AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY



Date: 22/05/2020

To: Chair and Directors, Cariboo Regional District Board
And To: John MacLean, Chief Administrative Officer
From: Miriam Schilling, Regional Economic/Community Development Officer
Date of Meeting: Cariboo Regional District Board_May29_2020
File: 1855-04

Short Summary:

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NDIT application – Horsefly Community Hall Kitchen Renovation – Phase 2

Voting:

Corporate Vote – Unweighted

Memorandum:

For the Board's consideration, please find attached an application to the Northern Development Initiative Trust (NDIT) from the Horsefly Community Club. The request is for \$15,000 in grant funding under the Community Halls and Recreation Facilities Program.

The kitchen of the Community Hall is being completely rebuilt to a fully licensed commercial kitchen with all stainless appliances and work surfaces.

Other funding for the project, which has a total value of \$22,000, will be provided by the applicant (\$1,000), the Horsefly Women's Institute (\$5,000) and a personal donation (\$1,000). A copy of the application to Northern Development Initiative Trust is attached with this agenda item as a detailed project background.

Prior to forwarding the proposal to the NDIT for Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) consideration, all applications to the Regional Development accounts require a resolution of support from the local government with jurisdiction in the project.

Attachments:

Final NDIT Proposal – Horsefly Community Club

Financial Implications:

None

Policy Implications:

Policy No. 2017-3A-33 (Northern Development Initiative Trust Applications Policy) states:

That in the absence of knowledge of material legal, ethical, or other improprieties, the CRD will support all applications to the NDIT for funding, without regard to the project's merit.

Alignment with Strategic Plan:

- □ **Communication**: Facilitate communication strategies throughout the entire Cariboo Regional District that meet the needs of residents, community stakeholders, and other levels of government.
- Planning: Intentionally plan services and activities of the CRD to prepare for future needs of residents and community stakeholders.
- Economic Sustainability: Foster an environment to ensure the economic sustainability of CRD communities and the region.
- **Governance**: Ensure that CRD governance policy and practices are intentional, transparent, and respectful.

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CAO Comments:

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Options:

1) Approval of the recommendation; 2) Receipt and other action; 3) Defer.

Recommendation:

That the agenda item summary from Miriam Schilling, Regional Economic & Community Development Officer, dated May 22, 2020, regarding a grant application from the Horsefly Community Club to the Northern Development Initiative Trust for \$15,000 in funding from the Community Halls and Recreation Facilities Program for the installation of a commercial kitchen, be received. Further, that the application be supported.