

Report to Council

Report Title: Canada Community Revitalization Fund Amended Agreement for The Market Garden

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Department: Parks and Recreation

Date: January 11, 2022

Report Number: REC2022-01 **File Number:** C11REC, F11, R05

Attachments: Amended CCRF Contribution Agreement 1000193

Recommendation:

That the Council of the Municipality of Brockton hereby approves Report Number REC2022-01 – Canada Community Revitalization Fund Amended Agreement for The Market Garden, prepared by Mark Coleman, Director of Community Services and in doing so authorizes a By-Law coming forward entering into an Amended Contribution Agreement for Project #1000193.

Report:

Background:

On July 13, 2021 Staff submitted a funding application to FedDev of Southern Ontario through the Canada Community Revitalization Fund in support of the development of The Market Garden Park at 312 Durham Street East, Walkerton. Staff received notice of approval for the application on August 13, 2021.

At its August 24, 2021 meeting, Council received and approved the Contribution Funding Agreement.

On December 22, 2021, Staff received notice from the program requesting that the funding agreement be amended for house keeping purposes internal of the program. Amended agreement is attached for Council's information. Further, via a reply email, return a signed and dated copy of the Amending Agreement at Council's earliest convenience to be signed by February 7, 2022.

Analysis:

The amended agreement does not affect the amount of funding to be received or any requirements of the municipality. Staff recommends that Council authorize acceptance and execution of the amended agreement.

Strategic Action Plan Checklist:

What aspect of the Brockton Strategic Action Plan does the content/recommendations in this report help advance?

- Do the recommendations help move the Municipality closer to its Vision? Yes
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Heritage, Culture, and Community? Yes
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Quality of Life? Yes
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Land Use Planning and the Natural Environment? Yes
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Economic Development? Yes
- Do the recommendations contribute to achieving Municipal Governance? Yes

Financial Impacts/Source of Funding:

- Do the recommendations represent a sound financial investment from a sustainability perspective? Yes

The municipal portion of funding required for this project is included in the draft 2022 Municipal Budget. Additional funds are also being generated through the Fund-Raising Campaign currently running. We also await the results of the \$25,000 grant application to Hydro One - Energizing Life Community Fund 2022.

Reviewed By:



Trish Serratore, Chief Financial Officer

Respectfully Submitted by:



Mark Coleman, Director of Community Services

Reviewed By:



Sonya Watson, Chief Administrative Officer