# **Edmonton Arts Council Community Investment Program**

Travel Grant Recommendations

#### Recommendation:

That Community Services Committee recommend to City Council:

That the Travel Grants, as set out in Attachment 1 of the March 23, 2015, Edmonton Arts Council report CR\_2273, be approved.

# **Report Summary**

A total of \$30,965 is recommended in Travel Grant funding to 45 individuals.

# Report

- Applications were accepted at the Edmonton Arts Council up to 4:30 p.m., on February 2, 2015.
- Sixty-seven eligible applications were received.
- A Peer Jury was appointed in accordance with Bylaw 14157 Community Investment Grant Bylaw and Policy C211G - Community Investment Grants to Organizations and Individuals.
- The jury considered the applications and made funding recommendations to the Edmonton Arts Council Board of Directors.
- The Edmonton Arts Council Board approved the recommendations at their March 2014 meeting.
- In accordance with Bylaw 14157 and Policy C211G, each applicant was notified of the jury's decision.
- Forty-five grants were recommended.
- There are three deadlines annually for this program; the next is June 1, 2015.

### Justification of Recommendation

Grant recommendations are made in accordance with Bylaw 14157 and Policy C211G, and are within the Edmonton Arts Council's approved 2015 Budget.

#### **Attachments**

1. 2015 Travel Grants - February Deadline