**Title: Greenview Sponsorships and Donations** 

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Purpose: To establish guidelines for responding to donation requests to not-for-profit

organizations, registered societies and one-time annual events.



## **DEFINITIONS**

Greenview means the municipal Corporation of the Municipal District of Greenview No. 16.

**Sponsorship** means a funding program designed to support single events and functions and that has sponsorship recognition requirements.

**Community Grants** means a funding program designed to assist not-for-profit organizations and societies with capital and operational costs for programs or projects that provide social or economic benefits to Greenview and its residents.

**Donations** under \$2,000.00 do not require any further sponsorship recognition. Promotion may be requested at the discretion of Administration.

## **POLICY**

- 1. The organization should be a not-for-profit organization or a registered society to qualify for the Greenview Sponsorships and Donations funding.
- 2. The event or donation must be beneficial to Greenview residents.
- 3. The event must be non-political in nature.
- 4. Organizations shall be limited to one Greenview Sponsorships and Donations funding request per calendar year.
- Greenview requires successful Greenview Sponsorships and Donations applicants to provide recognition of the funding from Greenview in their event promotion and/or advertising, including the use of Greenview branding where appropriate and in accordance with Greenview's Sponsorships Policy.

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- 6. Greenview Sponsorships and Donations applicants are encouraged to seek other revenue opportunities. Greenview may provide not-for-profit organizations or registered societies with a letter of support.
- 7. Greenview Sponsorships and Donations are subject to Council Approval.
- 8. This Policy does not apply to Community Grants, which must follow the requirements of the Community Grants Policy 8002.

## **PROCEDURE**

- All grant applicants will be required to file a Sponsorship & Donation Application Form, which is available through Greenview's website: <a href="http://mdgreenview.ab.ca/programs-services/departments/community-services/community-grants-program/">http://mdgreenview.ab.ca/programs-services/departments/community-services/community-grants-program/</a> or at any Greenview Administration Office.
- 2. The applicant shall ensure that any attachments provided are clearly marked with the organization's legal name to facilitate matching your backup documents with the application.
- 3. Greenview Sponsorships and Donations requests should be provided to Greenview Administration no fewer than 60 days preceding the event.
- 4. Greenview Administration will notify applicants within 14 days of their request being approved or denied by Greenview Council.
- 5. Sponsorships requests in excess of \$2,500.00 will be received by the Community Services Coordinator for proper Council approval. Communications department will assist successful applicants in coordinating recognition and advertising for the event.

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