



SAFETY AND SOCIAL STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE REPORT

Title Harbour House Expansion

Meeting Date December 14, 2023

Submitted By Acting Mayor John Middleton-Hope, Chair, Safety and Social Standing Policy Committee

Recommendation(s)

WHEREAS City Council granted YWCA Lethbridge funding in the amount of \$251,000 from the City of City of Lethbridge Affordable Housing Fund for capital planning at the April 24, 2017 Meeting; and

WHEREAS there is \$202,483.80 remaining from the prior capital planning grant; and

WHEREAS the YWCA is requesting a reallocation in capital funding for a change in scope for expansion of the second and third floor of YWCA Harbour House for expanded shelter, offices, and programming space;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council approve the following:

1. That the remaining portion of the approved 2017 funding of \$202,483.80 to YWCA Lethbridge be reallocated for use by the YWCA as capital funding for the expansion of Harbour House; and
2. FURTHER THAT the funding be subject to the execution of the City's third-party contribution agreement in a form and conditions satisfactory to the City Manager; authorizing the City Manager and the City Clerk to sign the necessary agreement; and
3. FURTHER THAT the Mayor sign a letter of support for the project.

VOTE:
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CARRIED

Public Speakers: None

Public Submissions: None

Submitted By Jill Young, YWCA Lethbridge & District Chief Executive Officer, and Cat Champagne, YWCA Lethbridge & District Director of External Relations