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Celebrate Markham Grant Application Review and Recommendations April 2018 - March 2019 Funding Cycle

CULTURAL EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

Category: CULTURAL EVENTS AND PROGRAMS		
1. Applicant: Markham Federation of Filipino Canadians		
Project Title: Philippine Independence Day Celebration		Date of Application: Jan 14, 2018
Location: Markham Civic Centre		File No. CE 2018-01
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$3,500 (2017 Philippine Independence day celebration) \$3,500 (2016 Philippine Independence day celebration)	\$5,000	\$3,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual Philippine Independence day celebration on June 10, 2018, 11am to 5pm. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, equipment rental, transportation, City services, catering, marketing and insurance. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

Category: CULTURAL EVENTS AND PROGRAMS		
2. Applicant: Markham Concert Band		
Project Title: Concert Sundays Series		Date of Application: Jan 15, 2018
Location: Unionville Bandstand		File No. CE 2018-02
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,000 (2017 Unionville Concert Sundays) \$4,000 (2016 Unionville Concert Sundays)	\$5,000	\$4,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a weekly concert band series on Sunday nights from June 17 to August 5, 2018 from 7pm to 9pm. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, City application fees and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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3. Applicant: Canada One Family Network		
Project Title: Age of Literati – The Great Wall (Art display and Performance)		Date of Application: Jan 16, 2018
Location: Varley Art Gallery and Flato Markham Theatre		File No. CE 2018-03
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,500 (2017 Age of Literati Great Wall) \$0 (2016 New Year's Celebration Tang Dynasty) \$2,000 (2016 Canada One Seniors)	\$5,000	\$4,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning an art display on Sep 29 at the Varley Art Gallery; a performance on Oct 5 at the Flato Markham Theatre; and a festival on Oct 7 at Landham Square. Funding is requested to assist with instructors fees, performers fees, program management, equipment rental, venue rental and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on providing proof of confirmed/approved venue for the program.</i>		

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4. Applicant: International Music Education Centre (IMEC)		
Project Title: International Musical Arts Festival		Date of Application: Jan 16, 2018
Location: Flato Markham Theatre		File No. CE 2018-04
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant - n/a	\$5,000	\$0
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a 3-day festival where one of those days is scheduled to take place at the Flato Markham Theatre for performances. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, equipment rental, transportation, catering, marketing and insurance.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is not recommended for funding as the organization is in a significant deficit position and will be in further deficit unless all other grants applied for (from different government funding sources) are successful – none of which have been confirmed/approved yet for 2018.</i>		

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5. Applicant: Sing Fai Sports Club		
Project Title: All Community Games Opening Ceremony		Date of Application: Jan 17, 2018
Location: Bill Crothers Secondary School		File No. CE 2018-05
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$2,000 (2017 All Community Games) \$2,500 (2016 Asian Community Games)	\$4,380	\$2,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual Canadian multi-cultural multi-sport event, with an opening ceremony on June 9, 2018 at Bill Crothers SS. Funding is requested to assist with venue rental and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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6. Applicant: Unionville Village Conservancy		
Project Title: Stiver Mill Farmers' Market		Date of Application: Jan 17, 2018
Location: Stiver Mill (Main Street Unionville)		File No. CE 2018-06
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$5,000 (2017 Stiver Mill Farmers' Market) \$4,500 (2016 Stiver Mill Farmers' Market)	\$5,000	\$5,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning for the Farmers' market held in Unionville on Sundays from June until Thanksgiving, 2018. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, equipment and venue rental, and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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7. Applicant: High Notes Avante		
Project Title: High Notes Avante SOCIALs	Date of Application: Jan 17, 2018	
Location: Parya Trillium, Heintzman House, Bayview GCC	File No. CE 2018-07	
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,500 (2017 Gala for Mental Health)	\$5,000	\$2,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a series of small-scale, intimate performance and speaker events. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, venue rental and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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8. Applicant: Unionville Theatre Company		
Project Title: 2019 Show (Pending Title)	Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018	
Location: Flato Markham Theatre	File No. CE 2018-08	
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,500 (2018 Live Theatre Production) \$4,500 (2017 Live Theatre Production) \$5,000 (2016 Little Mermaid Production)	\$5,000	\$4,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its 2019 show scheduled to run February 20 to 24, 2019. Funding is requested to assist with equipment rental, sound, lighting, materials and supplies.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on receiving and approving the Project Outcome/Financial Report for their 2018 Live Theatre Production at the Flato Markham Theatre.</i>		

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9. Applicant: Women Offering Wisdom York Region		
Project Title: Chai Chats mentorship program		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Yspace		File No. CE 2018-09
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$1,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a mentorship program of South Asian women from Sep 2018 to Mar 2019. Funding is requested to assist with instructor fees, program management, equipment and venue rental, transportation and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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10. Applicant: WushuOntario		
Project Title: 2018 Canadian National Martial Arts Festival and Team Selections		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Markham Pan Am Centre		File No. CE 2018-10
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,500 (2017 International Martial Arts Festival)	\$5,000	\$4,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual martial arts festival and team selections on May 19-20, 2018, featuring a prestigious gala show to attract spectators and showcase the sport of Wushu. Funding is requested to assist with equipment rental, venue rental and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on receiving and approving the Project outcome/Financial Report for their 2017 International Martial Arts Festival and National Wushu Team Selections.</i>		

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11. Applicant: Youth and Parents Association of Markham		
Project Title: Limitless Contest Series and Festival	Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018	
Location: Markham Civic Centre, Aaniin CC	File No. CE 2018-11	
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$2,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a series of educational contests and competitions and its annual cultural celebration festival. Funding is requested to assist with translation, equipment rental, printing costs and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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12. Applicant: New Step for You – Arts, Entertainment and Recreation		
Project Title: Lantern of Hope – community art project	Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018	
Location: TBC	File No. CE 2018-12	
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$3,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a community art project created by City of Markham citizens with innovative art tools and to be exhibited at various Markham festivals and venues. Funding is requested to assist with instructor fees, program management, transportation, marketing and insurance.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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13. Applicant: Vedic Cultural Centre Arya Samaj		
Project Title: South Asian Heritage Month Celebrations		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Vedic Cultural Centre		File No. CE 2018-13
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$3,500 (2017 South Asian Heritage month) \$2,500 (2016 South Asian Heritage month)	\$5,000	\$3,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning various activities through the month of May 2018, including performances, arts and crafts displays, food tastings, yoga, music, etc. There will be an opening event on May 5, 2018 at 4pm. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, event/activity/program management, accommodation, food, equipment rentals and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on receiving and approving the Project Outcome/Financial Report for their 2017 South Asian heritage Month celebration.</i>		

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14. Applicant: Markham Skating Club		
Project Title: Ice Show – Night in the Museum		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Markham Village Arena		File No. CE 2018-14
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$0 (2016 Ice Show Up Up and Away)	\$5,000	\$3,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its bi-annual Ice Show – Night in the Museum. Funding is requested to assist with instructor and performers fees, equipment and venue rental, City services, costumes and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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15. Applicant: Social Services Network for York Region		
Project Title: Markham Seniors Fair		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Aaniin CC		File No. CE 2018-15
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,000 (2017 Performance) \$0 (2016 South Asian Utsav. Community Summer Festival)	\$5,000	\$3,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a community seniors' fair on July 25, 2018. Funding is requested to assist with instructors fees, performers fees, program management, transportation, equipment rental, venue rental and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on receiving and approving the Project Outcome/Financial Report for their 2017 cultural performance/activity.</i>		

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16. Applicant: Support Enhance Access Services Centre		
Project Title: Markham Moon Festival Celebration		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Aaniin CC and Markham SEAS Centre		File No. CE 2018-17
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$4,680	\$2,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a series of lantern making workshops, moon cake making workshops and a community celebration event. Funding is requested to assist with instructor fees, performers fees, equipment rental, City services, costumes and insurance. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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17. Applicant: Indian-Canadian Organization		
Project Title: Annual Community and Cultural Celebrations		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: TBC		File No. CE 2018-18
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$2,000 (2017 Cultural celebrations)	\$5,000	\$2,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning various social and celebration events throughout the year. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, event/activity/program management, accommodation, meals and catering, venue rental and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on providing proof of confirmed/approved venue for the program and conditional on receiving and approving the Project Outcome/Financial Report for their 2017 Cultural celebrations.</i>		

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18. Applicant: MonstrARTity Creative Community		
Project Title: Arts for Youth – in-class education program		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: various Markham elementary and secondary schools		File No. CE 2018-19
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$2,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning an arts education program that brings professional South Asian artists into classrooms across Markham to teach students South Asian film, spoken word, poetry, dance and music. Funding is requested to assist with instructor fees, transportation, marketing and insurance. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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19. Applicant: Cherish Integrated Services		
Project Title: One and Only Artfest 2018		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: First Markham Place		File No. CE 2018-20
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,000 (2017 One and Only Artfest) \$4,000 (2016 Cherish's One and Only Artfest)	\$5,000	\$4,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual arts and crafts show on Oct 13, 2018, 10am to 5pm, featuring creative handmade products from persons with developmental disabilities. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, event/activity/program management, venue rental, marketing and insurance. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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20. Applicant: Markham Tamil Organization		
Project Title: Tamil heritage Month		Date of Application: Jan 25, 2018
Location: Aaniin CC		File No. CE 2018-21
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$1,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning Tamil heritage month celebrations for Jan 17 or 24, 2019. Funding is requested to assist with program management, equipment rental, venue rental, transportation and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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21. Applicant: Chinese Cultural Centre of Unionville		
Project Title: Annual community and cultural celebrations	Date of Application: Jan 25, 2018	
Location: Chinese Cultural Centre of Unionville	File No. CE 2018-22	
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$1,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a series of cultural celebrations, and programs related to Chinese culture, food, tea, calligraphy, brush painting, hand crafts and performances. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, instructor fees, equipment rental, transportation, catering and insurance.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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22. Applicant: Markham Fair (The Markham and East York Agricultural Society)		
Project Title: Harvest Moon Wine and Beer Festival	Date of Application: Jan 26, 2018	
Location: Markham Fairgrounds	File No. CE 2018-23	
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$7,000 (2017 Harvest Moon Festival) \$4,500 (2016 Harvest Moon Festival)	\$5,000	\$5,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its Harvest Moon Festival, Jun 16 and 17, 2018. The festival celebrates local food/local drink and was first introduced in 2016 by Markham Fair to promote local food production among the multi-cultural citizens of Markham. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, event/activity/program management, equipment rental, City services and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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23. Applicant: Ontario Band Association		
Project Title: OBA Concert Band Festival		Date of Application: Feb 4, 2018
Location: Le Parc		File No. CE 2018-24
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,500 (2018 Concert Band Festival)	\$5,000	\$4,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a four day concert band festival, February 11-15, 2019 connecting over 6,000 young musicians through performance and critical feedback. Funding is requested to assist with instructor fees. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on receiving and approving the Project outcome/Financial Report for their 2018 Concert Band Festival.</i>		

Category: CULTURAL EVENTS AND PROGRAMS		
24. Applicant: Markham Village B.I.A.		
Project Title: Festival of Lights		Date of Application: Jan 23, 2018
Location: Main Street Markham		File No. CE 2018-25
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$5,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual Festival of Lights – the major kick off to the Holiday season on the last Friday evening of November. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, program management, equipment rental, City services and marketing. Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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25. Applicant: Centre for Tamil Heritage and Culture		
Project Title: Markham Thai Pongal – Tamil Vizha and Thriu Vizha		Date of Application: Feb 26, 2018
Location: Aaniin CC and Flato Markham Theatre		File No. CE 2018-26
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
\$4,500 (2018 Markham Thai Pongal Vizha) \$4,500 (2017 Markham Thai Pongal Vizha) \$4,000 (2016 Markham Thai Pongal Vizha)	\$5,000	\$4,500
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual multi-day event featuring Art Exhibitions, Canadian Tamil Scholar Forum, Heritage Exhibition, workshops on yoga, dance and martial arts, children's activities and book exhibition. A Cultural event at the Flato Markham Theatre is planned for January 13, 2019. Funding is requested to assist with performers fees, interpretation/translation, venue rental and marketing.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on receiving and approving the Project Outcome/Financial Report for their 2017 and 2018 Thai Pongal Vizha.</i>		

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26. Applicant: Kickboxing Ontario		
Project Title: East/West II Battle Series Championship		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: Markham Pan Am Centre		File No. SE 2018-04
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$10,000	\$5,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning a competitive event for beginner participants and a separate category for elite level athletes representing Canada against an elite team from China. Funding is requested to assist with officials, security, equipment rentals, catering, marketing and insurance.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding.</i>		

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27. Applicant: Team Meibukan		
Project Title: Markham City Open		Date of Application: Jan 18, 2018
Location: TBC		File No. SE 2018-09
Prior Allocation/Other City Funding	Funding Requested	2018/2019 Funding Recommended
First-time applicant – n/a	\$5,000	\$2,000
Project Description and Funding Recommendation: The organization is planning its annual Markham City Open International Karate Tournament. Funding is requested to assist with instructor fees, equipment rental, venue rental, transportation, City services, catering, marketing and insurance.		
Funding Recommendation: <i>This application is recommended for funding conditional on providing proof of confirmed/approved venue for the program.</i>		