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Appendix C

Summary of Recommended Decline Applications to the 2016 Access, Equity and Human Rights Investment Funding Program

Applicant Group # 1	Ward # **	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
519 Church Street Community Centre, The	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$45,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will reduce the social isolation of LGBTQ seniors by expanding intergenerational drop-in programming at new locations, facilitating best-practice training, producing a step-by-step Gender-Sexuality Alliances (GSAs) guide, and expand GSAs in City of Toronto long-term care facilities. Project activities include forming an advisory committee, a Speakers Bureau, training City of Toronto long-term care facilities to establish GSAs.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 2	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Access Alliance Multicultural Health and Community Services	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$99,900.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will engage LGBTQ+ newcomer women who have identified experiencing exclusion and discrimination in order to raise awareness about their unique experiences and address gaps in services and supports for them. Project activities will use a participatory action peer research model to better understand the issues and barriers they face and will then use the findings to develop a research-informed program geared towards addressing their needs.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 3	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Afghan Women's Counseling and Integration Community Support Organization	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$25,057.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This program will support Muslim refugee and newcomer women and girls to develop a collective voice against discrimination through an interactive theatre and public engagement campaign. Project activities include exploring issues of discrimination through an interactive theatre process that will culminate in a short public engagement theatre piece that will be presented at community centres.

Applicant Group # 4	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Agincourt Community Services Association	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will provide civic training workshops to Scarborough residents who are members of equity-seeking groups, namely those most at risk of social exclusion and poverty. Project activities include civic training workshops centered on the City of Toronto's Poverty Reduction Strategy and its 2015-2018 Action Plan. Project outcomes include equipping participants with practical knowledge and skills to take part in civic processes related to the strategy.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support

Applicant Group # 5	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Aluna Theatre	Ward 18 Davenport	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to build a stronger more engaged artistic community within the Latin Canadian diaspora residing in Toronto. In partnership with Native Earth Performing Arts, the project aims to enhance an existing program by supporting seven artistic residencies, providing each artist/collective with seed funding to develop their projects, and offer a presentation fee for each resident to present their works-in-progress as part of a fully bilingual English-Spanish festival.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet some funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 6	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Amadeusz	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This projects aims to fulfill the established recommendations outlined in the Look at my Life: Access to Education for the Remand Population in Ontario, Canadian Review of Social Policy, to ensure youth ages 18-30 held in remand will have equal and sustainable access to education. This project will work to produce a strategy that states the recommendations and outlines activities to complete in order to fulfill each recommendation in a document to be worked on by the coalition.

Applicant Group # 7	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Anne Johnston Health Station, The	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$49,300.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase community awareness of access and equity issues that impact people with disabilities. Key partners and community stakeholders that reflect the target population will be engaged to provide leadership to the development of a community audit tool that businesses, schools, and other public areas. A toolkit will be developed and shared with community health centres across Toronto to support capacity building and engagement of other neighbourhoods across the City of Toronto to engage in similar work.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 8	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Aura Freedom International	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$49,808.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project plans to deliver presentations on the human rights violation of sex trafficking in Canada to students in high schools around Toronto. Students and teachers will have an increased awareness of the nature of human trafficking in Canada, preventative measures, and the services available.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 9	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Bad Date Coalition	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$29,064.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project will support the development and facilitation of educational workshops geared to training frontline workers in best practices when working with and providing care to sex workers. Project outcomes include combatting stigma and discrimination sex workers face, which act as a huge barrier to accessing social services, resources and health care.

Applicant Group # 10	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Belka Enrichment Center	Ward 08 York West	\$42,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will coordinate discussion forums on mental health for middle and high school children, moderated by young professionals, followed by a conference. Findings will be presented to the school boards and the City health department to implement a policy change, proposing to make it mandatory to have a mental health nurse in every middle school and high school in specific communities.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 11	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Bengali Information and Employment Services	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$16,167.20	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will assist single mothers in the employment process. Project activities include the recruiting clients, helping to get targeted jobs, providing social support information, motivational speeches, and engaging in community activities in a supportive learning environment that accommodates individual and community needs and learning styles.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 12	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Bereaved Families of Ontario-Toronto	Ward 22 St. Paul's	\$30,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to improve equitable access to grief support for marginalized communities in Toronto. The project will provide grief support services to the Rexdale, Scarborough and Regent Park communities as there are unmet needs in these areas for free grief and bereavement support.

Applicant Group # 13	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Better Living Health and Community Services	Ward 25 Don Valley West	\$31,932.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project addresses food access, equity and security issues among older and disabled seniors in the Don Mills and Flemingdon Park area. This project aims to build on connections with the local food bank in Flemingdon Park in order to promote Food Share's the Good Food Box program, set up community kitchens and opportunities for socialization for isolated seniors, provide healthy and culturally appropriate food, train volunteers as leaders, promote accessibility to community services for all.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 14	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Black Creek Financial Action Network	Ward 08 York West	\$20,040.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to engage community members of Jane and Finch area in building knowledge and financial literacy skills on topics such as access to banking, fringe financial services, economic exclusion, credit and debt. This project will work with community residents to create a popular theater piece that will be presented at various community events throughout the year and will be introduced as part of Black Creek Financial Action Network's annual "National Credit Week".

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 15	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Canada Newcomers and Immigration Association	Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest	\$58,800.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to further develop the organization to serve clients, particularly Syrian refugees/newcomers and other community members. Project activities include developing a planning process, recruiting staff and volunteers, training staff and volunteer teams, communicating with community members and other stakeholders.

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.

Applicant Group # 16	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Canadian Arab Institute	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$47,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to educate newcomer Arab youth to become knowledgeable about gender equity, the Ontario Human Rights Code, their rights and responsibilities, and the value of civic engagement through a series of educational events, group exercises, group training, and the creation of a bilingual video and training manuals.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 17	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
CANES Community Care	Ward 02 Etobicoke North	\$30,881.56	\$ 0.00

Project Description: this project will facilitate training for all CANES' employees on 'How Diversity and Cultural Competency Impact Patient/Client Centred Care'.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria

Applicant Group # 18	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Centre for Equality Rights in Accommodation in Ontario	Ward 19 Trinity-Spadina	\$29,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project is an educational initiative for Toronto youth who are homeless or at risk of homelessness, with a focus on youth who are involved in crime, or at risk of becoming involved in crime or the criminal justice system. Project outcomes training and mentoring a new cohort of ambassadors who will undertake public outreach about housing experiences and housing rights.

Applicant Group # 19	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Centre for Spanish Speaking People	Ward 09 York Centre	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to leverage the food bank established through previous Identify 'N Impact funding to feed and engage the community participation of Hispanic seniors, undocumented workers, and youth who reside in the Neighbourhood Improvement Areas (NIAs) of northwest Toronto. Project activities include providing meaningful volunteer opportunities and information by using the food bank as a gateway to City and community services for these populations. A series of digital stories based on the participants' experiences will also be published to raise awareness of the affects of exclusion.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 20	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Children's Peace Theatre	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This is a two-year project that aims to unite two youth groups, Black Youth Nation and Dear Native Youth, for a collaborative exploration of equity and human rights issues facing Black and Indigenous youth. Project activities include gathering youth, Elders and community partners to develop curriculum; running weekly sessions with professional artists to explore Black & Indigenous history and culture, critical thinking and conflict management skills, run public performances and anti-racism workshops by youth participants in Regent Park, Jane and Finch and Malvern.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 21	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Chinese Family Services of Ontario	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will address the concepts of access, equity, and human rights in the Chinese newcomer community. Youth volunteers will be recruited from colleges/universities and the Chinese community to be trained on social equity, and human rights of newcomers. The goals are public education on AEHR for newcomer, reduce isolation, family violence, and AEHR violations through early identification and referral to professional services.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 22	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Christie Refugee Welcome Centre	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$14,220.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to address the ability of newly-arrived homeless refugee women to access physical and mental health resources. With support from community partners, the project will provide workshops on women's health, mental health, nutrition, and women's rights as well as field trips to health institutions that will introduce them to the available health resources and ways to access those reources.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 23	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Community Builders Youth Leadership	Ward 13 Parkdale-High Park	\$39,922.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to empower families in East Scarborough and Black Creek/Jane Finch with knowledge and practical skills to help foster inclusive communities and more active participation in the educational system. Using schools as community venues, the project will engage parents and youth in leadership training specifically focused on celebrating diversity and standing up for others, using positive and inclusive strategies.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 24	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Community Social Planning Council of Toronto	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$46,103.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will engage Mount Dennis tenants, service providers and housing organizations to improve access and remove barriers for tenants to exercise their right to decent housing, bring attention to tenant issues, and form a new model for supporting tenants in accessing their rights. Project activities include creating a project advisory committee, conducting community-based research, writing a research report and disseminating the results to policy-makers and the public, and creating a neighbourhood-wide tenant association to support ongoing access to housing rights.

Applicant Group # 25	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Dorset Park Neighbourhood Association	Ward 40 Scarborough-Agincourt	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to help residents in the Dorset Park area overcome barriers to participation in community-level planning and decision making by creating a community action plan and testing new models of community engagement and recruitment to better engage diverse community members at planning tables.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 26	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
EMJ Light Youth Foundation	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$22,334.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to motivate and provide young people ages 14-24 who face a multitude of barriers with skills and resources to improve their way of life. Project activities include running workshops that provide participants with direction and access to resources such as resume and job etiquette workshops and female and male empowerment sessions.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated funding program objectives.

Applicant Group # 27	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Eritrean Canadian Community Centre	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	\$0.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will build on the Ubuntu Seniors Action Program. The project focuses on addressing barriers and isolation seniors face and building the capacity of the community to meet the specific and unique access, equity and human rights requirements of seniors by engaging Eritrean seniors, especially newcomers, to feel safe, fully engaged and able to access resources and programs.

Applicant Group # 28	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
FCJ Refugee Centre	Ward 17 Davenport	\$45,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to identify ongoing service gaps across the city and work toward collaborative, multi-sectoral and meaningful response for precarious status migrants to access City services. This project works to organize a series of community roundtables to build collaborative response; produce frequent reports that highlight issues and outline responses; and develop a proposal for increased protection and regularization of precarious migrant Toronto-based residents of Canada.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	<u>2016 Amount</u> Recommended
Applicant Group # 29		Requested	Keconmended
Federation of Metro Tenants Associations	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$36,238.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to provide training to tenants and tenant associations in large, private apartment buildings in the NIAs on human rights as it relates to housing discrimination for newcomers and the disabled. The training will help reduce issues of discrimination for these groups by helping tenants engage with the current legal mechanisms including recognizing legal discrimination, early dispute resolution with landlords and neighbours and the use of the services of community partners.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount	2016 Amount
Applicant Group # 30		<u>Requested</u>	<u>Recommended</u>
For Youth Initiative in Toronto	Ward 12 York South-Weston	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to train racially marginalized youth, newcomers, young women, and youth involved with violence and/or serious crime to increase their artistic and technical skills by using the organization's existing music studio. The project aims to increase free studio time after school to 5 days/week, evenings, and weekends. Project activities include workshops to produce musical and spoken word pieces, short videos, a showcase event, and connection to FYI's wraparound supports.

Applicant Group # 31	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Friends In Toronto Community Services	Ward 07 York West	\$0.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project proposes a walk-a-thon where residents and local community stakeholders come together to rally Toronto against violence. The goal is to create awareness and rally for support to end local and city-wide violence by petitioning for the development of a shared platform for human development and best practices to promote a healthy environment.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria

Applicant Group # 32	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Global Youth Leaders of Canada	Outside of the city of Toronto	\$28,205.56	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to start a Global Youth Leaders Chapter in Scarborough to give under served youth (including Native and Syrian youth) access to the group's programming by transforming their newspaper club to a digital media club.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The group is located outside of the city of Toronto and is therefore not eligible.

Applicant Group # 34	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Groupe Artisanape Feminion Francophone de l'Ontario	Ward 37 Scarborough Centre	\$12,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to support francophone youth who are are homeless and jobless, and marginalized francophone female newcomers. Activities include raising awareness about food equity issues, housing rights, help find necessary childcare service if needed, increase civic participation in municipal elections, and workplace rights.

Applicant Group # 35	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
The Three Sisters House	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$41,800.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will create four intergenerational gatherings that bring together elders and youth who are Anishnebec. The gatherings will include topics like the role of elders and youth in Indigenous communities, traditional edible and medicinal plants, traditional Indigenous food ways, and teachings about two spirited identities.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 36	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Iranian Women's Organization of Ontario-IWOO	Ward 33 Don Valley East	\$18,500.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to increase collaboration between successful and experienced Iranian community members and the newcomers looking for job opportunities at their career centre. Activities include workshops, one-on-one consultation, and matches newcomers for a limited term with volunteer opportunities where they can gain both technical, cultural and language skills.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria

Applicant Group # 37	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Iraqi Community Services of Ontario	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to integrate newcomers in Toronto and promote the processes of intergenerational cultural transmission among immigrants in the Canadian society. Activities include workshops, lectures, information sharing, build partnership, acquire skills or update/upgrade their education so that they can find employment opportunities.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria

Applicant Group # 38	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
La Passerelle Integration et Developpement Economique	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$46,157.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to constitute a new employer engagement approach to foster hiring of immigrant/racialized Francophone Torontonians among a wide range of employers in key Business Improvement Areas. The project works to leverage active participation of the Francophone Workforce Development Council in Canada and raise capacity for economic participation for 20 immigrant/racialized Francophone volunteers and setting up environment for 200 job-seekers to network with employers.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support

Applicant Group # 39	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Lakeshore Area Multi-Service Project (LAMP)	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$58,914.15	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to hire one full time staff person to provide individualized support to 25-30 street involved persons in South Etobicoke to help clients find and keep housing, access medical care, make and achieve personal goals, and increase stability and predictability in clients' lives.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 40	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Latin@s en Toronto Communication for social development	Ward 17 Davenport	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to build capacity, empowerment and peer leadership among women of Latin American origins who are household heads and live in one of the NIA's in the City of Toronto. Activities include development of a cross-sectoral network, training, seminars, and a "tool-kit" of printed and online materials to build community awareness.

Applicant Group # 41	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Manantial Neighbourhood Services, Inc.	Ward 09 York Centre	\$21,734.80	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to provide 25-30 Spanish speaking older adults ages 65 + with the tools needed to improve their overall health and well-being, promote an active lifestyle, nurture seniors' friendships, enhance accessibility, and increase their valuable participation in city life. Activities include weekly workshops, training on physical exercise and fitness.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 42	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Mother's In Motion Fitness	Ward 08 York West	\$1,500.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will target a group of mothers with children of various ages that want to improve their health and that of their children through increased physical activity and healthy eating in the Jane Finch Community. The women who participate in the MIM fitness program get access to dieticians, instructors, free childcare and personal trainers.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 43	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
North York Arts	Ward 23 Willowdale	\$35,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase participation amongst newcomers in the arts sector by identifying barriers to accessing the arts and employment, developing their capacity to eliminate those barriers, and increasing civic and social engagement in their communities. Project activities one-one mentorship opportunities, participate in workshops and be featured in city-wide arts activations, a series of community consultations, workshops and the development of a Newcomer Arts Access toolkit.

Applicant Group # 44	Ward # **	2016 Amount Requested	<u>2016 Amount</u> Recommended
OCASI - Ontario Council of Agencies Serving Immigrants	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to improve and enhance understanding of the Toronto 'access without fear policy' among immigrant and refugee service workers and give them the information to support clients to access services; improve their understanding of issues of precarious immigration status including systemic barriers at the intersections of race, gender and immigration status; and equip them with the information and skills to advocate for permanent resident status for their clients.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 45	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Operation Springboard	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$35,437.31	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to engage youth, policy makers, and social partners to challenge attitudes, actions, policies and processes that lead to high unemployment for NEET youth (not in education, employment, or training) in the Neighbourhood Improvement Area (NIA) of Victoria Village. The project works to build capacity through supporting a youth-led model that challenges individual and institutional barriers leading to lack of employment opportunities and social exclusion.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support

Applicant Group # 46	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	<u>2016 Amount</u> Recommended
Philippine Advancement Through Arts and Culture	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$15,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to provide a series of workshops to Filipino-Canadians on equity, labour and human rights. As a result, 100 individuals will have better knowledge and understanding, standard documents are developed and a group will be formed to help advocate about equity, labour and human rights in the Filipino community.

Applicant Group # 47	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Redwood, The	Ward 18 Davenport	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase awareness of domestic violence through youth-led discussions centred on young women's safety and community engagement. Project activities include developing a domestic violence curriculum and supporting youth participants in co-facilitating workshops, running discussion groups, and creating performance art pieces on violence against women and girls.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 48	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Regent Park Focus Youth Media Arts Centre	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$40,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to build the leadership capacity of 86 marginalized youth, prioritizing racialized, newcomer youth, especially females, aged 16-24, to provide anti-oppression training to enhance local media production and resource design. Project activities include train-the-trainer on anti-oppression education training and research on systemic barriers and access issues for racialized, low-income and newcomer youth in Regent Park.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 49	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	<u>2016 Amount</u> Recommended
Rexdale Women's Centre	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase community civic engagement and involvement of newcomer and immigrant women to educate, promote and empower them regarding the municipal political system. Activities include outreach, workshops, training, monthly meetings and advisory group.

Applicant Group # 50	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
S.E.A.S. Centre (Support Enhance Access Services Centre)	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$20,812.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to increase Filipino youth's access to and participation in educational and career-related opportunities by addressing the impact of the community's racialization on their self-esteem and personal aspirations. As a result, youth participants will have a better understanding and sense of pride in their own community, and have an altered way of thinking about their personal aspirations.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 51	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Scadding Court Community Centre	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$47,153.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works with local women in Downtown-West Toronto to improve their ability to engage in local initiatives, strengthen their voices in local decision-making, and enhance their capacity for leadership. This is achieved through the implementation of participatory arts-based workshops focused on sexual assault and violence against women. The project also works to engage local women in community planning, recreational opportunities, and design of public spaces.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 52	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount	2016 Amount
		Requested	Recommended
Scarborough Women's Centre	Ward 38 Scarborough Centre	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to support women with disabilities in Scarborough through facilitation of educational seminars, training to organizations to respond to the needs of women with disabilities, creation of resources, focus groups, evaluation sessions, as well as a panel event that measure project effectiveness, celebrate successes, and share best practices.

Applicant Group # 53	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
SINGING OUT! Toronto's LGBTQ+ Community Chorus	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$33,236.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to build Singing Out's capacity to engage, welcome and support a larger, even more diverse group in 2016-2017, with an increased focus on outreach to/eliminating access barriers for; queer youth, newcomers, persons living with disability, and the transgender community.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 54	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Skills for Change of Metro Toronto	Ward 21 St. Paul's	\$30,131.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to empower 20 high-risk youth in the Jane-Finch community to overcome employment barriers through a positive youth development model of programming, which involves young people in a year-long leadership, entrepreneurship, and training program that focuses on giving them the skills to become independent, successful, and community-minded leaders.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 55	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
South Asian Autism Awareness Centre	Ward 38 Scarborough Centre	\$39,125.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to eliminate the barriers to Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) services and improve the quality of care provided to newcomer families living with ASD. This is achieved by empowering them with skills and knowledge to better understand, interact and integrate with the developmental health system.

Applicant Group # 56	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Springtide Resources Inc.	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$49,500.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to develop an advisory committee of parents and prospective parents who identify as having disability to create and develop an educational training tool-kit consisting of personal narratives. The information will be used to create a forum theatre to engage the audience to initiate conversations about ways to accommodate, welcome and empower diverse people accessing parenting resources.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 57	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	<u>2016 Amount</u> Recommended
Stonegate Community Health Centre	Ward 05 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$49,770.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The projects works to launch a peer led assessment and engagement project to enlist resident's involvement in shaping the design and programs at the new Centre of Stonegate Community Health Centre and to identify priority needs in the community. Activities include the creation of a community committee, needs assessment, meetings, community engagement strategies development and a report.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 58	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Sunset Service Toronto Fellowship	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$12,932.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to provide a 16-week workshop series focused on mental health education, yoga practice and leadership using mindfulness as a framework for Black, African, Caribbean and other racialized youth 18-29 years of age, who identify themselves along the LGBTQ+ spectrum. The series will explore the social action model and the role of minority stress, prejudice and coping on mental health and build capacity of the youth to act as peer educators and animators in their communities to share the wellness tools they acquire.

Applicant Group # 59	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
TAIBU Community Health Centre	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project is a senior-led program designed to engage socially isolated vulnerable senior minorities from diverse populations and low income backgrounds within the Malvern community and environs. This will be achieved by increasing their community participation to include intergeneration community living activities, providing support that fosters community linkages and meaningful connections.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 60	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Tetra Ryerson	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$1,500.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will assist a student run group to create assistive devices for individuals with disabilities.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.

Applicant Group # 61	Ward # **	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
The Neighbourhood Group	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$48,830.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to provide a safe, supportive environment for vulnerable youth and frail seniors to address human rights, accessibility, equity, discrimination and hate crime concerns in their shared neighbourhoods and communities. This project also works to provide opportunities and welcoming spaces for intergenerational partnership projects that support the development of productive and positive relationships between vulnerable youth and seniors.

Applicant Group # 62	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Thorncliffe Neighbourhood Office (TNO)	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to address the needs of youth within the Thorncliffe Park and Flemingdon Park Communities who have been involved with crime. The project works to allow the youth to feel as if they can connect with their community, to assist them in finding employment, and to encourage them to stay in school.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 63	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Thorncliffe Park Women's Committee	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$43,770.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This is an inter-generational project that aims to provide equal opportunities for members of equity-seeking groups to participate in economic, social, civic, education and volunteer opportunities while ensuring good quality life for low-income families in Thorncliffe Park. Project activities include Friday night markets in the park, bread baking in a Tandoor oven, arts in the park, cultural park performances and cultural games and activities.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 64	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Toronto ACORN	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$42,070.40	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to create access for renters to achieve their right to safe, healthy and affordable housing in the York South Weston rental community. Through a collaborative approach, the project will build the capacity of the existing Weston ACORN Chapter leaders so that the broader tenant community in York South Weston can better access their right to safe, healthy, and affordable housing.

Applicant Group # 65	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Toronto Women's City Alliance	Ward 12 York South-Weston	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to increase the participation of diverse women across Toronto in municipal consultation processes. This project focuses on how marginalized women (Aboriginal women, youth, seniors, women on low-incomes, and racialized women) are engaged on poverty reduction issues. The project works to strengthen the capacity of marginalized women to ensure their voices and perspectives are heard and reflected in municipal policy and practice.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support

Applicant Group # 66	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Trailblazers of Canada	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$20,950.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to create a documentary to be presented at Scarborough high schools. This documentary will provide a unique look into the lives of ethnic minorities (Aboriginal, Muslim and Nubian Egyptian) in Scarborough and works to deter racist ideologies, and promote a culture of social inclusion for future generations.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 67	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
VIBE Arts\Arts for Children and Youth	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$25,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to co-create an arts-based social-justice themed program involving seniors experiencing accessibility issues and bring together seniors, care-providers, volunteers, and community youth in a variety of arts programs geared to reflect on access and equity issues for seniors in the community, express those reflections, raise community awareness through a public event and begin a local dialogue on solutions

Applicant Group # 68	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
We Can Win	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$46,200.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will use the Social Enhanced Education program (S.E.E) to address unemployment rate issues by targeting clients to enhance their skills and education.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 69	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Young Diplomats	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	\$48,855.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to provide Ethiopian-Canadian youth with high-quality academic mentorship. Project activities include tutoring, guidance, and encouragement from positive role models in the community. Intended outcomes include the development of academic skills and of academic aspirations among youth which will lead to increased access to post-secondary education, decent jobs, and a good quality of life.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 70	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount	2016 Amount
		<u>Requested</u>	Recommended
Youth Action Network	Ward 18 Davenport	\$42,967.56	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to support young, black women living in Eglinton East-Kennedy Park-Ionview to build their capacity to participate in decision-making at a community and municipal level. Project activities include workshops to develop knowledge and skills around social justice issues and organizing for change; field trips and events that expose the participants to new spaces in the city; and ongoing guidance to support participants to start their own change movements.

Appendix C Summary of Decline Applications to the 2016 Community Safety and Investment Funding Program

Applicant Group # 1	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Africans In Partnership Against AIDS (APAA)	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase access for African Canadian communities to information, skills and supports that prevent violence and increase safety. This project works with African Canadian youth who are most vulnerable to involve in serious violence and crime and do not have equitable access to the comprehensive supports.

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.

Applicant Group # 2	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Albion Neighbourhood Services	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$46,500.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will provide a second chance to young offenders who commit minor crimes and are susceptible to criminal behaviours. Youth under the age of 18 will be able to avoid criminal charges through participation in a diversion program that aims to prevent repeat offences. Project activities include job finding assistance, positive peer networks, volunteerism and mentorship.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 3	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u>	2016 Amount
		Requested	Recommended
Art Starts	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$32,349.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project is a partnership between the Zero Gun Violence Movement and a 'Forum Theatre' artist to bring gun violence prevention and crisis management tools to three neighbourhoods. Project activities include workshops, forum theatre and discussion with youth, identification of strategies that can be implemented by and in the communities to help reduce gun violence incidents, and youth will perform long-term community-based solutions that will provide positive alternatives for vulnerable youth.

Applicant Group # 4	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Asian Community AIDS Services	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$38,410.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to increase awareness of post-secondary international students and newcomers from the East and Southeast Asian Communities in Toronto on sexual harassment and how to deal with it, promote online dating safety, and enhance street-smart skills in preventing harassment on the street.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 5	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Aura Freedom International	Ward 29 Toronto-Danforth	\$49,808.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to make presentations on sex trafficking in Canada to students in high schools around Toronto. With the ongoing dissemination of this information, youth and their educators will have an increased awareness of the nature of human trafficking in Canada, preventative safety measures, and available services.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 6	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Bangladeshi-Canadian Community Services (BCS)	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$49,540.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to enhance community capacity in the Taylor Massey and Oakridge neighborhoods through greater access to information, skills and supports to address the issue of Islamophobia. Activities include community consultations, workshops, focus groups and self defense training.

Applicant Group # 7	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Bereaved Families of Ontario-Toronto	Ward 22 St. Paul's	\$30,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to provide intensive training to those who want to provide grief support to youth. Project activities include specialized intensive training to better prepare volunteers to facilitate youth groups. This is an expansion of their service to increase youth grief support groups so that they are offered in areas of Toronto in which there has been an increase in violence and increase in death due to violence.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 8	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Breakaway Relief Foundation	Ward 13 Parkdale-High Park	\$23,600.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to provide physical self defence training, workshops and seminars to youth in the Cooper Mills community. Youth will learn how to resolve and diffuse conflict that could potentially be mental or physical, and will build a more positive unity amongst their peers. Activities include workshops, a meal plan and recreational activities.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 9	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Canada Newcomers and Immigration Association	Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest	\$27,660.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to help newcomers with various safety issues and assist them to access services that will deal with their safety concerns. The project works to bridge the gap between police and newcomers by connecting the Newcomer Outreach Program provided by the Toronto Police with newcomers.

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.

Applicant Group # 10	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
CANES Community Care	Ward 02 Etobicoke North	\$28,586.51	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works in partnership with Mixed Company Theatre to present an interactive production on elder abuse, neglect, and fraud. This will improve awareness of seniors through an interactive and experiential education setting. This project also works to alleviate the stigma that individuals who experience these personal violations.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 11	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
CANES Community Care	Ward 02 Etobicoke North	\$49,789.39	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to expand CANES' Home Maintenance Program to other low income seniors and people with disabilities in the City of Toronto. This will reduce the potential hazards in a senior's home that lead to falls, slips and trips which and enhance safety in the home for low income seniors and people with disabilities while they continue to reside in their community with dignity.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.

Applicant Group # 12	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Carefirst Seniors and Community Services Association	Ward 39 Scarborough-Agincourt	\$35,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to reduce the risk of violence against the elderly by building positive intergenerational connections, co-designing educational actions, delivering community awareness activities, strengthening commitment and providing empowerment opportunities amongst the youths in 3 priority neighborhoods.

Applicant Group # 13	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Catholic Family Services of Toronto	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$46,578.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to train Catholic Children's Aid Society (CCAS) workers, foster parents, and group home staff to address domestic and intimate partner violence among foster youth. As a result, CCAS worker, foster parents, and group home staff will have an increased knowledge about domestic and intimate partner violence and improved ability to recognize and appropriately respond to youth in care who are in abusive and violent relationships.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 14	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
CEE Centre for Young Black Professionals	Ward 33 Don Valley East	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to develop 62 graduates who are youth (aged 18-29) from its career programs, which will expand to 129 graduates into an alumni community. Through events and youth led community projects, youth will increase their employability and social networks resulting in continuing on a path of positive growth and becoming a catalyst of change for their peers.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 15	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Recommended</u>
Centre for Immigrant and Community Services	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$49,940.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase awareness of scams and fraud among Chinese newcomer seniors/older adults who are 50 years old or older. The newcomer seniors/older adults will be educated on fraud prevention, be engaged and trained as community safety leaders, and take the leadership role in planning and implementing anti-fraud projects resulting in reduced isolation and vulnerability to be victimized or abused for seniors/older adults .

Applicant Group # 16	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Chinese Cultural Centre of Greater Toronto	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$39,796.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to prevent and reduce juvenile crime, help adolescents take responsibility for their decisions and behaviours through strengthening community and family competency. The project will deliver family-based parental training for 152 parents (with children age 10 – 16) and community education programs for over 110 residents and community stakeholders to understand the myths and reality of juvenile crime and youth community issues.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 17	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Chinese Family Services of Ontario	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to raise awareness of community safety in the Chinese newcomer community. Youth volunteers are recruited from college/university interns, Vision Youth, and the Chinese community to become safety ambassadors resulting in reducing violence, addictions, workplace accidents, bullying, hate crimes, and human trafficking through early identification and referral for professional services.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 18	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Concerned Kids Charity of Toronto, The	Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park	\$32,833.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to augment the organization's elementary school interactive educational puppet performances with a free afterschool "Interactive Puppet Power" program for ages 6 - 12 to 2 days per week for (3) 10 week sessions at Toronto City Library locations. A Peer Mentoring component of the program will be incorporated.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet program eligibility criteria.

Applicant Group # 19	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Connecting Women with Scarborough Services - Tides Canada Initiatives	Ward 38 Scarborough Centre	\$46,556.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to reduce isolation of women in Scarborough experiencing gender-based violence. Through co-locating in two new neighbourhoods, this project aims to work with agencies that serve isolated women by building capacity and addressing systemic issues in order to reduce the number of women experiencing violence in Scarborough.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 20	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
COSTI Immigrant Services	Ward 17 Davenport	\$25,896.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to offer support, skills and a safe environment for immigrant and refugee men to learn healthy coping strategies and address attitudes and beliefs that contribute to abusive behaviours in family relationships. Recruited male participants will learn mindfulness and meditation techniques to help with emotional dysregulation, resulting in reducing the risk and enhancing the safety of immigrant and refugee women and children.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 21	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Distress Centres	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$35,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to use trauma mastery and specialized grief counselling as violence prevention strategies to target at-risk communities, particularly at-risk young adults to stop the recurring cycle of violence that follows a sudden, violent death. The project works to provide services for young adults and work with community partners, train, and mentor peer counsellors for ongoing support.

Applicant Group # 22	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Egale Canada Human Rights Trust	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$0.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase the capacity of Egale Youth OUTreach Centre through the addition of an outreach coordinator. The project works to network and inform community, youth-serving, and gender/sexuality alliances about the crisis intervention, interim counselling and support services available at EYO.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 23	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
EMJ Light Youth Foundation	Ward 01 Etobicoke North	\$39,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to provide youth with access to resources such as resume and job etiquette workshops and female and male empowerment sessions. The program targets youth between the ages of 14-24 and the community it serves by challenging the stigmatization it is faced with as well as addressing the underlying causes of barriers by allowing the potential of each individual to be developed with full support of staff.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 24	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Eritrean Canadian Community Centre	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	\$58,160.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address violence against women in the Eritrean community and disseminate information, conduct outreach and community engagement, social marketing strategy, develop and distribute communication products such as posters, flyers, mobilize members of the Eritrean community to participate in workshops, organize volunteer capacity building, and create community forums. Adult male allies will be recruited to be vocal advocates in breaking the silence that shrouds violence against women in the community.

Applicant Group # 25	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Ethno-Racial People with Disabilities Coalition of Ontario	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$38,600.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project aims to provide peer leaders a series of train-the-trainer workshops that address critical safety concerns faced by racialized people with disabilities. A best practices toolkit will be piloted and produced for use in multiple languages. Peer Leaders will develop and implement about 20 workshops using the toolkit, with over 150 members of this population in marginalized neighbourhoods.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 26	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Family Service Toronto	Ward 18 Davenport	\$46,173.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address the lack of awareness and support in the Toronto Somali community around the issue of Somali young women being sex trafficked. The project works to provide educational workshops, peer leadership training and peer-led support groups in the community targeting mothers/women in order to increase their skills to provide preventative coaching and support. The project will later invite daughters/female youth or young adults, to learn and share.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 27	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Federation of Metro Tenants Associations	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$34,088.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to establish 'vertical watch' programs in private rental towers in Neighbourhood Improvement Areas in Toronto. The project works to build capacity for tenants to create an awareness of criminal activities in the area, and to encourage all residents to become more responsible for the overall safety of their neighbourhood, their building, and their neighbours.

Applicant Group # 28	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
For Youth Initiative in Toronto	Ward 12 York South-Weston	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to conduct a research study to enhance their current youth justice program which supports youth between the ages of 13 and 17 who have been in trouble with the law. The expansion will focus on educating and empowering newcomer youth and their families about the legal system in Canada, as well as addressing the different systemic barriers to education and employment that they face in particular.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 29	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Friends In Toronto Community Services	Ward 07 York West	\$0.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to organize a conference where key stakeholders come together to rally Toronto against violence. This project will then organize a series of five follow-up conferences/sessions to ensure the goals of the project are being met. The conference will address issues pertaining to the violence that is occurring too frequently in the communities, to develop authentic community-based solutions for community safety.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 30	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Groupe Artisanape Feminion Francophone de l'ontario	Ward 37 Scarborough Centre	\$10,280.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to focus on violence education specially designed for their clients, the neighbourhood and the community which the agency is currently serving. As a result, their clients will establish themselves well in violence prevention and enhance violence awareness within their neighbourhoods and community.

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.

Applicant Group # 31	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Jane/Finch Community and Family Centre	Ward 08 York West	\$49,876.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to address experiences of safety for youth living within the sub communities of Jane and Finch. The project works to raise the awareness of safety issues by conducting a youth-led needs assessment of safety concerns within their community. The goal of the project is for youth to create a community safety resource kit, strategies on ways to address these concerns, as well as a safety plan for the sub-communities of Jane and Finch, which will also include a map of identified safe spaces.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 32	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
La Passerelle Integration et Developpement Economique	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$39,253.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to engage a group of 30 francophone racialized newcomer youth (aged 16-25) and parent volunteers to address youth and family violence. Project activities include training youth volunteers on current issues related to youth and family violence, local/French-language services available, and prevention and intervention strategies. The volunteers will develop an interactive theatre piece to present key resources/strategies to the francophone racialized/newcomer community and French-speaking service providers in Scarborough.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 33	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Lakeshore Area Multi-Service Project (LAMP)	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$33,686.40	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to combat current and ongoing violence within the community related to gun violence, racism and policing, and homophobia and gender-based violence. The project works to hire and train youth leaders to facilitate, develop, and strengthen the community's capacity to respond and prevent violence. As a result, the project will culminate with a video or art project developed by the youth along with pamphlets and resources guides for the community.

Applicant Group # 34	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Leave Out Violence (LOVE) Ontario	Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$34,714.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works in partnership with Crime Stoppers to address issues of gun violence, gangs and the "code of silence" affecting youth in their communities. The project will deliver an integrated response to the youth living in high priority neighbourhoods and those who have experienced violence in their lives.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 35	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Malvern Family Resource Centre	Ward 42 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address the increasing violence within the Tamil community with a focus on Malvern and surrounding neighborhoods among youth between 14-21 years of age. The project works to conduct multi-layered interventions to support parents and youth and focus on community engagement, building capacity of parents and youth and sustaining and strengthening engagement.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 36	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Motivating Mothers	Ward 39 Scarborough-Agincourt	\$49,075.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to develop community led capacity and relationship building activities in the Chester Le, Bay Mills and Glendower communities of Steeles/L'Amoreaux. Project activities include workshops and training for parents/caregivers, along with opportunities for these communities to come together to managing grief and forgiveness in light of violent incidents, and two community based events. The project also seeks to follow the evidence informed model of Focus Rexdale, by maintaining monthly meetings by residents of the three communities to coordinating services and aligning supports for situations of elevated risk.

Applicant Group # 37	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
North York Arts	Ward 23 Willowdale	\$36,500.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to work collaboratively with youth, project partners and community stakeholders in the Glenfield-Jane Heights area to develop a series of arts programs while addressing issues pertaining to violence in the community through non-violent conflict resolution. Project activities include creating a youth arts action committee and community animator positions, outh will have long-term access to on-going programming at a safe community space, where they will work with youth workers and artists mentors.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 38	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Ontario Family Life Services Center	Ward 41 Scarborough-Rouge River	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to serve Chinese seniors who are at risk of domestic elder abuse. The project will focus on serving Chinese seniors in Agincourt South-Malvern West community, and on raising public awareness of domestic elder abuse in the Chinese community. Project activities include seminars for Chinese seniors; daily counselling services - one-on-one or over the phone; and building a volunteer network for seniors to help other seniors.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated funding program objectives.

Applicant Group # 39	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Parkdale Golden Age Foundation	Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park	\$25,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase in the number of positive interactions between Black and Aboriginal youth and Community Police through information sessions, volunteer training, training for community organizations, and brochures highlighting youth rights.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not clearly demonstrate how the proposed activities would achieve the stated funding program objectives.

Applicant Group # 40	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Parkdale Intercultural Association (Toronto)	Ward 14 Parkdale-High Park	\$46,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to support 50 newcomer Tibetan women and families living in Parkdale to address domestic violence and community safety. The program is an outreach and community education initiative proposed to reduce incidences of domestic violence within the Tibetan community. Project activities include outreach and needs assessment, recruitment of volunteers, and focus groups of Tibetan women in the first year and spouses and family members in the second year to strengthen and build positive family relations and address this sensitive issue within the community.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 41	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Peace by Peace	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$20,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project request is for funds to subsidize the participation of elementary school students in the organization's conflict resolution and community-building programs. Volunteers from the University of Toronto and York University deliver an 11-week curriculum that empowers grade four or five students to deal with the pressing issues of conflict, bullying, and violence in their lives using games, activities, and discussions.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 42	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Prince Youth Basketball Group	Ward 08 York West	\$12,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project works to keep youth off the streets and in a safe haven through basketball. The project works in collaborating with 31 Division Police Department and offers assistance to youth in participating basketball games resulting in steering at-risk youth away from drugs and gangs.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 43	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
ProAction Cops & Kids	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will engage Toronto Police officers, youth living in Toronto Community Housing Complexes (TCHC) and community partners in a range of team building activities that strengthen relationships between cops, kids and their communities. Officers from police divisions across Toronto will establish a team of youth who live in neighbourhoods that have a high incidence of violent crime. Each team will participate in a one-day race where the officers and youth will travel to different sites throughout the City and collaboratively work to complete a challenge.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet some funding program criteria.

Applicant Group # 44	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Redwood, The	Ward 18 Davenport	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to increase awareness of domestic violence and develop leadership skills among young women through youth-led discussions centred on young women's safety and community engagement. Through a twelve-month training and development program for girls in Parkdale and the surrounding neighbourhoods, the project will support youth to hone their public speaking and presentation skills, while engaging young women to become leaders in co-ed peer discussions and social action on the impact of violence against girls.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 45	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
REH'MA Community Services	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$35,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will address the overt and covert issues of elder abuse with a focus on South Asian communities. Project activities include creating awareness, enhancing access to information, providing skills and supports that prevent elder abuse/violence and increasing the safety of elders in the community through direct services, training and educational workshops, and capacity building and in crisis response/management.

Applicant Group # 46	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Rexdale Community Health Centre	Ward 02 Etobicoke North	\$50,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project proposes to hire and train a local community animator to work with the organization's team to engage youth specifically in the communities of Willowridge and Scarlet Woods. Project activities include community planning through establishing partnership agreements, conducting needs assessments and barriers to access community assets, developing a local action plan by engaging partners and residents, and running community-wide events.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 47	Ward # **	2016 Amount Requested	<u>2016 Amount</u> Recommended
S.E.A.S. Centre (Support Enhance Access Services Centre)	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$18,578.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address dual and counter charging of victims in domestic violence incidents in Vietnamese and Chinese communities in Regent Park, Steeles-L'Amoreaux, St. Jamestown, and Riverdale. With support from the police, Legal Aid and Children's Aid Society, this project aims to form a mutual support groups and empower women who face domestic violence to advocate for their safety needs, and inform them of their legal rights. Project activities include counselling service, workshops, and training on how to navigate court systems and understand their legal rights.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 48	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Scadding Court Community Centre	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$44,913.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will work with 3-5 low-income, racialized youth living with mental health concerns in the Atkinson Co-op as peer educators to increase access to mental health supports for young people who are involved in, or at-risk of being involved in, the criminal justice system. Through the training program, Peer Educators, and delivery of awareness building workshops with law enforcers, mental health workers and legal aid workers, with a goal of increasing access to supports while changing local culture and practice in supporting youth living with mental health concerns.

Applicant Group # 49	Ward # **	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Scarborough Residents Unite Neighborhood Association	Ward 36 Scarborough Southwest	\$52,549.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will engage the SRU and community partners including the Pathways for Education, TCHC, Community Police, residents to conduct safety audits and community consultations to increase safety in the community.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 50	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Shwasti	Ward 31 Beaches-East York	\$30,777.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to create a community safety network to reduce the incidents of violence in Taylor Massey and Oakridge. Project activities include raising awareness among residents through information sessions, identifying challenges and strategies through workshops, capacity building through life skills training and motivational workshops to empower residents to outline a community approach in collaboration with stakeholders to address violence. Project outcomes include the creation of a Community Safety Network.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 51	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Recommended</u>
Somali Women and Children's Support Network	Ward 02 Etobicoke North	\$48,865.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address the increase in community violence in Dixon/ Kingsview Village. This pilot program is the result of youth requesting the supports of safe spaces to convene, to build networks of supporters, to increase their opportunities for positive interactions with other youth and to learn strategies to avoid engagement in anti-social behaviours and activities as well as to build better relationships with the Toronto local police services. The project will offer workshops targeting specific topics such as identity, communication strategies, future goal exploration, peer relationships, cyber safety, gender violence, conflict transformation, understanding your rights, interacting with police, advocacy and civic engagement.

Applicant Group # 52	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
South Riverdale Community Health Centre	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	\$11,251.60	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This pilot project will develop an eight-week expressive arts-based trauma skill-building program for women who use drugs. Project participants will learn about various psychological theories of trauma and will gain skills both in coping with previous trauma and preventing future re-traumatization, as well as, building social supports to prevent violence.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The application did not meet most funding program criteria

Applicant Group # 53	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
St. Stephen's Community House	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$35,448.66	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will assist in building safer communities by supporting isolated and marginalized girls and young women living in low income social housing projects, experiencing violence that is fostered or increased through cyber violence. The project will hire and train a peer research team of three young women (with lived experiences of online violence), to create both "on and off-line" resources that are youth-friendly, accessible and relevant to this age group with the goals of equipping girls to be safer on line. This content will be adapted into curriculum workshops and facilitated within community agencies and schools.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 54	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Street Health Community Nursing Foundation	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$42,786.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will build on the Safety First project by hiring two project facilitators to design and implement a train the trainer model that will assist sex workers in reporting bad dates/assaults through an electronic reporting system. A train the trainer model will promote learning outcomes to a far greater range of sex workers as trainees will share what they have learned within their greater peer groups.

Applicant Group # 55	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
The Duke of Edinburgh's Award - Ontario	Ward 20 Trinity-Spadina	\$30,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to provide opportunities to at-risk youth within Toronto's Neighbourhood Improvement Areas for learning and positive development in the following areas: Community Service, Physical Fitness, Skill Development and an Adventurous Journey.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 56	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
The Gatehouse	Ward 06 Etobicoke-Lakeshore	\$40,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: The project works to provide support to families who have been affected by childhood sexual abuse. This project works to provide family healing circles and parent information workshops supporting parents, resulting in proactive societal response to the abuse of children, youth and adults resulting in a social and cultural transformation.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 57	Ward # **	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Thorncliffe Neighbourhood Office (TNO)	Ward 26 Don Valley West	\$49,059.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to develop a comprehensive community strategy that seeks to focus on crisis prevention by enhancing outreach capacity, collaboration and community leadership. It will enhance the work of the existing crisis response network to facilitate collaboration around developing strategies for addressing safety concerns as it relates to seniors and youth in the Flemingdon Park and Thorncliffe Park, and develop resources such as community safety reports to inform priorities and issues to be used by partner organizations.

Applicant Group # 58	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
Trek for Teens Foundation	Outside of the city of Toronto	\$5,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project will hold a series of educational workshops throughout schools in the city of Toronto to address awareness and aid for youth homelessness. These workshops would consist of a presentation that increases understanding of the issue at hand as well as different avenues for support for youth that may either be in such a situation or at the brink of it.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. The group is located outside of the city of Toronto and is therefore not eligible.

Applicant Group # 59	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
UNITY Charity	Ward 16 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$70,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project is a partnership with City of Toronto Youth Outreach Workers that uses the arts to empower youth with the skills and confidence for success. Project activities include using a peer-to-peer mentorship structure, where youth artist facilitators help younger youth develop their skills. Project outcomes include teaching participants how to use creativity as an outlet for stress while building confidence and self esteem.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 60	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Recommended</u>
Visible Minority Radio & TV Network (VMRTN)	Ward 08 York West	\$38,834.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address the problems of guns, gangs and drugs problem in the community. The project will respond to youth vulnerable to guns, gangs and drugs activities before they are involved in the justice system, ensuring youth as an asset in shaping our community and participate in civic engagement. Youth connect with provision of community-based educational, cultural, sporting and vocational opportunities.

Applicant Group # 61	<u>Ward # **</u>	2016 Amount Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
York-Fairbank Centre for Seniors	Ward 15 Eglinton-Lawrence	\$48,000.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This intergenerational community project will engage isolated seniors, inner-city school-aged children, at-risk youth, young adults, adults and disabled older adults, in addressing root causes of crime and victimization and working collaboratively on preventative measures, build understanding and awareness of issues of safety and crime, identify prevalent local and ongoing risks and foster violence prevention.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 62	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Young Diplomats	Ward 30 Toronto-Danforth	\$44,400.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address of violent incidents involving East African youth, particularly on the Danforth. This project will invite several East African youth organizations to join a coalition dedicated to addressing this issue, through monthly meetings with community champions and leaders from each organization in order to exchange knowledge, seek expert input, and engage East African youth in a community assessment to generate community-based knowledge and solutions regarding the violence.

Funding Recommendation: The application met most funding criteria but due to lack of available funding, this application is not recommended for funding.

Applicant Group # 63	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
Young People's Theatre	Ward 28 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$3,907.93	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to design arts education workshops and conduct and disseminate research that dispels the myths surrounding sexual violence and consent. Activities include building an interdisciplinary team of experts to consult, also provide access for up to 600 young people to participate in an extensive educational program that integrates a series of in-school drama-based workshops in conjunction with attending a professional production, engaging a researcher to help create learning resources on sexual violence and consent.

Applicant Group # 64	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> Requested	2016 Amount Recommended
YouthLink	Ward 35 Scarborough Southwest	\$27,013.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to address growing concerns over the safety of youth in online and the technology generation gap between parents and their children. A total of 30 workshops will be developed and delivered for youth and for parents to raise their awareness of cyber safety and online violence.

Funding Recommendation: This application is not recommended for funding. Other requests were identified as higher priority for support.

Applicant Group # 65	<u>Ward # **</u>	<u>2016 Amount</u> <u>Requested</u>	2016 Amount Recommended
YWCA Toronto	Ward 27 Toronto Centre-Rosedale	\$48,589.00	\$ 0.00

Project Description: This project aims to pilot a mentorship component to an exisiting violence prevention and safety program for girls ages 9 to 13 living in Scarborough.