

**Priorities Committee Meeting\_Jun14\_2016**

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**STRATEGIC INITIATIVE AND UPDATE****2016 Agricultural Service Board School Poster Contest****Report Purpose**

To recognize students of Elk Island Public and Catholic School Divisions whose art was chosen for its creative representation of "Get Growing with Urban Agriculture".

**Council History**

Presentations are made annually at a Council meeting to winners of the contest.

**Strategic Plan Priority Areas**

**Economy:** n/a

**Governance:** n/a

**Social:** The contest is a tool to help connect students with the rural essence of the municipality.

**Culture:** n/a

**Environment:** n/a

**Other Impacts**

**Policy:** n/a

**Legislative/Legal:** n/a

**Interdepartmental:** n/a

**Summary**

The Agricultural Service Board sponsored a school poster contest during the spring of 2016. The theme of the contest was "Get Growing with Urban Agriculture." Every school within the Elk Island Public School Division and the Elk Island Catholic School Division received an invitation with contest details in February 2016. Grades 3, 4, and 5 were included in the competition. In total, 112 posters were submitted. Students with winning posters are to be presented with a cheque.

**Enclosure**

- 1 School Poster Contest Winners
- 2 School Poster Contest Poster Presentation