

### The Corporation of the Town of LaSalle

To: Members of the Parks, Recreation and Events Committee

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**Department:** Culture and Recreation

Date of Report: May 31, 2024

Report Number: CR-2024-16

Subject: CR-2024-16 Updates to LaSalle Affordable Recreation Policy

#### Recommendation

That the report of the Supervisor of Recreation dated May 31, 2024 (CR-2024-16) regarding updates to the LaSalle Affordable Recreation Policy be received;

And that the updated LaSalle Affordable Recreation Policy be adopted, and the previous version be repealed.

### Report

The LaSalle Affordable Recreation Policy is used to identify and communicate the Town's policy for allocation of funding to be used for affordable recreation opportunities for LaSalle residents. The policy was due for revision as part of the regular policy update cycle, with the last revision being in September 2022 (CR-2022-33).

The policy has been updated with the following changes:

- Addition of point 4.1.3 (f) outlining documentation requirements for new residents or residents who have changed addresses.
- Addition of section 4.2.2 outlining that the Town does not retroactively award funding and all affordable recreation registrations must be approved by the Town.
- Addition of section 4.3.3 outlining that in some instances, the participant may be required to pay more than ten percent due to the nature of the program they wish to participate in.

#### **Consultations**

Patti Funaro, Director of Culture and Recreation

Scott Bisson, Manager of Culture and Recreation

# **Financial Implications**

All funding is received from the Pathway to Potential program and is outlined within the service agreement. There are no direct costs to the Town.

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# **Link to Strategic Goals**

- 1. Enhancing organizational excellence Yes
- 2. Strengthen the community's engagement with the Town Not Applicable
- 3. Grow and diversify the local economy No
- 4. Build on our high-quality of life Not Applicable
- 5. Sustaining strong public services and infrastructure Yes

#### **Communications**

Not applicable.

### **Report Approval Details**

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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

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