



**PUBLIC AGENDA
CULTURAL DIVERSITY AND
RACE RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

**Thursday, January 11, 2018, 12:00 p.m.
Committee Room E, Ground Floor, City Hall
Members**

**Councillor C. Block
Mr. R. Ahmed
Ms. P. Fosseneuve
Mr. D. Isbister
Ms. N. Kochar
Ms. C. Laliberte
Ms. N. Quewezance
Ms. S. Ross
Mr. S. Sambasivam
Mr. H. Sangwais
Superintendent B. Shalovelov
Mr. C. Sicotte
Ms. M. Soonias Ali
Dr. J. Swidrovich
Mr. J. Tekleweld
Ms. M. Valle-Castro
Ms. K. Wuttunee
Ms. J. Yu**

Pages

1. CALL TO ORDER

1.1 Appointment of Chair and Vice Chair [File No. CK 225-40]

The Committee is requested to appoint a Chair and Vice Chair for 2018. Mr. Chris Sicotte was Chair and Ms. Kari Wuttunee was Vice Chair for 2017.

Recommendation

That the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee appoint a Chair and Vice Chair for 2018.

**1.2 2018 Membership - Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee
[File No. CK 225-40]**

City Council, at its meetings held on November 20, 2017 and December 18, 2017, adopted recommendations of its Governance and Priorities

Committee that the following be appointed and reappointed to the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee for the terms indicated:

For 2018:

Councillor Cynthia Block

Mr. Rashid Ahmed, Public representative

Ms. Namarta Kochar, Public representative

Ms. Shirley Ross, Public representative

Ms. Maria Soonias Ali, Public representative

Mr. Jamal Tekleweld, Public representative

Ms. Manuela Valle-Castro, Public representative

Ms. Julie Yu, Public representative

Ms. Kari Wuttunee, Public representative

Ms. Cornelia Laliberte, Board of Education for Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools

To the end of 2019:

Mr. Chris Sicotte, Public - Métis Community

Mr. Howard Sangwais, Ministry of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing

Ms. Nicole Quewezance, Ministry of Social Services

The following were previously appointed by City Council to the end of 2018:

Dr. Jaris Swidrovich, Public - First Nations Community

Ms. Phoebe Fosseneuve, Saskatchewan Health Authority

Mr. Darryl Isbister, Board of Education for Saskatoon Public Schools

Mr. Sam Sambasivam, Saskatchewan Intercultural Association

Superintendent Brian Shalovelov, Saskatoon Police Service

Recommendation

That the information be received.

1.3 Committee Process [File No. CK 225-40]

Deputy City Clerk Bryant will be in attendance to provide an overview of

Committee process.

Recommendation

That the information be received.

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Recommendation

That the agenda be confirmed as presented.

3. DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Recommendation

That the minutes of regular meeting of the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee held on November 9, 2017, and special meeting held on December 15, 2017, be adopted.

5. REPORT OF THE CHAIR [File No. CK 225-40]

6. REPORTS FROM ADMINISTRATION

6.1 Report of the Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Coordinator [File No. CK 100-10]

Verbal update - B. Sasakamoose Kuffner

Recommendation

That the information be received.

6.2 Report of the Immigration, Diversity and Inclusion Consultant [File No. CK 100-21]

Verbal update - A. Sora

Recommendation

That the information be received.

6.3 Report of the Director of Aboriginal Relations [File No. CK 100-10]

Verbal update - G. Dorval

Recommendation

That the information be received.

7. STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES [File No. CK 225-40]

Attached is the year-end Statement of Expenditures. The 2018 approved

budget is \$15,100, as follows:

Member Development - \$1,000

Cultural Diversity & Race Relations Month - \$3,000

Education & Awareness including Co-sponsorship Initiatives - \$11,100

Recommendation

That the information be received.

8. APPOINTMENT OF AD HOC SUBCOMMITTEES [File No. CK 225-40]

While the Committee does not have the authority to appoint long-term ad hoc subcommittees, it would be appropriate to appoint short-term ad hoc subcommittees established for a specific purpose. The ad hoc subcommittees will report to the full committee for final determination of all matters. Ad hoc subcommittees are typically appointed at the January meeting for the following:

- Adjudication and reporting on co-sponsorship requests received relating to Cultural Diversity and Race Relations education and awareness initiatives; and
- Adjudication of Living in Harmony contest submissions and assistance with the Living in Harmony Awards and Opening Ceremonies.

The ad hoc subcommittees are to include the Chair and at least two other members, with Administrative staff as advisors (Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Coordinator or Immigration, Diversity and Inclusion Consultant, depending on availability).

For 2017 the ad hoc subcommittees consisted of the following members:

Co-Sponsorship Adjudication Subcommittee:

S. Ross, P. Fosseneuve, J. Tekleweld, and C. Sicotte (Chair)

Adjudication of the Living in Harmony Contest Submissions Ad Hoc Subcommittee:

P. Fosseneuve, J. Yu, J. Swidrovich, K. Wuttunee, and C. Sicotte (Chair)

Recommendation

That the Committee appoint ad hoc subcommittee members for 2018.

9. EDUCATION AND AWARENESS INITIATIVES - CO-SPONSORSHIP [File No. CK 225-40-10]

No new co-sponsorship request applications have been received.

10. OPEN DISCUSSION

11. ADJOURNMENT

Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Committee 2017 EXPENDITURES		
	2017 Budget	2017 Actuals
City Clerk's Office		
Member Development/Travel, Conferences, Meetings (including Committee Planning Session/Retreat) Planning Retreat - Wanuskewin Heritage Park - October 14, 2017	\$1,000.00	\$961.98
Cultural Diversity and Race Relations Month (To include Art, Literary and Recognition Awards; Framing of Artwork; Buses for School Children to Attend March 1 and 21 events; Printing of Poster) Living in Harmony Awards - \$100 for artwork; \$100 for literary work LIH Award Winners (7 winners @ \$100 each) Honorarium - Living Skies Taiko - LIH performance Honorarium - Eugene Archand - LIH speaker/travel Scoles Fine Arts & Framing - LIH awards - framing LIH misc expenses - (B. Sasakamoose Kuffner) Cosmic Pad Studios - LIH - Band - March 21, 2017	\$3,000.00	\$700.00 \$75.00 \$250.00 \$869.56 \$22.00 \$1,050.00 \$2,966.56
Education and Awareness Pleasant Hill Pow Wow (June 16, 2017) Pleasant Hill Community Association International Mother Language Day (Feb 21/25, 2017) Bangladeshi Community Association Oskayak Annual Spring Feast and Round Dance (Mar 31, 2017) Oskayak High School Contact Conference (Apr 25-26, 2017) Saskatoon Industry-Education Council National Aboriginal Day (June 21, 2017) Saskatoon Indian Métis Friendship Centre Celebration of Diversity (Aug 5-6, 2017) Equatorian South Sudanese Community Association A Show for Hope (July 23, 2017) Sum Theatre SK Indigenous Cultural Centre - 2016 event (approved April 13, 2017 meeting) U of S Aboriginal Student Handbook advertising Wicihitowin Aboriginal Engagement Conference - 5 members @ \$150, 1 member @ \$200 Total Education and Awareness	\$11,100.00	\$1,000.00 \$1,000.00 \$1,000.00 \$1,000.00 \$1,000.00 \$1,000.00 \$559.25 \$1,000.00 \$100.00 \$950.00 \$8,609.25
TOTALS	\$15,100.00	\$12,537.79

*Note - These are approved. Payment is forwarded once the follow-up report is considered by the Committee.

(Approved at Sept 14/17 meeting that remaining funds from Education and Awareness be used to fund Phase 2 of I am the Bridge)

(November 22, 2017 = \$2,562.21 to I am the Bridge - Phase 2)