

# **Report to Committee**

To: General Purposes Committee Date: March 11, 2024

From: Marie Fenwick File: 11-7400-01/2024-Vol

Director, Arts, Culture and Heritage Services 01

Re: 2024 Community Celebration Grants Allocation

# **Staff Recommendations**

1. That the 2024 Community Celebration Grants be awarded for the recommended amount of \$52,536 as identified in Attachment 2 of the staff report titled, "2024 Community Celebration Grants Allocation", dated March 11, 2024, from the Director, Arts, Culture and Heritage Services; and

2. That the grant funds be distributed accordingly.

Marie Fenwick

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Att. 2

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## Staff Report

# Origin

The Neighbourhood Celebration Grant Program was relaunched in 2022 and delivered again in 2023. As part of the 2024 City Events Program at the regular Council meeting on November 27, 2023, Council endorsed the staff recommendation to split the program into two streams – the Community Celebration Grant Program and the Neighbourhood Block Party Program.

This change was proposed as a result of a review of the existing program and best practices research indicating that up to \$2,000 is suitable for a community-level event that is open to a broader public group while \$500 is a more suitable amount for a block party that is generally accessible to a more localized group of people.

The purpose of this report is to outline the Community Celebration Grant program process and recommend the recipients for Council approval.

This report supports Council's Strategic Plan 2022-2026 Focus Area #6 A Vibrant, Resilient and Active Community:

Vibrant, resilient and active communities supported by a wide variety of opportunities to get involved, build relationships and access resources.

- 6.3 Foster intercultural harmony, community belonging, and social connections.
- 6.4 Support vulnerable populations through collaborative and sustainable programs and services.

This report supports the following Strategic Directions set out in the *Richmond Arts Strategy*:

Strategic Direction #2: Promote Inclusivity and Diversity in the Arts

- 2.1. Celebrate Richmond's cultural diversity, history, growth and change as a community.
- 2.1.5 Connect with the diverse cultural communities of Richmond (including faith-based communities) to encourage sharing of art, food and music.

This report supports the following Strategic Directions set out in the *Community Wellness Strategy*:

Focus Area #2: Enhance physical and social connectedness within and among neighbourhoods and communities.

Also, this report supports the following Strategic Directions set out in the *Cultural Harmony Plan*:

Strategic Direction #1: Intercultural Connections

- 1.1 Continue to recognize and celebrate Richmond's diverse cultures and unique heritage through intercultural celebrations and events.
- 1.2 Develop and implement a neighbourhood approach to facilitating positive intercultural exchange and understanding between Richmond's diverse cultural communities, such as community-based dialogues, storytelling, and sharing of art, food, and music.
- 1.5 Incorporate criteria into the City Grant program that supports programs and events that facilitate intercultural interaction and promote intercultural understanding.

# Strategic Direction #5: Programs and Services

5.4 Strengthen relationships with various cultural and ethnic communities in order to integrate their arts, cultural and heritage practices into the City's programs and events.

# **Analysis**

# Program Objectives and Eligibility Criteria

The Community Celebration Grant Program supports the Council-endorsed guiding principles for City events, including building local capacity by investing in community-driven events, providing opportunities for Richmond residents and community groups to collaborate, contribute and participate; and maximizing social benefits to the community by fostering volunteerism and increasing sense of community pride and belonging.

# The objectives of the program are to:

- Provide an opportunity for Richmond based school student councils and Parent Advisory Committees, faith-based groups and not-for-profit groups to receive funding to support hosting a free public event that offer opportunities to connect residents of diverse backgrounds through shared experiences;
- Encourage the development of grassroots events that support priority themes identified in the Cultural Harmony Plan, such as facilitating intercultural interaction and promoting intercultural understanding;
- Inspire community event planners to collaborate with community partners and Richmond-based artists; and
- Promote environmentally sustainable event practices, ensuring events follow the principles in the Richmond Sustainable Event Toolkit.

# Eligible applicants include:

- Richmond-based not-for-profit community organizations/groups;
- Richmond-based not-for-profit faith-based groups;
- Richmond Parent Advisory Committees (PAC); and
- Richmond School Student Councils.

# Eligibility criteria include:

- Event must be held in Richmond;
- Event must demonstrate alignment with program objectives, including creating events that build community in Richmond;
- Event must be free and open to the public;
- Applicant must demonstrate the capacity to host the event and a realistic estimate of resources and total budget required; and
- The event must take place in Richmond between June 1 and December 31, 2024.

Individuals, political parties or events related to political activities or lobbying, events or projects that have funding from another City of Richmond grants program, and for-profit organizations and businesses are ineligible for funding.

The Council-approved Richmond Neighbourhood Block Party Program, which has been separated from the Community Celebration Grant Program, will provide an opportunity for neighbours (two individuals not from the same household) to apply for up to \$500.00 in funding to host a block party that connects residents in their neighbourhood/strata. The program will launch to the community in April 2024. Council will be updated via a memo prior to the launch.

# Program Promotions and Applications Received

The launch of the Community Celebration Grant Program was announced to the public, local non-profit and faith-based groups on January 29, 2024, via the City website, *What's On Bulletin*, the City's social media channels, Richmond School District No. 38 student councils and PACs, targeted communications to previous program applicants, groups and in community facilities throughout Richmond. (Attachment 1 – Community Celebration Grant Program Guidelines).

77 applications were received by the February 25, 2024 deadline. A summary of all submissions can be found in Attachment 2.

## **Adjudication Process**

Of the 77 applications, 46 are recommended for funding. 29 do not meet the eligibility criteria or program mandate, and two are ineligible but recommended for the Neighbourhood Block Party Program.

An adjudication panel reviewed the applications and evaluated each project based on five key areas: alignment with program objectives, inclusiveness/accessibility and diversity, capacity, budget, and sustainability. The panel then assigned each project a score.

The 46 eligible projects requested a cumulative total of \$88,578 in total eligible funding requests.

For each application, the adjudicated score (expressed as a percentage) was multiplied by the project's eligible funding request and adjusted to accommodate the existing Council-approved budget, resulting in a total recommended funding of \$52,536.

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While this amount exceeds the \$50,000 in 2024 funding approved by Council, staff recommend that the additional \$2,536 be allocated from the funds remaining from prior year funding to allow for the recommended funding to be distributed. These funds are available as a result of funds returned by recipients who either chose not to proceed with their proposed events or who did not require their full grant allocation to successfully deliver their event.

# **Next Steps**

Pending Council approval of the 2024 Community Celebration Grant Program allocation, all applicants will be notified of the status of their application. Staff will provide the necessary resources and guidance to all successful applicants, including referring them to the Richmond Event Approval Coordination Team (REACT) process, if necessary. Applicants whose submissions are ineligible will be provided with recommendations to inform potential future applications, directed to the Neighbourhood Block Party Program, and/or provided connections with community organizations/associations which may offer future partnership opportunities either within or outside of this program.

Applicants who receive funding will be required to submit a final report providing an overview of the event/initiative, including the number of attendees, how the funds were used, and photographs.

# **Financial Impact**

The 2024 Community Celebration Grant Program budget of \$50,000 was approved as part of the City's 2024 Operating Budget. In addition, this program has an unutilized balance of \$2,536 from prior year funding. A total of \$52,536 in allocations is being recommended for the 2024 Community Celebration Grant program for Council approval.

## Conclusion

The distribution of \$52,536 through the 2024 Community Celebration Grant Program will support Richmond-based non-profit and faith-based groups, student councils and PACs, to develop and deliver events open to the public and/or a broader community. These events will provide lasting social benefits to the community by enhancing event planning and hosting capacity within Richmond, encouraging intercultural connections, and contributing to an increased sense of community connectedness and belonging.

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Att. 1: Richmond Community Celebration Grant Program Guidebook

2: Application Summary: Community Celebration Grant Program

ATTACHMENT 1

# RICHMOND GRANT PROGRAM



Receive up to \$2,000 in funding to create an event that connects residents and builds community.

richmond.ca/CelebrationGrant





## **OBJECTIVES:**

The Richmond Community Celebration Grant Program is designed to provide funding support for not-for-profit organizations, not-for-profit faith-based groups, Parent Advisory Committees and Student Councils for hosting free public events that connect and build community in Richmond.

## This year's program will:

- Support participatory activities reflective of the theme of connection;
- Encourage collaboration amongst not-forprofit organizations and school-based groups to animate neighbourhoods, local business districts, parks and open spaces; and
- Support free public events that facilitate intercultural interaction and promote intercultural understanding.

## **ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS:**

- Richmond-based not-for-profit community organizations/groups
- Richmond-based not-for-profit faith-based groups
- Parent Advisory Committees
- Student Councils

## INELIGIBLE APPLICANTS:

- Individual applicants
- Political parties or events related to political activities or lobbying
- Events that have funding from another City of Richmond grant program or fund
- For-profit organizations or businesses
- City of Richmond Staff or Council members with a direct, indirect or perceived conflict of interest

## **ELIGIBLE PROJECT EXPENSES:**

- Supplies and materials (e.g., craft supplies, name tags, etc.)
- Rental of event infrastructure (e.g., tents, tables, chairs, etc.)
- Food
- Artist fees/honorariums
- Sustainability initiatives
- Marketing materials
- · Event insurance
- Volunteer support (e.g., snacks, water, sun protection supplies, high-visibility safety vests, etc.)

## **INELIGIBLE PROJECT EXPENSES:**

- Expenses that have already been incurred at the time of the application
- Purchase of event infrastructure (e.g., tents, tables, chairs, etc.)
- Purchase of games/activities that will not be made accessible to the community post-event (e.g., board games, sports equipment, etc.)
- Building construction and repairs
- Proposals that primarily fund or award other groups or individuals
- Political activities
- Travel costs (e.g., bus passes, gas, etc.)
- Ongoing operational expenses for organizations, including staffing costs/wages for regular operational purposes
- Capital projects
- Office administration
- Fundraisers
- Deficit reduction
- · Event held outside of Richmond
- Bursaries or scholarships
- · Giveaway prizes/"swag" items
- Alcohol

## ASSESSMENT CRITERIA:

2023 Neighbourhood Celebration Grant recipients who apply must submit their 2023 Final Report by February 25, 2024 at 11:59pm in order to be considered for funding this year

## Event is required to:

- ☑ take place in Richmond
- take place between June 1 and December 31, 2024
- demonstrate alignment with program objectives including creating events that build community in Richmond
- be inclusive, accessible and demonstrate engagement of community members from diverse backgrounds
- ☑ be free and open to the public
- primarily benefit Richmond residents
- encourage the collaboration and/or participation of Richmond-based artists, makers and/or entertainers

## Applications/Applicants must:

- show evidence of capacity to host event
- show a realistic estimate of resources needed and total budget required
- demonstrate commitment to incorporate sustainability initiatives
- commit to submitting an additional Online
  Event Application (if request made by the Grant
  Administration Team) and comply with any
  relevant requirements through the Online Event
  Application process that may be in place at
  the time of event delivery. Further information
  regarding the Online Event Application can be
  found in the "Web Links" section below.

## **POST-EVENT DELIVERABLES:**

- Two photos of the event with signed photo waivers
- Final Report within four weeks of event completion (expense report to be included)
- Refund cheque to the City of Richmond (for successful 2024 grant applicants that have more than \$50.00 of grant funding leftover)

### **APPLICATION TIMELINES:**

- Opens: Monday, January 29, 2024
- · Closes: Sunday, February 25, 2024 at 11:59pm
- Note: Event is required to take place between June 1 and December 31, 2024

## WEB LINKS:

- Apply online: richmond.ca/CelebrationGrant
- 2023 Neighbourhood Celebration Grant recipients: Find instructions for submitting your 2023 Final Report at richmond.ca/CityGrants
- Information about the Online Event Application: https://richmond.ca/\_\_shared/assets/ eventguide35661.pdf
- NEW! If you are interested in hosting a block party in your Richmond neighbourhood, visit richmond.ca/BlockPartyFund starting April 15, 2024 to check if you are eligible to apply for the 2024 Richmond Neighbourhood Block Party Fund. Applications open on April 15, 2024.



# APPLICANT SUMMARY: COMMUNITY CELEBRATION GRANT PROGRAM

All projects were evaluated by the adjudication team based on five key areas: alignment with program objectives; inclusiveness, accessibility and diversity; capacity; budget and sustainability and were assigned a percentage ranking (A). Staff then determined which items in the applicant's detailed budget were eligible costs (B). For each project, the adjudicated score (A) was multiplied by the eligible costs (B) and then multiplied by 87.4% to determine the recommended funding amount allow for all 46 projects to be funded within the Council-approved amount of \$50,000 and funds of \$2,536 remaining from prior year funding. (C). The reduction of 12.6% to the eligible requested funding allows for all 46 projects to be funded within the Council-approved budget.

Some projects are ineligible for funding as they did not meeting the criteria and/or guidelines (e.g., project was proposed indoors, project fell outside of eligible time period, applicants did not show capacity to put on the project, etc.)

Project Number	Organization and Project Name	Event Description	(A) Rounded Percentage	(B) Eligible Requested Funding	(C) (A) x (B)*87.4% (C) Adjudicators Recommended Grant Funding
1	Air Cadet League of Canada (609 Steveston Squadron) - 609 Annual Ceremonial Review Parade	This event invites the community to view the host parade involving the 609 Steveston Squadron's Air Cadet unit.	68%	\$2,000	\$1,189
2	Atira Women's Resource Society - Willow Early Childhood Learning Centre Open House	An open house where parents and children from the Centre invite the community to celebrate and enjoy the spaces at Willow.	46%	\$1,600	\$643
3	Beth Tikvah Congregation and Centre Association - Community Wellness Day	This event invites the community to engage with and learn about modern Jewish culture through a day of wellness. The event includes an exercise program, chanting, storytelling, mindfulness activities, crafts, and short guided tours.	76%	\$2,000	\$1,328
4	Blair PAC - Sports Day Community Carnival	This event invites parents, students, the community, local vendors, and small business owners to celebrate the Blair School Community Sports Day Carnival.	70%	\$2,000	\$1,224
5	Latino Family Day	This cultural event will facilitate connections of Latinos and others in Richmond through networking and sharing music and culture.	53%	\$1,700	\$787

6	Chabad Richmond - Chabad Richmond Community Summer Family BBQ	A picnic in July at London Farm to connect the community.	72%	\$2,000	\$1,259
7	Church on Five - Community Carnival	A free carnival experience for Richmond families to gather and to build connections between different cultures and groups of people.	60%	\$2,000	\$1,049
8	East Richmond Community Association - Showing our Pride at Cambie Community Centre	This event will kick off Pride Week in Richmond with a program geared towards those above 13 years of age interested in self-expression and celebrating 2SLGBTQI+ community.	71%	\$1,728	\$1,072
9	Evangelical Formosan Church of Greater Vancouver - Summer Block Party	This event will include food, carnival games, a BBQ, art, and music to bring families together in the community and celebrate the different cultures.	42%	\$2,000	\$734
10	Ferris Elementary PAC - Music in the Park	The event invites the neighbourhood to come out and enjoy an outdoor concert performed by the school's bands.	70%	\$2,000	\$1,224
11	Gateway Theatre -Summer Songs by the Lake	A concert in the lakes area of Minoru Park, featuring a singer and musician set to perform selections of musical theatre and opera.	73%	\$2,000	\$1,276
12	Gulf of Georgia Cannery Society - Welcoming the Sun	This event aims to bring together diverse audiences of all ages in celebration of Indigenous culture, history and knowledge. The organizers will collaborate with many Indigenous performers, artists, storytellers, vendors and knowledge keepers.	78%	\$1,800	\$1,227
13	Islamic Art of BC - The Islamic Art Experience	This event aims to unite community members through the discovery of Islamic Art at the Richmond Public Library.	52%	\$2,000	\$909
14	James Gilmore Elementary School Parent Advisory Co James Gilemore Elementary School Indigenous Engagement Event	A school fair that invites both school families and community members to attend.	90%	\$2,000	\$1,573
15	Kingswood Elementary School Parent Advisory Committee - Kingswood Community's Got Talent and Picnic in the Park	A talent show to showcase the diversity and talents of students to their families and the local neighbourhood.	56%	\$2,000	\$979

16	Kobe Memory Basketball Club - Sunset Fraser Basketball Festival	A gathering for basketball fans with games and entertainment. The event will involve connection and cooperation with local community members and non-profit organizations.	63%	\$2,000	\$1,101
17	London Heritage Farm Society - Arts in the Park (Performing Arts)	Concerts on the lawn of the London Farm site this Summer featuring local community performing arts individuals/groups.	55%	\$2,000	\$961
18	McKay PAC - McKay Community Potluck	A sustainable, planet-friendly potluck for the neighbourhood and community, serving sustainably grown food, welcoming the use of cloth napkins and flatware from home. Each unique dish carries a story, offering the opportunity to cross borders and share new experiences.	66%	\$1,050	\$606
19	Minoru Seniors Society - Intercultural Celebrations in the Plaza	The event connects seniors to their community by fostering social connections in outdoor spaces. The event will feature public performances, and bitesized food samples.	77%	\$2,000	\$1,346
20	More Than A Roof Housing Society - Summer Fun 2024	The event will bring the community together to enjoy a mini carnival, food and games.	40%	\$2,000	\$699
21	Multicultural Helping House Society - Together with Us - Celebrating Cultural Diversities	This event invites the neighbourhood to enjoy a cultural parade, performers, singers, icebreaker games, and food.	75%	\$2,000	\$1,311
22	Richmond Art Gallery Association - Collage Party	This event invites the community to learn, connect and create collages with artists who have current exhibits at the Art Gallery.	73%	\$2,000	\$1,276
23	Richmond City Centre Community Association - Trick or Treat at City Centre	A fun and safe way to trick-or-treat in Richmond's urban centre, whileconnecting with arts and culture. The event will include trick-or-treating at mini houses, arts and crafts, and storytelling.	72%	\$2,000	\$1,259
24	Richmond Cosom Floor Hockey Association - RCFHA Fall Celebration	An open house for the community to try floor hockey.	53%	\$2,000	\$926

25	Richmond Family Place Society - Roots & Relationships	An engaging outdoor summer community event that aims to foster connections with community members. Activities include gardening, sustainability demonstrations, partner agency resources, and local food experiences.	78%	\$2,000	\$1,363
26	Urban Bounty - Wellness in the Garden	This event welcomes all community members to Terra Nova Barn and Community Gardens, with the goal of bringing together a diverse range of residents to connect with each other while learning how connecting with nature can help improve health and wellbeing.	75%	\$2,000	\$1,311
27	Richmond Intermediate Care Society - Family Day at the Park	This event aims to offer the opportunity for Rosewood Manor residents and family members to spend a day outside the manor, provide an opportunity for the surrounding community to learn about the Rosewood Manor community, and celebrate people from different cultures who live and/or work in Richmond. Features performances by a Filipino dance group, Taiko 55 drummers, and the Rosewood Manor Drum Circle.	75%	\$2,000	\$1,311
28	Richmond Jewish Day School - Back to School Community Connection Barbecue	The event will be for the community to learn about each others faiths, cultures and traditions through a community BBQ held at the school. RJDS will also be inviting members from across the 'Highway to Heaven' community.	71%	\$2,000	\$1,241
29	Richmond Kiwanis Senior Citizens Housing Society - Annual Community Seniors BBQ	A BBQ that brings together the vibrant senior population in our community to foster a sense of community and connection among our residents. The event will incorporate local artists, adding a creative and cultural dimension.	70%	\$2,000	\$1,224
30	Richmond Minor Football League (RMFL) - Richmond Raiders Spring Wrap-Up Event/Coaches Cup 2024	This event is an open house for the community to try and watch football.	69%	\$2,000	\$1,206
31	Richmond Multicultural Community Services - A Vision for Richmond - A Connection of New and Old	This event encourages newcomers to come together to enjoy food, entertainment and learn about the resources in the community.	73%	\$2,000	\$1,276

32	National Indigenous People Day Celebration, 3D	These events are to celebrate and learn about the history of National Indigenous Peoples Day and BC Rivers Day through guest speakers, live performances and artists.	72%	\$2,000	\$1,259
33	Richmond Winter Club - Open House	An open house to introduce the community to curling including wheelchair and adapted curling.	82%	\$2,000	\$1,433
34	RJ Tait Elementary School PAC- Tait Community Summer Kick- Off	A BBQ aimed to connect students, parents by and the neighbourhood.	70%	\$2,000	\$1,224
35	South Arm Community Association - Community Block Party	This event serves as an opportunity for the local community to gather with neighbours and friends to enjoy an evening in the park. Includes live entertainment, outdoor intercultural games, refreshments and local non-profit organization community booths.	73%	\$2,000	\$1,276
36	St. Albans - Songs for the Season	This inclusive event brings the community together through festive seasonal music and food and is intended to promote intercultural collegiality.	68%	\$1,900	\$1,129
37	St. Joseph the Worker - St. Joseph the Worker Neighbourhood Celebration	This event offers residents a chance to participate in a community celebration enjoying kids crafts, carnival games, food, local entertainers and face painters.	66%	\$2,000	\$1,154
38	Steveston Community Society - Summer Fun in the Park	This event focuses on connecting local community members through inclusive and accessible activities for all ages. Hosted bi-weekly, activities include crafts, coloring, physical literacy, live talent and organized games facilitated by summer volunteers and staff.	73%	\$1,500	\$957
39	Steveston Historical Society - Steveston Vintage Fair	An "upscale vintage inspired" fair with curated antiques, clothing, jewerly, china, toys and more. A Japanese themed day will offer interactive demonstrations of origami and ikebana, as well as Japanese food.	70%	\$2,000	\$1,224
40	The Salvation Army Richmond Corps - Christmas Celebration Community Meal	An opporunity to celebrate the holiday with a dinner for the community.	46%	\$2,000	\$804

Total Amount Requested: \$					\$ 52
46	Council - Westwind PAC Community Carnival	families, and neighbours to celebrate the community.	72%	\$2,000	\$1,259
45	West Richmond Community Association - Summer Event Series Westwind Parsent Advisory	This event series welcomes the community to enjoy games, crafts, art stations by local artists, and local music performances.  A carnival that brings together students,	77%	\$2,000	\$1,346
44	Tzu Chi Foundation of Canada - Tzu Chi Sun Flower Festival	This free event invites the community to take pictures, enjoy a picnic in the field, watch local community entertainment and browse local vendors.	64%	\$2,000	\$1,119
43	Turning Point Recovery Society - Turning Point Recovery Society's Summer BBQ for Mental Health, Addictions and Homelessness Awareness	A BBQ that aims to create an inclusive and welcoming environment that fosters community engagment in Richmond. Activities include open-mic sessions, a resource fair and a community art project.	70%	\$2,000	\$1,224
42	Thompson Community Association - Thompson Community Picnic	Designed to cater to families and friends of all ages and backgrounds, this event offers a wide range of activities, from free drop-in sports and arts programs to try-it activities and food.	77%	\$1,300	\$875
41	Thompson Community Association - Celebrating 10 years of Terra Nova Nature School	A community party that celebrates the Terra Nova Nature School including local performers, nature-based activities, and tours.	78%	\$2,000	\$1,363

ot Recommended for Funding				
Project Number	Organization and Project	Rationale		
47	Adopt a Senior - Adopt a Senior	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.		
48	ALS Society of BC - Move to Cure ALS	Ineligible application. It is a fundraiser.		
49	Ave Maria Garden Foundation - Bouquets of Diversity: Celebrating Multiculturalism in Richmond	Ineligible application. It is a workshop.		

50	Blundell Elementary School PAC - Blundell School Skate Night	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
51	Canada Chain Commerce and Culture Association - The 14th Chinese's Small Golden Bell Music Oversea Final Contest Show	Ineligible application. It is a contest.
52	Dixon Elementary School PAC - Winter Wonderland Family Skate	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
53	Ecole Elementaire William Bridge - Grade 7 Summer Splash	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
54	General Curry School PAC - Parents & Teachers Opening Meet and Greet Celebration Event	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
55	Hamilton Community Association - Hamilton Night Out	Ineligible application. The event already received funding through the Parks, Recreation and Community Events Grants program.
56	Henry Anderson PAC - Anderson Community Welcome Back to School	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
57	HJ Cambie Sec School Student Council - HJ Cambie Day	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
58	Homma Elementary PAC - Homma Family Celebration	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
59	James Thompson Elementary School PAC - Meet the Staff BBQ	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
60	James Whiteside PAC - Community BBQ	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
61	JN Burnett Sec School - JNB Welcome Back Party	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
62	Limitless Art Academy Ltd Eco-Art: Interior Design DIY Workshop	Ineligible application. The organization is not a not-for-profit.
63	MacNeil Sec. PAC - Year End Community BBQ	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
64	Mamas for Mamas - Community Days	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
65	McNeely PAC - Summer Solstice Community BBQ	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.

66	Palmer Secondary Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) - Palmer Grad Parents Dinner/Info Night	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
67	Pian Pian Dancing Society - Richmond Chinese Mid- Autumn Festival Gala	Proposal does not align sufficiently with grant objectives.
68	Pythagoras Academy - Outdoor Interactive-Art Celebration in Richmond	Ineligible application. Event falls outside of eligible time period.
69	Richmond Arts Coalition - Artist Afternoons	Ineligible application. It is a workshop.
70	Richmond Neighbourhood Watch - Labour Day Neighbourhood Celebration	Ineligible application. The group is not a non-for-profit group. May be eligible for a Neighbourhood Block Party Fund.
71	Sea Island Community Association - Burkeville Halloween Haunted Trail	Ineligible application. The event already received funding through another City of Richmond fund.
72	September Saxophone Club - Mid-Summer Autumn Festival Gala: Anniversary Celebration	Proposal does not align sufficiently with grant objectives.
73	Spul'u'kwuks Elementary Parent Advisory Council - Meet the Teacher Night BBQ	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
74	Terra Nova Housing Co- Operative - Terra Nova Co-op Socials Night	Proposal does not align sufficiently with grant objectives. Staff will work with the group to apply for the Neighbourhood Block Party Fund.
75	Vancouver Shuhua Academy Society - Richmond Fusion of Fans and Vision Exhibition	Proposal does not align sufficiently with grant objectives.
76	Walter Lee PAC - Walter Lee Welcome Back Event	Ineligible application. It is not a public event.
77	Xing Wu Zen Temple Society - International Buddha Bathing Day	Ineligible application. Event falls outside of eligible time period.