43. KINRON COMMUNITY EVENT PLANNING SERVICES INC O/A: Kinron Associates Event Services Management	Ward 38 Scarborough Centre	\$ 58900	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to celebrate multiculturalism in Scarborough by bring residents and local community organizations together.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. There was not enough information provided in the application to assess the impact of the proposed festival(s).</p>			

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44. Kumasi Asafo Charitable Foundation	Ward 43 Scarborough East	\$ 3410	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The cultural event, "Ghana on Parade" will provide an opportunity for the Ghanaian Canadian community to strengthen its sense of identity and distinctiveness and capacity to express its own culture and enhance its cultural heritage in multicultural Toronto.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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45. Lakeshore Area Multi-Service Project (LAMP)	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 12350	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This community event will be co-planned by Youth and staff from 2 Youth Drop-Ins. It will leverage awareness of Black History Month to showcase the talents and leadership of Youth as community builders using cultural expression and pride in one's heritage as a vehicle to dispel negative stereotypes of urban youth of colour. It will promote sharing of diverse heritage through music, education, food and entertainment and a guest appearance from someone identified with black culture.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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46. Lakeshore Village Action Group	Not provided.	\$ 10050	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to build on the success of the Pan Am Festivals series run last summer which was very popular in engaging local area residents. The event will run two festivals, at the beginning and end of summer in Lakeshore Village Park in South Etobicoke, and activities will include fitness and games, music and entertainment, and food demonstrations and vending. Festival goals include showcasing the diverse local community, encouraging residents to meet and celebrate together, increase volunteer activities for youth, and increase connections between non-profit groups and local businesses.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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47. Lakeshore Village BIA	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The event, Grilled Cheese Challenge, will see local businesses and invited competitors compete against each other to make the city's best grilled cheese sandwich. The event is culturally, religiously, and socioeconomically diverse and inclusive; it will be held in the heart of New Toronto at the intersection of Lake Shore Blvd and Islington Avenue, will be attended not only by area residents, but will also attract attendees from outside of the neighborhood.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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48. Learning is For Everyone Foundation	Not provided.	\$ 8350	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival is designed to offer families in low-income neighborhoods the opportunity to enjoy good entertainment and food. The event will feature top rated artists, over 40 live music and dance performances and DJs.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. There was not enough information provided to assess the organization. The application was incomplete.</p>			

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49. Long Branch BIA	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 7000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The Long Branch BIA wants to expand the festival to include more activities and venues in Long Branch. The festival will include events with the merchants on Lake Shore Blvd; Historical education about Long Branch and some relevant speakers.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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50. MABELLEarts	Ward 05 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 33000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The festival, Iftar Nights, will bring people together across diverse cultures, to mark and celebrate the month of Ramadan. The festival has been designed to promote social integration and reduce tensions related to real and perceived differences between Muslims and Non-Muslims. Iftar Nights will include activities such as community meals; art making workshops facilitated by professional artists from a range of disciplines, outdoor cooking, campfires and culturally specific performances.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding</p>			

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51. Millennium Support & Care Group	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 8600	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The event, Multicultural Latin Music Festival, at The Galleria Shopping Center will promote and embrace of the communities Latin roots and culture, while showcasing some of the area's best Latin music and performance. The event will be two days in length with performances from Portuguese, Brazilian, and Mexican groups.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated project objectives.</p>			

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52. Moksha Canada Foundation	Not provided.	\$ 45000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event is an arts and cultural festival that combines new and emerging artists, cultural groups and talented youth from the African, Asian, and Caribbean communities in the Toronto Area, all performing on one stage at Woodbine Park. Performances include traditional and contemporary arts and cultural performances, music, singing, drumming, dancing, storytelling, and ethnic food.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
53. Mount Dennis Community Association	Ward 11 York South-Weston	\$ 8480	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This community festival will be held in Eglinton Flats for the residents of Mount Dennis community. It will be a sporting event, a fishing competition, and a soccer game. The groups aims to engage local restaurants, essentially independent and featuring ethnic menus, and introduce their foods to the wider community, at an affordable price to both by subsidizing their costs for participants.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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54. Mural Routes	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: Chalk Expressions is a community arts festival featuring chalk art drawing, storytelling and interactive community art activation combined with Canada Day celebrations that will take place at Birchmount Park. Event activities include the creation of chalk art murals by professional artists, artists on site to guide, demonstrate and encourage people of all ages and skill levels to participate, a community arts activation area that will include drawing, painting, chalk colouring, stencilling, crafts, face painting, birch bark craft, and performers who will animate the festival grounds.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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55. Native Child and Family Services of Toronto	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is an Annual Fall Round Dance is a community celebration of sharing, learning, friendship, and food. Hosted at the Evergreen Brickworks, the Round Dance gives over 350 people the opportunity to reconnect with old friends, and meet new ones, and to enjoy a celebratory evening of song and dance.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
56. New Canadian Community Centre	Ward 33 Don Valley East	\$ 17000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project plan to host a group dancing Festival program. During the Festival, there will be four programs: group dance showcases (at least 10 teams from different culture and different age groups), group dance practice (engage audiences), Chinese opera facial make-up and dance costume gallery where participants can try on and take photos with various dancing costumes including traditional Chinese Opera costumes.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
57. Nia Centre for the Arts	Ward 33 Don Valley East	\$ 8800	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to explore and celebrate black music across the African diaspora and will build off of last year's experience. The festival activities will take place in three different locations in Toronto including Oakwood Village, and will include live concerts, in-studio learning sessions, panel discussions, free sonic walking tours and a visual arts exhibition.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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58. North York Womens Centre	Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 9153	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to connect women with local opportunities, role models, resources, success stories, inspiration and advice that will help them recognize their entrepreneurial talents, and showcase, promote women-led enterand initiatives in Mount Dennis. The Festival will bring these groups together, connecting women with opportunities, advice and success stories while promoting local enterprises. Held on International Women's Day, it celebrates women's achievements and promotes entrepreneurship as a means of gaining economic independence, a critical component of women's empowerment locally and internationally. Activities include a marketplace to sell products and showcase enterprises, childminding, free entrepreneurial coaching and group activities to help women discover their entrepreneurial talents</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
59. Nuit Rose	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 7500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a free annual festival of queer-focused art and performance celebrating a diversity of local artists, both established and emerging. The aim is to engage LGBTQ communities, art lovers, residents and visitors across Toronto. Now in it's third year Nuit Rose has successfully presented over 91 artists work in over 20 venues across the city. Primarily held in two hubs; west queen west centered around Artscape Youngplace and Church and Wellesley area in and around the 519. Our efforts to include as many sectors of the LGBTQ community showcase a unique collection of diverse voices. The event provides a shuttlebus service between these two neighbourhoods to further engage and promote interactions across the city.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding</p>			

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60. O'Connor House	Ward 34 Don Valley East	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will provide opportunities for diverse residents of the community to connect and socialize and also to promote the property as a hub for community, educational, cultural and heritage-related activities and programs that contribute to a high quality of life for residents of all ages. It will build awareness of the historically significant Frank O'Connor House.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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61. Ogaden Somali Community Association of Ontario	Ward 12 York South-Weston	\$ 8600	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to bring together multi-generational community members to enjoy food together, and to listen and dance to traditional Dhaanto. The event will showcase the community's rich cultural history to other Canadians of all backgrounds.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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62. Parks & Wreck	Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park	\$ 14801.07	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The Parks n' Wreck Streetdance Festival, will put streetdancers in a positive light, with added benefits such as demystifying a culture often misrepresented in popular media, opening people up to the artistry that exists in Toronto, and promoting physical, emotional, environmental, and community well being. The free outdoor event will engage local residents through workshops, food, dance battles, social dancing and celebration.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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63. Philippine Advancement Through Arts and Culture	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a one-day cultural festival to be held in Scarborough (Albert Campbell Square) showcasing the arts and culture of the Philippines. This event will promote an appreciation of Philippine culture through various media: film, dance, music, theatre, cuisine, indigenous arts and crafts showcasing different regions of the country. There will be booths for all participating community groups, organizations and businesses to promote their services or products.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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64. Phoenix Academy of the Arts	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event consists of a series of meaningful and engaging events and workshops to support inter-generational interactions. The festival plans to engage youth who will teach seniors computer skills, while elderly residents will share their cultural heritage and teach younger generations such cultural skills as taichi, yo-yo and folk dance.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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65. Reelworld	Not provided.	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This six-day event will offer experiences that combine film, digital pieces, drama, documentaries, shorts, music videos and webisodes with other art forms: visual art, live music, poetry slams, and performance, enhanced by TED style talks, panel discussions, live gaming, digital storytelling, virtual reality experiences, demonstrations of social innovation technologies, and author showcases. Audience engagement and interaction opportunities will be created through post-screening mixers, coffee mingles, hackathons, speed-networking, and parties.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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66. Regent Park Film Festival	Not provided.	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to bring diverse residents of the Regent Park community together to socialize, enjoy common experiences, get to know their neighbours, and build connections within the community. The free film festival has operated for the past two years, and will run once a week for 6 weeks during the summer in the big park in Regent Park, with group activities and games such as yoga, soccer, and dance being offered, followed by outdoor movie screenings.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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67. Roncesvalles Art Village Enterprises	Not provided.	\$ 8500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event, Roncy Rocks! is a free, one day event featuring local art, culture and live music taking place on Roncesvalles Avenue. Event activities include four live performance stages, an artist's village with activities for children, and local restaurants and merchants that will offer a "sidewalk sale".</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. There was not enough information provided to assess the organization. The application was incomplete.</p>			

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68. Scarborough Arts	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: Scarborough Worldwide Film Festival feature the art of film and media arts, with screenings, workshops, discussions, free public events, parties, seminars and special programming and exhibits.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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69. Shomoy mela foundation	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: Shomoy Mela Foundation is dedicated to organize Canada day at Dentonia Park to uphold multicultural values where thousands of people from the community will attend. We have been celebrating Canada Day for the last 13 years with joy and happiness.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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70. Skills for Change of Metro Toronto	Ward 21 St. Paul's	\$ 9995.25	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event is a direct response to Jane and Finch community experience on higher to average rates of single parent households unemployment and participation rates, percentage of low -income residents and those on social assistance. The goal is to provide participants with a meaningful way to increase their skills and knowledge, give opportunity to explore their interests and to increase the number of youth interested in entrepreneurship as a viable career path.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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71. Somali Canadian Association of Etobicoke	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$ 12960	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival is being held to help improve relations within the communities. The festival is open for all demographics to attend but will be geared towards immigrants. The festival will be held both outdoor and indoor at the Thistletown Multi-Service Centre at 925 Albion Road. The festival will be held July 1st to celebrate not only Canada Day but also Somalia Day which coincides at the same time.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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72. Soong Kam Win Music and Arts Centre	Not provided.	\$ 81500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event, the Cantonese opera exhibition, is a project that aims to improve the understanding and appreciation of the general public towards the art of Cantonese opera. The purpose of the event is to enhance inter-cultural and inter-generational learning through the exhibition, lectures and performing of Cantonese opera.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The group is located outside of the city of Toronto and is therefore not eligible.</p>			

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73. Sri Selvavinayagar Temple of Canada	Not provided.	\$ 41000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event will celebrate the Chariot Festival in the temple and in the immediate vicinity. At this event, local businesses are promoted, free vegetarian meal is served for everyone and the admission is free. The temple conducts this program with the donations received from clergy members.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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74. Steeles L'Amoreaux Youth Empowerment	Ward 39 Scarborough-Agincourt	\$ 9805.5	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The event goal is to engage approx 200-300 female residents and wider community of Steeles L'Amoreaux ages 15-24, promoting education that facilitates capacity building around issues young women face (physical and internet safety, stress management, physical and sexual health, healthy relationship etc.); resulting in the empowerment of these young women.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding</p>			

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75. The Neighbourhood Group Community Services	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 15000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to bring together residents, community partners and local businesses to connect with each other, and participate in their community at a Community Festival. Attention will be given to ensure the Community Festival is welcoming to all age groups and accessible to ensure everyone from the community can participate.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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76. The Rhema Foundation Canada	Ward 09 York Centre	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to unite the community through a celebration of food and education of food security, food diversity and cooking. Through this ticketed event, the festival will showcase diverse foods, local businesses, and provide entertainment for attendees.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. There was not enough detailed information provided to assess the project impact.</p>			

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77. Toronto Aboriginal Support Services Council	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 9637.47	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event is an Indigenous Scavenger Hunt that is being held to honour Toronto's commitment to Truth and Reconciliation by bringing Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal people together to learn about traditional knowledge and culture in a fun and exciting format. All Toronto residents and tourists will be encouraged and enticed to participate. TISH will be held outside and within Aboriginal organizations; throughout downtown Toronto, accessible by TTC subway.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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78. Toronto Christian Resrouce Centre (CRC)	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: Taste of Regent Park is a weekly celebration of food and culture in Regent Park that runs Wednesday evenings through the summer. Taste of Regent Park is designed as a gathering place for ALL residents of the revitalized neighbourhood, where everyone, regardless of income, can come together in the park. The event features an affordable Good Food Market, a by-donation dinner prepared by a community caterer, a variety of market vendors, music performances, family-friendly activities, and a film hosted by the Regent Park Film Festival.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
79. Toronto Korean Film Festival	Ward 24 Willowdale	\$ 9895	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: Toronto Korean Film Festival plans to hold two community film engagement events in North York to create opportunities for cinema enthusiasts to connect with one another. The first will be a screening during the annual festival; and the second will be an outdoor screening at Mel Lastman Square in July 2016. The film will be followed by a panel discussion, during which filmmakers will lead a discussion about the film and take questions from the audience. Following the panel is a reception, which will give the audience an opportunity to mingle with the filmmakers and participate in further social activities prepared by TKFF.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other application were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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80. Toronto Park People		\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to celebrate neighbourhoods by bringing people together to participate in activities and watch movies in five city parks located in Neighbourhood Improvement Areas. The festivals will run during weekend evenings from July to September in different neighbourhoods each week, and groups of youth and resident volunteers will run a variety of fun accessible activities prior to the movie screenings. The festival activities will run in conjunction with the Toronto International Film Festival's TIFF in Your Park.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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81. Toronto Ward Museum	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a festival for immigrants by immigrants and is led in partnership with OCASI, the University of Toronto Scarborough's Culinarium Project, and Heritage Toronto. The project consists of six guided food tours throughout Toronto. Each tour promotes a "two-way street" of integration by placing established Canadians in dialogue with newcomers. Newcomers will strengthen transferable skills to present and develop the programming around themes of migration, identity, belonging, and heritage</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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82. Trailblazers Of Canada	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to bring families together to watch and participate in toboggan races. The festival will include children's races earlier in the day, and men's, women's and mixed team competitions later in the day, as well as heated tents for vendors to sell goods and a dance party after all the races are finished.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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83. TREC Education	Not provided.	\$ 9000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event, the Kids World of Energy Festival is an annual educational event, which brings together 1,600 grade 5 and 6 students over three days to the Evergreen Brick Works. The event is targeted at youth, families and teachers throughout Toronto, and uses S.T.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math) principles and hands-on activities to teach about environmental and sustainable energy issues.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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84. Trinidad and Tobago 50 Plus and Seniors		\$ 20000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to bring older adults and youth together to participate in outdoor cricket matches, so that through physical activity there is intergenerational interaction and community engagement. Local businesses will be invited to advertise at the cricket sports festival as well.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
85. U-Turns Community Organization	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to celebrate the Bengali new year by showcasing Bengali language, foods, songs, dance, poetry, and performances. The festival will take place in April 2016 in the Flemington Park and Thorncliffe Park area, and community members will also be able to sell their products through free stalls set up at the event.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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86. Uzima Women Relief Group International	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 10320	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to bring members of different continental African communities in Toronto together to share their diverse cultures and invites the wider community to a celebration event where they learn about different African cultures as expressed through dress, food, music and dance. The event is planned to take place in the Scarborough Village neighbourhood in July 2016 and the Downsview-Roding neighbourhood in July 2017, and will also enable businesses to market their products to attendees.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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87. Variety Village	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 12858	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to promote awareness of the importance of inclusive opportunities for people of all ages and abilities, and is designed to encourage diversity, engagement, and possibilities to get involved in the community. This one day event will be hosted at Variety Village and will welcome schools, community groups, organizations, and individuals to listen to motivational speakers, participate in interactive sessions and gather information from exhibitors that will showcase opportunities and celebrate achievements regarding inclusive healthy active living.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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88. Vision Africana 2000	Ward 17 Davenport	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This festival aims to bring community members together to celebrate African-Canadian music, traditional dance, arts and food. The festival has been running for the past four years and will feature a ticketed concert as well as free concerts, and performances.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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89. WoodGreen Community Services	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event aims to gather and celebrate the accomplishments of the 178 young people of African descent who have graduated from WoodGreen's Rites of Passage (ROP) over the past 8 years. The event will also invite parents, teachers, youth workers and youth to celebrate with the program participants.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

2016 Community Recreation – Projects Recommended for Decline

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
1. Aga Khan Museum	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 45000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to further the City's recreation strategy by increasing access to recreation activities across the organization's 17 acre site. The project will minimize service gaps and participation barriers, and build participation in recreation activities for participants to achieve social well-being and community connectedness.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated project objectives.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
2. Agincourt Community Services Association	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 47000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to reach children between the ages of 6-12 from the communities of Dorset Park and Steeles-L'Amoreaux. This project will work to bring access to physical recreational activities at a low cost to those who face economic and access barriers. Project activities include healthy food and nutrition, how to integrate recreational activities into daily life, and the recruitment and training of 12 peer leaders who will acquire the skills necessary to run the program with the children.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
3. Alliance of Portuguese Clubs & Associations of Ontario	No Ward Selected	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event, the Cultural and Folklore Festival is an enhancement to the Dundas West Festival. The event offers culture and local Folklore entertainment venues along with with cultural and heritage entertainment events, merchants, accommodation and food industry businesses along the corridor.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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<u>Applicant Group</u>	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount Recommended</u>
4. Applegrove Community Complex	Ward 32 Beaches-East York	\$ 8761.36	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project builds on current Teen Drop-In and Summer Leadership programs to provide youth ages 12–16 years the opportunity to increase levels of recreational activities in the community. Project activities include rock climbing, yoga, bowling, nutrition and healthy cooking, and hip hop dance. This project aims to allow youth to try activities that will provide different and new experiences, potentially ones they can continue into their young adult years.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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5. Appletree Markets Group	Ward 22 St. Paul's	\$ 38800	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a community-driven initiative with a goal to unite Davisville Village residents via outdoor recreation activities in June Rowlands Park, providing them with complimentary, family-friendly services, such as Fresh Air Fitness programs, Community Gardening programs, Learn-to-skate workshops and celebratory events, such as The Spring Picnic, Winter Carnival, Cup 'o Cheer Holiday Event, Seniors Tea in the Park, and annual Canada Day Party. Project outcomes include increase opportunities to meet, collaborate, and gain valuable community-building skills.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support</p>			

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6. Art Starts Neighbourhood Cultural Centre		\$ 45533	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will use basketball, a sport that resonates strongly with urban youth, as an engagement tool to bring healthy, pro-social, community building arts programming, build life skills and relationships amongst marginalized youth in 3 TCHC enclaves. For 15 weeks, youth will use basketball & the arts as conduits for skills development, access to recreation, building new peer relationships & role models. Experienced athletes will guide participants, leading skills, drills and games; professional artists facilitate a sports-oriented arts activity.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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7. Arts for Children and Youth (AFCY)		\$ 35000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project invites participants to share memories and explore dance styles across generations, enabling participation by people of all ages and abilities.. Project activities include scrap-booking photos, memorabilia, images and drawings. Youth will assist seniors with scrapbooking in intergenerational sessions. Youth participants will be instructed in selected popular dances from the past, will perform for seniors.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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8. Asian Community AIDS Services (ACAS)	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to increase opportunities for LGBTQ+ East and Southeast Asian youth to participate in sports and recreation. Project activities include recruiting, training, and supporting 10 peer leaders to organize monthly sports and recreation events at Regent Park, Scadding Court, St. James Town, and in the Scarborough area to engage youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support</p>			

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9. Asociacion DeDominicanos De Toronto, Canada	Ward 08 York West	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project increases the number of you and number of days in an existing Baseball Camp program. The project serves children and youth ages 6-14 and provides an opportunity to be physically active and teach the fundamentals of baseball during the summer. Project activities include sessions to encourage respect, teamwork, leadership, baseball skill development, courtesy and self-control.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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10. A-Supreme Foundation	Ward 07 York West	\$ 32000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is an ongoing initiative that offers monthly workshops in different communities with community partners. Project activities include workshops and seminars delivered by health professionals on topics such as health, wellness, cardiology, dementia, Alzheimer's, and financial issues for seniors and their families.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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11. Bangladesh Centre and Community Services	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$ 25000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project aims at improving and maintaining status of overall health among South Asian seniors through recreational (cooking, tours) activities. Activities includes cooking lessons, sessions on nutrition/general health symptoms requiring doctors or hospital visit, and tours to food and grocery stores resulting improved health and reducing number of visits to the doctors/hospitals.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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12. Bangladeshi-Canadian Community Services	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$ 31800	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project targets newcomer, immigrant and low-income youth with an accessible weekly recreational drop-in within the community. Project activities include a drop-in model that offers card games, board games, ping pong and Wii Fit. Project outcomes include meeting and engaging with peers from the community in positive ways.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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13. Bernard Betel Centre for Creative Living	Ward 10 York Centre	\$ 32350	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to bridge an intergenerational gap through artistic leadership. The project intends to decrease the risk of social isolation and loneliness among immigrant seniors by fostering meaningful relationships with youth through the medium of art. Project activities showcasing artistic skills and interests through arts, music, drama, and cooking. Project outcomes include fostered companionship, in a safe, barrier-free environment where language and culture are respected.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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14. Better Living Health and Community Services (E. P. Taylor Place)	Ward 25 Don Valley West	\$ 38000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will replicate a previous model for the Filipino and South Asian seniors population in Flemington Park and Thorncliffe Park in order to reach a greater number of seniors who are isolated, low-income and lack opportunity for recreation programming. The project uses a peer to peer support model to share their learnings and be ambassadors and master trainers for the programs. The project aims to use a community development plan in collaboration with peer leaders to build new programs and resilient communities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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15. Birchmount Bluffs Neighbourhood Centre	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 32000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to engage south Scarborough residents facing major recreation barriers in new holistic recreational programs that build on existing fitness programs while reducing access gaps. Project activities include training seniors and adults to help lead and support as Volunteer Peer Leaders. Project activities include healthy living workshops, stress reduction program activities, information on navigating recreation providers , social drop-ins, conversation cafes, drama and training in outreach, facilitation, and recreational literacy. Project outcomes include improved physical literacy, healthy living skills and expanded social connections.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support</p>			

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16. Black Lives Matter Toronto	Ward 08 York West	\$ 22700	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project, utilizing the Freedom School model from the U.S., is a multi-week summer program for Black children aged 4-10 in Toronto's marginalized communities, focused on interdisciplinary activities to increase access to recreation, support, arts and technology. The project aims to provide self-affirming, queer positive educational and recreational opportunities for Black children in Toronto.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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17. Blackball		\$ 32432	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project seeks to deliver electronic music workshops to young people in at-risk, mixed-income areas of Toronto. Participants will play synthesisers, drum machines and samplers, in both solo and group performances, while getting hands-on experience in sampling, synthesis, beat-making and DJ/production.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support</p>			

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18. Botanicus Art Ensemble	Ward 18 Davenport	\$ 45600	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will invite newcomers to join in integrated art and garden programming in the newly created Teaching Gardens in MacGregor Playground. Project activities include celebrations in the community, improving health and well-being by being active outdoors and increasing a sense of belonging and of place by planting in the earth and sharing stories. Project outcomes include planting a secure and welcoming home in Toronto, and growing a mutually supportive community.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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19. Canada's National Ballet School	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 4460	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a multi-generational community recreation and outreach program. The project provides three free dance classes at 1.5 hour per week, including one weekly class for kids; one tailored for seniors; one for families, adults and all ages. Classes teach participants NBS' annual Sharing Dance routine, which includes fun, easy to learn choreography to fit all ability levels and time commitments. The project's purpose is to get Torontonians dancing for a healthy body and mind, and to build a sense of community amongst participants while doing so.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support</p>			

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20. CANORAA INC	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 35000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This event, African Traditional Wrestling, will be held for two days at the Toronto Beach. Project participants will be from Afro-Canadian populations, and will learn about African traditional wrestling and the African mystic culture through songs and a fashion show.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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21. Casa Canadiense - Pueblito Canada	Not provided.	\$ 31944	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is an expansion of an existing program, Voices for Change: Developing Leadership in Inclusive Education, which aims to increase engagement, success, and retention rates among Latin American students in Toronto schools. The proposed Leadership Camp, which focuses on education through recreation, will rally youth to solve the problem of student disengagement. Project activities include arts, music, dance, goal-setting, event planning, project management, fundraising, grant-writing, facilitation, and public speaking.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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22. Centre for Community Learning and Development (formerly East End Literacy)	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 18000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works through adult education processes to address some of the challenges of social exclusion faced by marginalized populations in Regent Park, Moss Park and St. Jamestown. The project works to create a sustained source of local leadership by building the capacity of residents to work together to reach common goals. Up to 15 residents per semester will be trained to be lead community facilitators/animators with increased awareness, knowledge, and community engagement skills.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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23. Centre for Immigrant and Community Services	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 50000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project intends to enrich existing programs that improve community engagement, increase participants' employability, and improve food literacy in the community. Through this project, a community garden and kitchen programs will be sustained, run seasonal food markets and expand outdoor recreational community events. Activities include youth leadership training, hands-on youth and adult food handler training, post-natal caregiver certificate training, intergenerational life skills and food literacy training.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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24. Centre for Spanish-Speaking Peoples	Ward 09 York Centre	\$ 25000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project proposes a 14 week Community Skating Program with a Latin-theme. During the 45-60 min, skating lessons will be provided for registered community members of different ages.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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25. Chartered Institute of Management Accountants	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	Not provided	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project works to increase access to locally responsive recreational program for young Torontonians through cricket. Over 3000 school children from 35 selected schools located in Toronto's 31 Neighborhood Improvement Areas (NIA) will participate in this project, which will be delivered in partnership with Toronto District School Board (TDSB) and Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB). Activities include in-class cricket training, coach training and build capacity within NIA schools.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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26. Child Development Institute (CDI)	Ward 22 St. Paul's	\$ 12984	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This Project based on Mindfulness Martial Arts (MMA) which combines martial arts training (fitness, recreation), mindfulness meditation and cognitive behavior therapy (therapeutic intervention) to meet the needs of hard-to-engage vulnerable youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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27. Chinese Cultural Centre of Greater Toronto	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 30460	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will address the challenges of participation in recreation of low-income homebound seniors and women with cultural, language and mobility barriers in Scarborough. 60 multi-ethnic volunteer Recreation Ambassadors will be trained to engage and empower over 238 seniors and women to adapt an active lifestyle through direct participation in recreational activities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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28. Chinese Opera Group of Toronto	Ward 37 Scarborough Centre	\$ 21000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to provide a weekly, 3 hours-long group singing and dancing training program. In addition, monthly shows will be produced at various senior nursing homes and residence centers to promote recreation activities to seniors. Singing and dancing workshops will be conducted by qualified trainers and volunteers. The weekly practice will be conducted at some Scarborough and North York locations.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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29. Christie Refugee Welcome Centre	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 29074	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to provide adult refugees a recreation program 4 days a week 2 hours each day that will include activities ranging from for low to moderate intensity exercise, physical activity and sports. The program will engage this vulnerable population of newcomers who are unable to afford or access other recreational programs to develop their physical and social health along with residents in the area.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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30. Davenport - Perth Neighbourhood and Community Health Centre	Ward 17 Davenport	\$ 31050	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to provide free access to recreational programs for low-income and at risk populations; provide direct personal outreach to target groups to engage in development and regular participation; increase feeling of connection and improve well-being for participants; allow monitoring of activities to maximize impact and establish new practices for participants to improve health. Project activities include ping pong, badminton, yoga, soccer, a walking group, dance, and nutrition and cooking workshops. Each activity will run for 8-10 weeks, with 150 participants.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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31. Disable Sailing Association of Ontario DSAO	Not provided	\$ 35000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to increase membership to 300 participants by employing a new business specialist who can strictly focus on membership development. Activities include creating and reaching a database of 100 organizations that will bring peoples with disabilities and promote the programs within their base.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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32. Doorsteps Neighbourhood Services	Ward 07 York West	\$ 10400	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to partner with Girl Guides of Ontario, to pilot the first troop units of Sparks (ages 5-6), Brownies (ages 7-8), Guides (ages 9-11) within the Black Creek - Jane/Finch corridors. At-risk girls will increase their participation by exploring science and technology, team sports and physical activities, learn to think critically, or take on leadership, in a supportive all-girl environment.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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33. East End Community Health Centre	Ward 32 Beaches-East York	\$ 39376	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to create an opportunity for marginalized populations and people with chronic conditions to safely engage in recreation and develop the knowledge and skills to build regular physical activity into their lifestyle. Program is a non-competitive, 6-week group personal training workshop, offered to 168 participants over one year. Two programs will be available; a gym-based and a home-based exercise program. A Bengali speaking community health worker will perform outreach and recruitment. A community engagement council made up of volunteers will assist with program planning and development. Volunteers will also be recruited to serve as Recreation Ambassadors, who will promote benefits of physical activity and connect the community with local recreational resources and activities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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34. Egale Canada Human Rights Trust	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 85552	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to create opportunities to participate in recreational activities for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans, Intersex, Queer, Questioning and two-spirit (LGBTIQ2S) youth in Toronto. Weekly project activities include 1 hour of multi-sport recreation taking place at Dixon Hall; 1 hour of yoga instruction with a volunteer yoga instructor taking place in the Canadian Contemporary Dance Theater; 2 hours of Artistic Expression classes facilitated by Full Circle at the Egale OUTreach Centre and 1 hour private swimming at Regent Park Community Centre.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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35. Ephraim's Place Community Centre	Not provided	\$ 32000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is proposing a basketball league that focuses on gender specific issues and the transition from grade 8 to grade 9. It will run from late June to early September, with effects that last a lifetime. Teams will meet twice a week, once to practice and discuss gender/age specific issues and once to compete. Coaches will facilitate matching up younger players with older players and the older youth coaches will mentor older players. The women's division will have 4 teams servicing 32 youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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36. Ethno-Racial People with Disabilities Coalition of Ontario	Not provided	\$ 43920	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to deliver an inclusive and accessible recreational activity series (yoga, swimming, basketball, dance, expressive art, and tai chi), while also combining physical literacy workshops, such as healthy eating/cooking on a budget, diabetes prevention, how to stay active, and stress reduction. Effective implementation plans will be developed with a focus on providing the community's underprivileged and at-risk youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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37. Eva's Initiatives	Not provided	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to provide homeless youth with recreation programming to promote health, sport and wellness. This program will be open to all shelter residents, former residents and participants in non-residential programs. Participation in constructive recreational activities exposes youth to inspiring role models, builds skills and facilitates connections to the community, fosters team building and opens doors to new relationships and networks.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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38. Evergreen	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$ 26800	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project connects under-served seniors (i.e. multicultural groups, ESL, Aboriginal peoples, seniors with disabilities) to outdoor physical activities and volunteer and leadership opportunities at Evergreen Brick Works. Participating seniors engage in healthy group physical activity; learn new skills; build social networks; connect with younger generations through Evergreen's children's programming; provide volunteer support to Evergreen's active living programs and become organizational leaders, guiding ongoing development of Evergreen's seniors' programming.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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39. Expect Theatre	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	Not provided	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a joint production between Expect Theatre and Arts Etobicoke, and is a three-year pre-professional training and collaborative creation/performance program that fosters young, diverse artists in dance, music, theatre, spoken word, video and the business of the art, preparing them for a professional performing arts career.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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40. FCJ Refugee Centre	Ward 17 Davenport	\$ 25000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a recreation program that will take a youth-lead, intersectional approach to develop a community kitchen that will allow newcomer youth to build essential skills in food preparation, while increasing their knowledge in nutrition and healthy eating, as well as wider concepts of food equity issues and food systems. Participants will also be linked with City recreation programs and foodbanks and other food/nutrition focused programs where there are possibilities for further skill development and professional networking.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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41. Friends In Toronto Community Services	Ward 07 York West	\$ 24500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is an intergenerational recreational project for participants between 13-60 yrs old. Project activities include learning how to build gas powered remote control race boats, cars and planes. Participants will build relationships, improve team work, math skills and problem solving. In an inter generational environment participants will gain life skills, break stereotypes, gain an appreciation for others and contentedness to their community.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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42. Frontline Community Services	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project targets women with low self-esteem and negative body image and aims to teach, coach and practice dance moves from traditional dances. An instructor who is fluent in Tamil and English will conduct the class. The participants will explore how the muscle groups, bones and nerves work to move a limb for the 10 minutes of the class followed by a warm up stretch.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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43. g.a.b. girls addicted to basketball		\$ 14430	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project works to enhance the existing "our life skills sessions" of the organization into a full-day 6 rotation workshop. The project works to focus on building confidence, improving health and wellness, and actively participating in basketball drills and computer programming skills. Workshops will be offered in three locations of the city to 100 participants for a total of 300 female youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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44. Greek Community of Toronto	No Ward Selected	\$ 40250	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is for the creation and 1st-year implementation of a summer day camp that will be conducted at our Alexander the Great Youth Center, located at Warden and Ellesmere. The program will run for 6 weeks, beginning on July 4th, 2016 and ending on August 12th, 2016. We are estimating approximately 50 students, between the ages of 6 to 12, to attend the program. The scope of the project will consist of various activities, such as sports, games, music and dance. Lunch will also be provided for the attending students. The goals of this program are to develop team-building skills, communication and participation, as well as promoting fitness and health, while fostering an appreciation of our cultural and community values.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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45. Green Thumbs Growing Kids		\$ 23949	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will have 35 low-income newcomer youth in the Regent Park and St. James Town communities developing their own urban agriculture and culinary arts training program. They will discover foods of one another's cultural traditions and grow and prepare those foods as a group. They will staff a farmers' market table and learn the basics of costing, marketing and presentation of produce for sale. Options for peer mentoring and transition to paid employment exist, as well as intergenerational opportunities with elders.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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46. Groupe Artisanape Feminion Francophone de l'ontario	Ward 37 Scarborough Centre	Not provided.	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will include five programs, Doll Fun, Pottery Fun, Sewing Fun, Printing Fun, and Computer Fun, which provide participants hands-on opportunities to learn and improve art skills, discover their potentials in arts, incentive their interests and loves to arts while allow families to enjoy artwork together. The program will introduce youth to mobile phone programming using MIT module.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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47. Harbourfront Community Centre	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 29010	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a proposed new free program designed to engage 30 at-risk males 12 -16 years old with an opportunity to access sports and recreation activities that they haven't had an opportunity to participate in due to financial and geographical barriers. This project will provide male youth with new sports and recreation activities with an emphasis on mentorship/leadership focusing on helping male youth develop coping skills to deal with anger management, enhance self-resiliency and provide a deterrent to engaging in gang related violence and crime.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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48. Harriet Tubman Community Organization	Ward 33 Don Valley East	\$ 52700	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a recreational program that builds the spirits of new immigrant youth and their families to Canada based on the Principles of Kwanzaa. Afya Ngoma develops the physical and social health of local residents through building skills in fitness using cultural, recreational dance, drumming and cooking.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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49. Hispanic Canadian Arts and Cultural Association	Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project proposes “After School Program And Workshops For Latin American Youhth And Seniors”, a long-term initiative that, through arts and cultural education and skills development would address several systemic issues and barriers currently faced by our communities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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50. Humber Bay Dragon Boat Club	Ward 05 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 15000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is an on-water racing sport comprising of 20 paddlers, one coxswain, and one drummer working in unison. The Project aims to introduce individuals of all ages, abilities, and backgrounds to the sport of dragon boat on the beautiful Humber River. Participants will learn to paddle a dragon boat, become fitter, develop leadership and coaching skills while using teamwork and communication.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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51. Jarvis Street Baptist Church	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 9000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project plans to organize a Kidz Klub, a Christian ministry for children and young people 4 – 15 years of age. It is a weekly program that will run from September 23, 2016 to June 30, 2017. Each evening will begin with a time of sports or games in the basement of Jarvis Street Baptist Church or outside in Allen Gardens. This is followed by a Bible class in the Greenway Chapel of Jarvis Street Baptist Church. The evening will conclude with a snack or meal in the basement of the church.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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52. Jumblies Theatre	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will provide weekly dance/movement workshops led by professional artists/choreographers. Participants will explore ideas around local history and their own stories/experiences of their neighbourhood, and develop performative responses to them, which, in collaboration with the lead choreographer, will be refined into dance pieces. Two showcases of the work in progress will be presented in the community.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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53. Kennedy House Youth Services	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will serve the homeless and at-risk youth staying at the shelter. The organization aims to hire a dedicated recreation coordinator for the next two years who would be responsible for coordinating various recreational events at the shelter and in the community, as well as matching youth with paid recreational activities away from the shelter that might be helpful to them as they strive to meet their goals.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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54. Khedmaat and Support for Seniors	Ward 32 Beaches-East York	\$ 20887	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The purpose of this project is to provide opportunities to seniors who are marginalized by isolation, low income and language barriers to participate in recreational activities. A range of activities will be offered to cater to the needs of the participants. These include line dancing, arts and crafts such as jewellery making, henna application and knitting; brain teasers, such as trivia, riddles, guessing games.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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55. Korean Canadian Cultural Association	Ward 25 Don Valley West	\$ 34660	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project plans to hold a youth soccer and basketball camp from July 2016 until September 2016. This camp will teach children valuable skills in teamwork and leadership while providing an excellent way to get physically active.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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56. Korean Senior Citizens Society of Toronto	Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 50300	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is designed to engage Korean seniors through music, art and dance. Six instructors in these fields will work with about one thousand seniors. Project participants will learn new skills that will promote community engagement, mental and physical health, and they will be able to share their creativity at public venues.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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57. Kumasi Asafo Charitable Foundation	Ward 43 Scarborough East	\$ 8600	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project supports social participation and inclusion of seniors. It will serve 120 isolated seniors who come out and socialize with each other and establish friendships for mutual support and learn healthy living skills which include healthy eating, cooking, and exercise.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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58. Lake Ontario Waterkeeper	Ward 18 Davenport	\$ 36000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will partner with Surf the Greats (StG) and FutureWatch (FW), to host weekly paddleboard/ beach cleanup events at Toronto beaches, June - Labour Day. This free program is geared towards new Canadians who are looking for an introduction to Lake Ontario.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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59. Lakeshore Area Multi-Service Project (LAMP)	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	Not provided.	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project has the following purposes: Peer outreach to attract high-risk and isolated Youth and strengthen their attachment to the Drop-Ins, expand variety and frequency of sports offerings by using trainers supporting trainees to co-deliver sports programs alongside Drop-In staff; provide coaching and sports team administration training and peer outreach training to Youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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60. L'Association des Congolais de l'Ontario	Not provided.	\$ 39950	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is designed a fitness and dance program in order to enhance and increase the participation of adults and seniors in sport activities: Fitness through dance and traditional music program. 250 to 300 people from 50 years old and up will be engaged in weekly fitness program.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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61. Learning Disabilities Association of Toronto District	Ward 23 Willowdale	\$ 23598.75	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is is a basketball program that advances social and life skills through sport. It is designed for youth ages 14 – 18 living with a Learning Disability and/or ADHD in 9 week sessions with a minimum of 20 youth being served per session.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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62. Learning is For Everyone Foundation	Not provided.	\$ 20500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a comprehensive 3 year, 12 month physical literacy program that includes education, personal development, and nutrition components. It will help motivate 60 at-risk youth each year, ages 12 to 18, starting in grade 9 to experience a healthy lifestyle and participate in intense physical training using the popular sport of basketball as incentive.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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63. Live For Ball.....LFB	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 7500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This program runs from October to June every year for youths 12 - 19. Teachers and experienced coaches volunteer their time to mentor, teach, coach, score keep, referee, and provide the occasional transportation to the youths of this program.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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64. Loyola Arrupe Centre for Seniors	Ward 18 Davenport	\$ 30047.59	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will expand current services that offer classes, events, trips and services that provide physical, social, intellectual and recreational programs to help the older adult (55+) who is financially marginalized and requires support to decrease isolation and improve their engagement and quality of life as they ease into, and enjoy retirement life. .</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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65. MABELLEarts	Ward 05 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$ 17500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a pilot project that will bring together professional artists, naturalists and Mabelle Community Leaders to Broadacres Park to provide three weeks of free art and nature summer camp programming to West Mall, East Mall and Capri kids and families.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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66. Millennium Support & Care Group	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 28790	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This multi-year project is designed for seniors and people with disabilities. The project activities include dance and other fun activities. Under supervision of trained instructors and volunteers, and through dance videos, seniors will get a chance to learn various Latin dance moves like salsa, merengue, tango, cha-cha-cha, and rumba.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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67. Mood Disorders Association of Ontario & Metropolitan Toronto	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project will create a Youth Advisory Committee made up and led by youth to help develop the "It Starts Here" program, and be directly involved in creating solutions for challenges facing their communities. "It Starts Here" will address the complex needs of youth between 16 to 24 years of age, and aims to close the gap in services for transition-age youth.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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68. Mornelle Court Residents Action Coalition		\$ 39375	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project will be an enhancement to the current afterschool homework and walksafes program. This program will serve 30 children between 5-14 years. The staff and volunteers walk the children from school to a Toronto Community Housing room where they support them with their homework for an hour and then would walk the participants over to the Toronto Pan Am Sports Centre for recreational activities which will include sports, games, interactive activities, team building, or a variety of exercises.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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69. Navy League of Canada North York Branch	Ward 23 Willowdale	\$ 7000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to offer a free program for youth 9-18 years old in North York and support 60-150 youth annually and increase access to this program and develop partnerships with other youth organizations. Activities include purchase of equipment and uniforms, workshops and training.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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70. North York Community House	Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 42903	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project is a skill development and leadership program to increase the social well-being of newcomer youth in North York. Through participation in various arts-based recreation activities, these youth will gain a greater sense of self, social connection to other youth, and greater community connectedness and engagement. Activities include training, community-based art sessions, workshops and an arts exhibition.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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71. North York Harvest Food Bank	Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to increase the number of food-related activities run for the thousands of participants that visit the 3 existing Community Food Spaces located in high priority neighbourhoods in Northern Toronto. Project activities include running 15 to 20 6-week community kitchens, 3 community gardens and multiple nutrition and health related classes throughout the year that members can participate in and help organize. Project goals include increasing awareness of food as a basic building block of health and utilizing food related activities as a tool for community development.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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72. Ontario March of Dimes / March of Dimes Canada	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to enhance their existing 10-week program (run 4 times per year) that helps young people with disabilities between the ages of 19-30 make the successful transition into adulthood while supporting them in their efforts to maintain a healthy and active lifestyle. Project activities include hiring a second full time staff member and increasing the number of participants, updating the program curriculum and assessment tools, and purchasing new recreation equipment for the sports and recreation activities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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73. Our Place Community of Hope (Metropolitan Toronto)	Ward 17 Davenport	\$ 29300	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to hire a new, part-time Physical Activities Facilitator to work closely with community members who visit the Our Place Community of Hope (Metropol to help build a program of physical activities that will be meaningful to them, take into account their capacities, and be sustainable long-term. Project goals include using recreational activities as a tool to decrease the incidents of conflict and increase social connections between the highly-isolated individuals who visit the Centre.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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74. P.O.I.N.T. Inc. (People and Organizations in North Toronto)	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 15500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to increase the physical literacy of 70 newcomer and racialized youth by exposing them to new sports, hands-on interactive arts and dance, and two day trips to Toronto Centre Island so participants can take part in a Ropes Challenge Course and canoeing activities. Project activities will take place in a new youth lounge located in North Toronto Memorial Community Centre. Project goals include increasing participation by youth to sports and recreational activities that they may not have not participated in before due to barriers such as lack of access and income; increasing volunteerism, mentoring, and leadership opportunities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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75. Parkinson Society Central & Northern Ontario	Ward 25 Don Valley West	\$ 21690	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to develop and offer a comprehensive recreation program that will include Parkinson Disease-specific exercises. The program will be offered to people with Parkinson Disease, one hour per week at the Parkinson Society office and run by a trained staff person. Community members will also be trained to implement the community exercise program.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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76. Philippine Independence Day Council		\$ 7500	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This is a tournament event created to unite the Filipino-Canadian community through sport. The event is scheduled to take place at Hoopdome located at Downsview Park. Event activities include a three-day tournament with games scheduled from early morning to late evening. Due to the increase in interest from organizations and leagues outside of the Greater Toronto Area (GTA) and younger would-be participants, the event needs to expand into a four-day tournament to accommodate added court time required to run the full event.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.</p>			

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77. Regent Park Focus Youth Media Arts Centre	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 40824	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to build the capacity of Regent Park Focus Youth Media Arts Centre to support 10 Neighbourhood Improvement Area-based community groups and/or Toronto Community Housing-based resident groups to utilize radio and television broadcasting equipment and media training resources. Project activities include hiring a full time staff member to outreach, identify, and support 10 community groups located in NIAs and/or serving equity-seeking populations; setting up small media committees to assist in engaging resident volunteers and coordinating locally specific media production projects; training volunteers from partner communities in radio and television broadcasting; and supporting community group partners in producing and broadcasting media resources about their communities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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78. Regesh Family and Child Services	Ward 23 Willowdale	\$ 25058	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will allow up to 30 students daily in the community to participate in an after-school program that includes recreational activities, arts and craft, life skill growth (developing Camaraderie, self-esteem enrichment, decision making, personal control/anger management, interpersonal communication, Physical Education, Cultural Diversity & Awareness, Social Skills, Community Outing.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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79. Rexdale Alliance Church	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$ 32000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to provide recreational activities and mentoring relationships to at-risk youth in the Tandridge & Shendale communities. Project activities include running two basic instructional classes (10 youth per class) on Mixed Martial Arts every week for one year by qualified staff and volunteers, and leading discussions on physical, mental, emotional and spiritual health through small group mentoring.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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80. Rexdale Community Health Centre	Ward 02 Etobicoke North	\$ 41422.58	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project aims to bridge the generational and digital divide by offering computer training for isolated ethno-racial older adults with youth serving as their mentors. Project activities include a community consultation with older adults to identify specific technology learning needs, the development of a comprehensive user-friendly curriculum, running two 12-week sessions for 30 older adults per session by a qualified instructor/program facilitator with 30 - 40 youth volunteers supporting the older adults on a one-on-one basis as mentors and trainers.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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81. S.E.A.S. Centre (Support Enhance Access Service Centre)	Not provided	\$ 9900	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project aims to involve Regent park tenants from both social housing and private condos to practise Tai Chi in the community park together from April to October 2016. A volunteer tutor will lead the outdoor exercise and train selected tenants to lead indoor sessions at their respective buildings from November 2016 to March 2017. Project goals include encouraging local area residents and tenants to practise exercise together and interact with each other and to continue the resident-led recreational groups after the two year project ends.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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82. Sage In Me Education Services	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 25000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to engage 30 African/Caribbean Canadian youth ages 15 to 24 years from the North York/Downsview community in a cultural recreation program to encourage active, productive and healthy lifestyles so they 'bloom' positively in their communities. Project activities will occur in one free and one fee-based phase consisting of 15 youths each and will include physical fitness training, board games, community gardening, culinary arts, and arts and crafts taking place at the organization's office, a local community recreation centre, and in community gardens. Youth will also learn about their roots and history through culture - arts, drama, dance and music.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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83. Scarborough Women's Centre	Ward 38 Scarborough Centre	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This two year project will continue to provide women with visible and invisible disabilities in Scarborough with access to educational workshops that will improve their physical and social health by introducing participants to recreational activities and engaging them in discussions about body image, self-esteem, mental health, and grief. In addition, this project will offer training to SWC staff, facilitators, and project partners that will increase their awareness of how recreation activities can be used to explore themes related to healthy relationships, trauma, mental health, and promote empowerment. The project will also celebrate project accomplishments by organizing a showcase event and developing online resources.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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84. Sherbourne Health Centre	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$ 39000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to build a seamless recreation services "referral system" modelled after existing health access referral system in the St. James Town community. Project activities include developing a comprehensive recreations program database shared with 25+ service agencies in St. James Town, developing a recreation strategy for the community, implementing seasonal resident-led physical and recreation activities, and employing community recreation ambassadors to outreach and connect residents to physical activities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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85. Skills for Change of Metro Toronto	Ward 21 St. Paul's	\$ 30000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to expand on their current after school youth programming to build intergenerational exchanges in Neighbourhood Improvement Areas (NIAs) in the Jane-Finch community through recreation activities. Project activities include providing racialized and newcomer youth with leadership, entrepreneurial, artistic, and technical training and skills so they can deliver youth-led community recreation services targeted at other under-served youth and seniors facing participation barriers.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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86. SLAM-SPOT Safety Initiative		\$ 36008.19	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project will deliver a range of services to youth within the Malvern community including technology training, leadership development, skills development, dance, visual arts, performing arts and music programming. The project's focus would be to engage radicalized and often marginalized youth who are not joining other community programs. The project places a strong emphasis on learning new recreation skills and activities including a youth training leadership component.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support</p>			

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87. Somali Canadian Association of Etobicoke	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$ 27270.40	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to provide 50 youth from the Somali community between the ages of 9 to 13 and 14 to 18 with introductory lessons on various sports and on nutritional eating habits and healthy living. Project activities include running fitness training, basketball, baseball, volleyball and soccer activities by community leaders for 1.5 hours per day, 3 days a week within the Thistledown Multi-Service Centre and leading workshops on healthy living.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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88. South Asian Autism Awareness Centre	Ward 38 Scarborough Centre	\$ 27836	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to expand and enhance their existing recreational programming that provides access to physical activity opportunities for youth with Autism Spectrum Disorder. Project activities include running multi-sport and physical activities for children and youth between the ages of 6 and 18 with autism spectrum disorder in three consecutive four-month blocks, enrolling between ten to fifteen participants per block.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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89. South Riverdale Community Health Centre	Not provided.	\$ 68573	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to promote recreational engagement and social participation among newcomer and racialized women (25-55 years old) and girls (12-24 years old) in Blake-Jones Neighbourhood through cycling. This project builds on success of Eastview Community Health Centre's youth engagement initiatives and South Riverdale's Community Bike project. Project activities include: running 12 learn-to-ride and 12 community cycling sessions engaging 10 women and 10 girls each, hosting 10 workshops that integrate physical literacy into programs run by partner organizations, training 3 female youth and 3 women in bike repair, running a community fun festival where participants can demonstrate the cycling skills and knowledge acquired, and creating mural art to promote girl's and women's cycling in the neighbourhood.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.</p>			

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90. St. Teklehaimanot Youth Basketball Association	Not provided.	\$ 4000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to bring the youth and their peers together to play recreational basketball.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The group is located outside of the city of Toronto and is therefore not eligible. There was not enough information provided to assess the project impact as the application was incomplete.</p>			

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91. Success Beyond Limits Education Program Inc.		\$ 44609	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: This project aims to enhance the existing Summer Mentorship and Transition Program, which helps 110 Grade 9 students at risk earn their first TDSB high school credits in Math, English or Life Skills in the morning, and participating in recreation activities in the afternoons. The 6-week summer program takes place at York University and is focused on a Youth-to-Youth mentorship model that increases access to recreation as a tool to improve the health of the Jane and Finch community. 25 senior students will be employed as mentors and 30 mentors-in-training will earn their volunteer hours.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support. The project proposal did not clearly demonstrate an enhancement component to the existing programming.</p>			

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92. summerlunch+	Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 32600	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to build food literacy into the kitchen and summer camp curriculum so that all participants learn where their food comes from, why healthy eating is valuable and how to affordably prepare nutritious meals. Ten high-school students will work to design, photograph, print and market a cookbook of summerlunch+ recipes.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.</p>			

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93. Terraces	Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$ 43645	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project aims to develop and deliver a unique "Body and Brain" program targeting 60 adults aged 55 plus with memory and cognition concerns. Project activities include sessions led by a team of specialists (kinesiologists, recreation therapists, social workers, etc) that combine physical activity with learning sessions on memory strategies, how to plan and manage daily activities, cognitive challenges and social interaction.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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94. The Dale Ministries		\$ 28856	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project aims to expand existing drop-in programming run for adults 30 years and older in the Parkdale community by offering arts and instructional music workshops. The two year project will build a group of community artists to develop the workshops and lesson plans, run weekly drop-ins and bi-weekly workshops, and conclude with a year-end art exhibition and concert.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. This application met some funding criteria, however other applications were identified as having higher impact.</p>			

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95. Toronto Park People	Not provided.	\$ 39100	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to empower and encourage residents of the Neighbourhood Improvement Areas (NIAs) to use the ravines, parks and trail systems in their neighbourhoods as walking trails. 10 NIAs will participate in the project. NIA Staff and volunteers will lead an estimated 2,000 community members on 50 hikes. Participants will become more comfortable and familiar with the trail systems and ravines and better understand the health impacts of walking and at least three walking groups will be established permanently, supported by local residents or community agencies.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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96. Toronto Synchronized Swimming Club	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 26000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to expand their Athletes with a Disability (AWD) programming in recreational, novice, and competitive streams to develop greater diversity and inclusion in the club; resulting in best accommodate a full spectrum of people with disabilities. The project will be implemented at three locations across Toronto.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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97. Trailblazers Of Canada	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$ 41150	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to create an interactive race where teams have to use their knowledge and skills to solve puzzles and complete tasks. Youth will be recruited and placed into evenly balanced groups where all members will have an important skill that would help them in completing tasks. A month after the youth will meet each other and compete with their teams on all tasks together in a huge park with many stations. The race will resemble the amazing race with obstacle course and escape room elements. Staff and volunteers will guide the youth through different activities.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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98. UNITY CHARITY	No Ward Selected	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to feature breakdancing, beatboxing and spoken word instruction in its free Community Drop-in program that teaches specific hip-hop art forms to youth at various locations in Toronto and will engage 60 to 80 youth aged 12 to 18 in high quality recreational and artistic activity. Program participants will develop confidence, build self-esteem and learn how creativity and activity provide positive outlets for stress. The project culminates in a community showcase event that provides youth participants with the opportunity to demonstrate their talent and skill development.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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99. University Settlement	Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina	\$ 36300	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to support the expansion of the Fitness Centre at University Settlement House. The project works to quadruple the size of the current centre and serve over 700 clients each month resulting in developing the physical health and social well being of Toronto's residents. Activities including purchase of new exercise equipment, coaching and training.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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100. U-Turns Community Organization	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 40000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to offer a recreational program in Flemingdon Park and Thorncliffe Park to integrate people from all ages in the program. The project works to recruit high school students from Marc Garneau and pair each student with an elderly adult. Activities include computer training, cooking, yoga, physical exercise, dance, drama and music. There will be a final performance at the end of the year.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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101. Valley Park Go Green Cricket Field Project	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$ 32114.25	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to organize new summer night programming, staffing & volunteers, management & maintenance from 5:30 pm onwards. The project will include a Go Green Night-time Youth Cricket Summer House League beginning at 5:30 pm onwards on weekends for youth ages 16 and up and to create a Cricket, Multi-sport & Volunteer Training Program particularly for youth ages 13 to 18 years old. Activities include First Aid, CPR training, NCCP FMS & MED training (for those aged 16 and up), Ontario Camps Association & PSO training & Evergreen training in spring.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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102. Variety Village	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 48000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to host 5 outreach activity days to promote the importance of play, participation and the benefits of inclusive healthy active living. The project works to promote inclusive (disability, culture, gender, socio economic and athletic ability) healthy active living opportunities, sport, collaboration, cooperation and adaptations to facilitate attitudinal beliefs and promote acceptance in a recreational setting. Each activity day will have three female guest speakers that will share personal experiences of immigrating from another country, excelling in sport as an athlete with a disability and resources. 200 participants will be actively involved in morning presentations and afternoon activities covering topics such as inclusion, accessibility, diversity, bullying, body image, self esteem and goal setting.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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103. Victoria Park Cricket Club	Ward 11 York South-Weston	\$ 13000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to provide instructions to 35 boys and girls from immigrant families for a healthy lifestyle in a classroom format and physical exercises in a gym. The project will engage one medical doctor(part-time)and one dietitian. Staff and volunteers will monitor the progress of participants and check on their lifestyles and physical fitness. The goal is to help participants change in lifestyles, eating habits in relations to foods and physical exercises; resulting in fewer visits to doctors and less demands on the Ontario Health Services.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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104. Warden Woods Community Centre	Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 10000	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project is a 10 week pilot program that will encourage isolated seniors (aged 55+) to improve upon their social health and connection to their community by staying active and increasing their collective network with local youth (ages 8-14) from the Summer Camp. Clients are invited to interact with each other in a safe environment in support of their well-being and emotional health while reducing the social gap between the two generations. The project works to help the youth improve their interpersonal skills and empathy to Seniors while the Seniors will share their wisdom and life experiences with another generation within their own community.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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105. York West Active Living Centre	Ward 11 York South-Weston	\$ 29143	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to take the participants on a culinary and learning experience around the world. At the end of the 12 months, the participants and volunteers will host an open event for all members of the community, highlighting the food and culture they experienced over the 12 months. Activities include drop-ins, workshops, cooking, creation of a scrapbook and sharing of recipes.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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106. Youth R Us	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$ 41900	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project is a six-week basketball and mentorship program designed to engage forty male youth ages 11-19 most vulnerable to violence, crime and low employment rates in the Rexdale Toronto area. Youth will participate in three basketball skill development sessions per week at the Rexdale Community Hub gymnasium. Each basketball session will be followed by a classroom training session focused on skills such as resume building, job interview skills, social media etiquette, and civic engagement. The project works to teach youth to be Dedicated, Determined and Disciplined to achieve their Dreams.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			

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107. YouthLink	Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest	\$ 17737.91	\$ 0.00
<p>Project Description: The project works to provide weekly drop-in basketball program for youth aged 12 to 14 from the Chester Le community. Each week, youth will develop their basketball skills, engage in recreational play and learn what leads to a healthy, athletic lifestyle. Up to 40 youth will participate, with 20 attending any one session. Four adult leaders from the community will be trained in the High Five program. As a result, youth will have an increased sense of belonging to the community and access to additional services as needed. Adult leaders will improve their skills in mentoring, coaching and connecting with youth aged 12 to 14.</p> <p>Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.</p>			