



Town of Erin

Corporate Report

Department: Corporate Services

Business Unit: Finance

**Presented/
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F2024-09

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Subject

Community Grants Allocation Recommendation 2024

Recommendation

Be it resolved that Council hereby receive report number F2024-09 “*Community Grants Allocation Recommendation 2024*” for information;

And that Council direct staff to distribute proceeds as recommended by the Committee in Appendix A.

Background

Every year, the Town of Erin accepts applications from community organizations to access funds from the Community Grant budget of \$20.5k. The Community Grants Policy is used to select members of the Community Grants Committee and as a guide to select recipient organizations. For the year 2024, the appointed committee members are Mayor Dehn, Councilor Cheyne, the CAO, the Director of Emergency Services and Town Fire Chief, and the Director of Finance and Treasurer. The committee members evaluated the applications under the principles set out in the Community Grants Policy.

For 2024, the Town received 21 applications for a total of \$42,650 in grant requests. The submissions were reviewed by the Community Grants Committee on March 25, 2024. Based on eligibility and application criteria set out in the policy (attached as Appendix B), the Committee is recommending utilizing the full community grant budget and allocate as per the listing in Appendix A.

Strategic Pillar

Service Excellence & Good Governance

Financial Impact

The 2024 Budget contains \$20,500 available for distribution to community organizations and recommendations in Appendix A are within the spending limit.

Conclusion

That Council receive report F2024-09 “Community Grants Allocation Recommendation 2024” for information and direct staff to distribute proceeds as per Appendix A.

Attachments

Appendix A – 2024 Community Grant Recommendations

Appendix B – Community Grants Policy

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