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From: Marika Albert <marika@communitycouncil.ca>

Sent: Tuesday, Jul 21, 2015 4:04 PM

To: Public Hearings
Cc: Rupert Downing

Subject: RE: Question regarding your grant submission to Victoria Council

Hi Christine,

Rupert Downing, our Executive Director, has asked me to reply to the question. Here is our response to the question from Council regarding our application. I am happy to provide any further detail as needed.

Q: Will there be follow-up on actions related to the strategies identified in the application in terms of specific actions and outcomes?

A: Yes, there will be follow-up activities related to the specific actions and outcomes. Feedback gathered on suggested municipal/community partnership activities through the Reducing Poverty – Building Community Prosperity forum will be consolidated into concrete recommendations/actions and reviewed by the community-based steering committee for the Community Action Plan on Poverty (CAPP), and at smaller focus groups of forum participants and through other types of engagement activities as needed/identified. The actions, in the form of a concrete strategy for the City of Victoria, will also be available online for further input. Once input is gathered, the strategy will be further refined and then presented to Council with clear measurable outcomes attached to each action. The CAPP steering committee will monitor engagement with City of Victoria Council, and city policy and planning decisions to track implementation of the strategy. The activities arising from the strategy will also inform pre-planning for Victoria based community economic development projects. The CAPP steering committee will also monitor and report in on progress to Council's Strategic Planning review process

Thanks again, Marika

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From: Rupert Downing

Sent: Thursday, July 16, 2015 7:58 PM

To: Marika Albert

Subject: Fw: Question regarding your grant submission to Victoria Council

Can you handle this?

Thanks

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Sent: July 16, 2015 3:21 PM

To: Rupert Downing

Subject: Question regarding your grant submission to Victoria Council

Below is the question posed by Council on your grant submission at the July 15, Special GPC meeting:

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1. Will there be follow-up on actions related to the strategies identified in the application in terms of specific actions and outcomes?

Please 'reply' to this email, at publichearings@victoria.ca with your response. As this is a time-sensitive application process, we would appreciate your response as soon as possible, and no later than 11:00 am **on Wednesday, July 22**.

For reference, below is the link to the archived video of the meeting where you can listen to the questions should you wish for more detail:

http://www.victoria.ca/EN/main/city/council-webcasting.html

Thank-you,

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