

Community Investment Program – Celebrations Grant Recommendations

Justification of Recommendation

The recommendations are made in accordance with Bylaw 14157 and Policy C211F.

Attachments

1. CIP Celebrations - Program Summary

Recommendation:

That Community Services Committee recommend to City Council:

That the Community Investment Program Celebrations Grants as outlined in Attachment 1 of the April 30, 2013, Edmonton Arts Council report 2013EAC004, be approved.

Report Summary

A total of \$41,000 is recommended in Celebrations funding to 7 Organizations.

Report

- Applications were accepted at the Edmonton Arts Council up to 4:30 p.m., on March 1, 2013.
- Seven applications were received.
- A Peer Jury was appointed in accordance with Bylaw 14157 Community Investment Grant.
- Bylaw and Policy C211F - Community Investment Grants to Organizations and Individuals.
- The Peer Jury considered the applications and made funding recommendations to the Edmonton Arts Council Board of Directors.
- The Board approved the recommendations in April 2013.
- Seven Organizations are recommended for funding through this program.

CIP Celebrations – Program Summary

Purpose

This program is intended to assist, through limited financial assistance, with the production of one-day celebratory events and/or major parades within the City of Edmonton.

Level of support

In accordance with Bylaw 14157 and Policy C211F, support through the City of Edmonton Community Investment Program may be provided to a maximum of 25% of the applicant's operating budget.

Recommendations

Event	Organization	13 Recommend
EI Once	Memoria Viva Society of Edmonton	\$ 1,000
Art In Our Park	Riverbend Community League	2,500
Celebrate Canada Day in Mill Woods	Mill Woods Presidents' Council	10,000
Celebrate Summer	Old Strathcona Foundation	12,000
African Arts and Poetry Day	The Council for Advancement of African Canadians in Alberta	2,500
26th Annual Jingle On Indoor Santa Claus Parade	Downtown Business Association of Edmonton	8,000
Sourdough Raft Race	Sourdough Raft Race Association	5,000
Total		\$41,000