

Extension Request – Strathcona Community Investment Program**Report Purpose**

To obtain extension approval for the expenditure of three Strathcona Community Investment Program grants.

Recommendation

THAT an extension to June 2019 for the expenditure of Strathcona Community Investment Program funds issued on September 12, 2017 to the Colchester Community League in the amount of \$10,900 be approved.

Our Prioritized Strategic Goals

Goal 1 - Build strong communities to support the diverse needs of residents
Goal 8 - Foster an environment for safe communities

Report

Colchester Community League received three grants through the Strathcona Community Investment Program on September 12, 2017 for the following programs:

- \$2,100.00 for Youth Programming and Planned Event;
- \$4,800.00 for a PD Days and Summer Camps Program; and
- \$4,000.00 for a Family Fitness and Activity Program.

They have reported success with two of the above programs and are working towards partnering with an organization to assist with planning a youth event. Colchester Community League is requesting an extension to June 2019 to expend funds in order to provide further programming to Strathcona County residents and carry out a youth event.

Council and Committee History

May 8, 2018	Council approved the discontinuation of the Strathcona Community Investment Program effective July 1, 2018.
September 17, 2017	Council approved the expenditures of \$4,000.00 to support a Family Fitness and Activity Program; \$4,800.00 to support a PD Days and Summer Camps Program and \$2,100.00 to support a Youth Programming and Planned Event to Colchester Community League through the Strathcona Community Investment Program.
April 28, 2015	Council approved amendments to Policy GOV-002-030: Strathcona Community Investment Program Policy.
May 20, 2014	Council approved Policy GOV-002-030: Strathcona Community Investment Program Policy, as put forward by the Governance Advisory Committee.

Other Impacts

Policy: The Strathcona Community Investment Program funds were allocated in accordance with Policy GOV-002-030.

Interdepartmental: Financial Services, Legislative and Legal Services

Communication Plan

Letter