



Grants Policy

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1. Policy Statement

- 1.1 Council adopts this policy in order to support local organizations, charities and non-profit groups. Council is committed to working with community groups but, at the same time, is cognizant of budget constraints. Council encourages groups to work towards financial self-sufficiency and independence by encouraging community participation and through fundraising.

2. Scope

- 2.1 This policy applies to local organizations, charities and non-profit groups within the Town of LaSalle.

3. Policy

- 3.1.1 The purpose of this policy is to ensure that funding allocations for organizations and groups are made according to established and common criteria. This policy establishes eligibility requirements, funding categories, eligible expenses, funding exclusions and the application process. This policy also establishes eligibility requirements and the application process.
 - a. No grants shall be issued by the Municipality to assist in defraying costs for various groups and associations operating within the Town of LaSalle.
 - b. Council will consider individual requests for financial assistance.

- c. Treasurer will include an amount in the annual budget submission that is reflective of a 5-year period of funding for existing organizations that receive grants/financial assistance.
- d. That the application for grant/financial assistance shall be a requirement for any group/organization wishing to request a grant or financial assistance from the Town.

4. Roles and Responsibilities

The Treasurer and Clerk are responsible for the policy. This policy will be periodically reviewed and updated as required. This policy must be reviewed by the stated review date and approved by the responsible department.

5. References and Related Documents

Council Report of the Director of Council Services/Clerk (Clerk's Report CL-02-08) respecting options for a policy.

6. Attachments

Application for Grant/Financial Assistance.

To obtain a copy of the Grant/Financial Assistance form, please contact the Clerk's department at 519-969-7770 ext. 1262.