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Subject: FW: Thank you!
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From: April Ingham <director@pacificpeoplespartnership.org>
Date: March 22, 2019 at 3:37:26 PM PDT
To: Barb Desjardins <Barbara.Desjardins@esquimalt.ca>
Cc: Florence Dick <Florence.Dick@songheesnation.com>
Subject: RE: Thank you!

Greetings Barb,

I hope this email finds you well and enjoying the first real glimpse of spring.

My email today is a bit urgent, and that is to see whether the City of Esquimalt might be willing to provide PPP with a letter of support as we seek funding for this September's One Wave Gathering.

We have a few major grants due at the end of next week and could really use this support. Thus I have taken the liberty of drafting a letter for you in case you are willing to help, and of course this draft can be changed however you see fit.

Essentially within this letter I have outlined parts of our recent discussion: that the City of Esquimalt is willing to provide support for the installation, signage and ceremonial proceedings of the House Post. What is new is PPP's goal to install the Pacific House Post this September 21 (the International Day of Peace) as the closing event of our 2019 One Wave Gathering program.

I realize it is a bit early for you to determine an in-kind amount, as we still need to follow up on discussions concerning the installation. So will leave it to you to amend the letter as you see fit.

Also good for you to know, within our grant proposals we are planning to seek an additional \$3000 to put towards the carver's fees. So your support with the letter will be helpful to ensure the carvers are paid properly for this legacy piece. I believe we also mentioned that we will ensure that youth will have the opportunity to visit with the carvers as they work through to the final installation date.

If you have any questions or concerns do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you again for all your support,

April

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March 25, 2019

To whom it may concern,

RE: Letter of Support for Pacific Peoples' Partnership's One Wave Gathering 2019

I am writing today on behalf of the city of Esquimalt in support of Pacific Peoples' Partnerships' (PPP) proposal for One Wave Gathering 2019 funding.

The work of PPP was recently presented to our city through advocate Florence Dick of the Songhees Nation. The Songhees Nation is a supporter of PPP's many programs including the One Wave Gathering. Recently I had a pleasure to meet with Florence and PPP's Executive Director April Ingham and offered our support.

The city of Esquimalt is ready to help PPP and the Songhees Nation with an element of this year's One Wave Gathering, this is the permanent installation of a house post in our city limits. The city will provide a suitable public location and install the post, provide signage, and assist with ceremonial processes around the post's dedication. The tentative plan would be to erect this post on the International Day of Peace (September 21) as part of the One Wave Gathering events. The estimated in kind value of this contribution is \$2500.

Again we urge your support of PPP and their One Wave Gathering.

Warm regards,