
CITY OF KELOWNA

MEMORANDUM

Date: April 20, 2009
To: City Manager
From: Women's & Community Advisory Committee
Subject: Allocation of Committee Budget.

Report Prepared by: *Staff Liaison Corinne Boback and Chair Elizabeth Woods*

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Council receive for information the report of the Women's & Community Advisory Committee dated April 20, 2009;

AND THAT Council endorse the allocation of existing budget as follows:

- (a) To purchase a video to honour child care provider, up to a maximum of \$1,000.00;
- (b) A Community Forum, 'Women Voices for Change!' to be held October 16, 2009 up to a maximum of \$3,000.00. The Forum will focus on creating a safer, healthier and equitable Kelowna as stated in the Committee's Terms of Reference.

BACKGROUND:

On May 29, 2009, A "Child Care Appreciation Event" will be hosted in our community in conjunction with Bob Kay, Community Early Learning Coordinator, from CATCH. In consultation with the child care communities from Oyama to Peachland, Bob Kay will coordinate this year's Child Care Appreciation Event. This will involve CATCH film equipment, local media attention and prizes for child care providers. The committee wishes to designate \$1000 of their budget towards the purchase and ownership of the video that will be created by Bob Kay that honors local child care providers.

Furthermore, on October 16, 2009, the "Women – Voices of Change!" forum will be held in our community. The annual forum is the ideal opportunity to hear from women about issues that affect them. We need input from women in order to institute change locally. The committee would like to designate \$3000 of their budget towards helping this event out in order to help create a safer Kelowna.

LEGAL/STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

S. 142 of *Community Charter*

LEGAL/STATUTORY PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS:

Council Procedure Bylaw No. 9200 and Council Committees Policy No. 285



Considerations that were not applicable to this report:

INTERNAL CIRCULATION TO:

EXISTING POLICY:

FINANCIAL/BUDGETARY CONSIDERATIONS:

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS:

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

EXTERNAL AGENCY/PUBLIC COMMENTS:

COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATIONS:

ALTERNATE RECOMMENDATION:

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for

E. Woods, Chair