



Report to: General Committee

Date Report Authored: November 17, 2014

SUBJECT: Interim Spending Authority Pending Approval of 2015 Unionville and Markham Village Improvement Areas (B.I.A) Budgets
PREPARED BY: Lisa Chiang, Manager Financial Reporting and Payroll

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) **THAT** the report dated November 17, 2014, entitled “Interim Spending Authority Pending Approval of 2015 Unionville and Markham Village Business Improvement Areas (B.I.A.) Budgets”, be received;
- 2) **AND THAT** Council approve 50% of the 2014 Operating Budget equivalent to the amounts of \$117,049 and \$150,898 for the Unionville B.I.A. (UBIA) and Markham Village B.I.A (MBIA) respectively as pre-budget approval for 2015 operating expenditures;
- 3) **AND THAT** Staff be authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to this resolution.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Not applicable

PURPOSE:

To obtain Council approval for the UBIA and MBIA to have the authority to make payments necessary to support their ongoing businesses prior to the approval of the B.I.A.’s 2015 Operating Budgets.

BACKGROUND & DISCUSSION:

The 2015 Interim Spending Authority is intended to allow the UBIA and MBIA to spend up to 50% of the 2014 approved budget for operating expenditures. This approval will enable the B.I.As’ operations to continue at existing levels until the 2015 Budget for operating expenditures are approved.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS AND TEMPLATE: (external link)

The B.I.As’ 2014 approved Operating Budgets are \$234,098 for the Unionville B.I.A and \$301,796 for the Markham Village B.I.A.; therefore, the interim spending equivalent to 50% of the 2014 Operating Budget will be \$117,049 and \$150,898 respectively.

HUMAN RESOURCES CONSIDERATIONS:

Not applicable

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Not applicable

ACCESSIBILITY CONSIDERATIONS:

Not applicable

RECOMMENDED BY:

21/10/2014

22/10/2014

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Joel Lustig
Treasurer

Trinela Cane
Commissioner, Corporate Services

ATTACHMENTS:

Not applicable