

Memorandum

Date: May 12, 2020
Submitted by: Community Services Department – Cultural Services Division
Subject: Delegation Response – Fish Fest Creative Café

This memo was originally scheduled to be brought to Council in March 2020; however, it was delayed as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic conditions.

On February 18, 2020, Council received a delegation from the organizers of the Burrard Inlet Fish Fest and Indigenous Canoe Race (**Attachment 1**). As well as thanking Council for supporting their 2019 event, Mr. Jay Peachy also proposed a monthly series of arts programming events to be presented at Rocky Point Park over six months between April and September.

Mr. Peachy provided additional details regarding the proposed series to staff following the delegation (**Attachments 2 to 4**).

Mr. Peachy also submitted an application through the Festival and Special Event Assistance program to support this initiative. The request has a total value of \$5,157:

- Picnic shelter fee waiver: \$159.50/activation = \$957;
- In-kind staff support: \$200/activation = \$1,200; and
- Financial grant: \$500/activation = \$3,000.

Staff recently connected with Mr. Peachy and were advised that, given the COVID-19 pandemic and the uncertainty of being able to host any in-person event, the proposed programming series is no longer being considered for Rocky Point Park.

As the delegation's request to host the Fish Fest Creative Café series and accompanying grant application through the Festival and Special Event Assistance Program have been withdrawn for 2020, no further action is required by the City. The recommended resolution is:

THAT the memo dated May 12, 2020 from the Community Services Department – Cultural Services Division regarding Delegation Response – Fish Fest Creative Café be received for information.

Attachment(s):

1. Delegation Request – Fish Fest.
2. Fish Fest Creative Café Event Outline.
3. Fish Fest Creative Café Site Map.
4. MetroVan Repair Cafés' Letter of Support.

Report Approval Details

Document Title:	Fish Fest Creative Cafe - Delegation Response.docx
Attachments:	- Attachment 1 - Fish Fest Delgation Request.pdf - Attachment 2 - Fish Fest Creative Cafe Event Oultine.pdf - Attachment 3 - FishFest 2020 Rocky Point Park Set-up.pdf - Attachment 4 - MVRC Letter of Support.pdf
Final Approval Date:	Jul 7, 2020

This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Kate Zanon, General Manager of Community Services - Jun 29, 2020 - 8:16 AM

Dorothy Shermer, Corporate Officer - Jun 29, 2020 - 11:04 AM

Rosemary Lodge, Manager of Communications and Engagement - Jun 29, 2020 - 11:34 AM

Paul Rockwood, General Manager of Finance and Technology - Jun 29, 2020 - 11:59 AM

Tim Savoie, City Manager - Jul 7, 2020 - 6:28 AM