



REPORT

To: Rural Budgets Administration Committee

Report Number: FN-RBAC-038

From: Teri Vetter, Chief Financial Officer

Date: November 10, 2020

Subject: Grant Request – Fort St. John Minor Hockey Association

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Rural Budgets Administration Committee authorize a grant in the amount of \$2,500, payable from Electoral Area B Fair Share, to be issued to Fort St. John Minor Hockey Association for the purchase of a “fogger” applicator.

BACKGROUND/RATIONALE:

Fort St. John Minor Hockey Association is requesting a grant in the amount of \$2,500 to purchase a “fogger” applicator that will allow them to clean their dressing rooms to the provincially recognized standard that Northern Health and the City of Fort St. John require due to COVID-19.

Currently, there is limited access to dressing rooms and showers because of the enhanced cleaning protocols in place to prevent the spread of the virus. Showers are an essential part of the facility and players are not able to shower after their ice times and must sit through the remainder of their school day without having had a shower. Showers are necessary to ensure basic hygiene for players and with a fogger, they could properly sanitize dressing rooms, allowing players to shower after their ice times.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS:

1. That the Rural Budgets Administration Committee respectfully deny the grant application from Fort St. John Minor Hockey and provide no grant funding.
2. That the Rural Budgets Administration Committee provide further direction.

STRATEGIC PLAN RELEVANCE:

☒ Not Applicable to Strategic Plan.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION(S):

As of October 31st, 2020 the balance after the remaining commitments in Electoral Area B Fair Share was \$995,290.02.

COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATION(S):

The applicant will be notified in writing of the Rural Budgets Administration Committee decision and, if grant funding is approved, will be asked to recognize the Regional District for its contribution.

OTHER CONSIDERATION(S):

None at this time.

Attachments:

1. FSJMHA Grant Application
2. FSJMHA Funding Letter
3. FSJMHA Balance Sheet 2020-2021
4. FSJMHA Income Statement 2020-2021