

Finance Committee Minutes

Council Chamber City Hall 14245 - 56 Avenue Surrey, B.C. MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2010

Time: 5:49 pm

Present:

Councillor Gill - Chair Councillor Bose Councillor Hepner Councillor Hunt Councillor Martin Councillor Rasode Councillor Steele Councillor Villeneuve Mayor Watts Absent:

Staff Present:

City Clerk
City Manager
City Solicitor
Deputy City Clerk
Deputy City Manager

General Manager, Engineering

General Manager, Finance & Technology General Manager, Human Resources

General Manager, Investment & Intergovernmental Affairs

General Manager, Parks, Recreation & Culture General Manager, Planning & Development

Land Development Engineer

Manager, Area Planning & Development, North Division Manager, Area Planning & Development, South Division

A. CORPORATE REPORTS

1. The Corporate Reports, under date of September 13, 2010, were considered and dealt with as follows:

Item No. Fo18

2010 Late Grant Application - Boothroyd Heritage House

File: 1850-20

The General Manager, Finance and Technology submitted a report concerning 2010 Late Grant Application – Boothroyd Heritage House.

The General Manager, Finance and Technology was recommending approval of the recommendations outlined in her report.

It was

Moved by Councillor Hunt

Seconded by Councillor Hepner

That the Finance Committee recommends

that Council:

- 1. Approve a grant of \$2,900 to Park Ridge Holdings Ltd to assist with offsetting the 2010 property taxes for the Boothroyd Heritage Home at Five Corners in Cloverdale subject to the 2010 property taxes related to the House having been paid in full; and
- 2. Approve the reallocation in the 2010 budget of \$2,000 from the 'Special Recognition' grant allocation and \$900 from 'One Time Grants' allocation to the 'Property Tax' grant allocation to provide funding in support of recommendation 1.

Carried

Item No. Fo19

Assignment to the Surrey Foundation of the City's

"Other One Time Grants" Program

File: 1850-01

The General Manager, Finance and Technology submitted a report to discuss the merits of assigning the administration of some of the on-going City grants programs to the Surrey Foundation and to recommend such an assignment on a 2-year pilot basis.

The General Manager, Finance and Technology was recommending approval of the recommendations outlined in her report.

It was

Moved by Mayor Watts Seconded by Councillor Hunt

That the Finance Committee recommends

that Council:

- 1. Assign to the Surrey Foundation the administration of the City's "Other One Time Grants" Program as outlined in this report for a two year pilot, being 2011 and 2012, after which the effectiveness of this approach is to be evaluated and a report complete with recommendations is to be forwarded to Council; and
- 2. Approve the City making a \$5,000 contribution to the Surrey Foundation for each year of the two year pilot as a "sustaining partner" as described in Appendix "A" of this report.

<u>Carried</u>

B. ADJOURNMENT

It was

Moved by Councillor Martin Seconded by Councillor Steele

That the Finance Committee meeting do

now adjourn.

Carried

The Finance Committee adjourned at 5:53 p.m.

Jane Sullivan, City Clerk

Councillor Gill, Chairperson

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