



Council Report For the Meeting of April 4, 2024

To: Council **Date:** March 18, 2024
From: C. Kingsley, City Clerk
Subject: Amendment Bylaw for Delegation Bylaw

RECOMMENDATION

That the following bylaw be given first, second, and third readings:

1. Delegation Bylaw, Amendment Bylaw (No. 1) No. 24-025

BACKGROUND

Attached for Council's initial consideration is a copy of the proposed Bylaw No. 24-025.

The issue came before Council on September 14, 2023 where the following resolution was approved:

Canada Day Celebration

1. *Approve an increase of \$250,000 to the 2024 Financial Plan towards a City-led Canada Day celebration budget as ongoing funding through a property tax increase.*
2. *Approve the removal of the existing \$75,000 Canada Day funding from the Festival Investment Grant program fund towards a City-led Canada Day celebration.*
3. *Approve the updated Festival Investment Grant guidelines with the removal of a Canada Day grant stream.*
4. *Direct the City Solicitor to prepare necessary amendments to the Delegation Bylaw to enable the Director of Business & Community Relations to:*
 - a. *Approve the terms of reference for the Canada Day celebration.*
 - b. *Approve the annual grant funding allocations for the Festival Investment Grant program, up to the maximum annual program funding in the Financial Plan.*
5. *That staff explore additional sponsorship or partnership opportunities that staff determine align with City goals and values, to supplement the proposed scope of the current festival plans.*

Respectfully submitted,

Curt Kingsley
City Clerk

Report accepted and recommended by the City Manager

List of Attachments:

- Bylaw No. 24-025