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STAFF REPORT TO COUNCIL

Report No. 36-2020

Date: June 1, 2020

From: Matthew Armstrong, Chief Administrative Officer & Treasurer

Re: 2020 Community Grant Program Allocations

Recommendation:

That Council approve the following 2020 Community Grant payments:

- \$2,700 Prescott Minor Soccer
- \$1,000 Girls Incorporated
- \$18,000 St. Lawrence Shakespeare Festival

Background / Analysis:

In response to specific requests from the South Grenville Food Bank and Connect Youth, related to COVID-19, \$4,000 was paid to each organization. This breaks down to \$3,000 that Committee of the Whole had approved and an additional \$1,000 that was part of the initial Community Grant request by the South Grenville Food Bank. The breakdown for Connect Youth is \$3,500 that was approved by Committee of the Whole and an additional \$500 that was provided to help support the additional costs related to COVID-19.

At the Council meeting of May 4, 2020, Council approved grant payments for South Grenville Minor Hockey, Kings Kitchen, and Prescott Figure Skating Club. Staff were directed to invite the St. Lawrence Shakespeare Festival to present at the next Council meeting regarding their grant request which occurred on May 19, 2020.

At the Council meeting of May 19, 2020, Council requested that a report come back to Council for consideration of grant approvals for Prescott Minor Soccer, Girl's Incorporated and St. Lawrence Shakespeare Festival.



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Prescott Minor Soccer has cancelled the 2020 season, but sent a letter requesting a grant in the amount of \$2,700 to cover the outlay of expenditures in preparation of the 2020 season. This letter was included in the Council Information Package of May 19, 2020.

Girls' Incorporated had two portions of their grant application for 2020. The in-kind portion was to provide a PA day workshop in May and a STEM day camp in July with the request of the use of the Leo Boivin Community Centre free of charge. It does not appear that this may be possible at this time, however they are planning on providing a similar program virtually. The second portion of the grant application was to provide subsidies for Prescott residents for the regular programming they run. These programs have continued through out this time and will continue to do so throughout the remainder of the year. Therefore, it is recommended that the grant application for \$1,000 be approved.

	Notes	2020 Recommend	2020 Request	2020 Approved
Food For All Food Bank	Paid total request - COVID-19 response	4,000	4,000	4,000
South Grenville Minor Hockey		4,800	4,800	2,400
King's Kitchen		2,500	2,500	2,500
Prescott Minor Soccer		5,000	5,000	-
Prescott Figure Skating Club		6,800	6,800	3,400
Girls Incorporated	In-King Request	1,000	1,000	-
Connect Youth Inc.	Paid total request - COVID-19 response	3,500	3,500	3,500
Connect Youth Inc.	COVID-19 Request	500	500	500
Volunteer Centre of St. Lawrence-Rideau	Community Volunteer Income Tax Program	1,000	3,000	-
Fort Town Night Run	In-Kind Request	-	-	-



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Grenville Historical Society		500	500	-
Prescott Zombie Walk	Review request in 2 nd intake	-	1,500	-
St. Lawrence Shakespeare		18,000	18,000	-
Fire Department Santa Parade		1,000	1,000	-
Spirit of Giving		500	500	-
Subtotal		49,100	52,600	16,300
Unallocated		8,900	-	
Total		58,000	52,600	

Alternatives:

Committee of the Whole may wish to allocate a different amount allocated to Community Grants in 2020.

Financial Implications:

The 2020 Budget includes an allocation \$58,000 for Community Grants.

Attachments:

None

Submitted by

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Chief Administrative Office & Treasurer