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His Worship Mayor Clarke & Members of City Council City of Saskatoon c/o Stephanie Green City Hall 222-3rd Avenue North Saskatoon, SK S7K 0J5

Your Worship and Councillors:

Re: Sutherland Business Improvement District 2021 Budget Submission

Attached is the proposed 2021 budget for the Sutherland Business Improvement District (SBID). This budget has been approved by the Board of Management for submission to the City of Saskatoon.

We are requesting a 5% increase to the SBID levy for 2021. This increased amount will allow us to build up a reserve for those operational cost items that are not presently funded. The long term plan has been to move into the Urban Design – BID Budget so that we have a sustainable funding source for programming and maintenance.

We thank City Council for their approval of our budgets in 2019 and 2020 where we asked for funding for new banners. In 2020 we purchased the banners which we will be installing in 2021.

In 2021 we will continue to place emphasis on those operational maintenance programs (such as the flower pots, debris removal, boulevards, snow clearing, power washing and general street maintenance items) that are not presently funded through the COS Urban Design unit. As we do not have employees, we contract with local business members to oversee our maintenance programs.

We look forward to working with the City of Saskatoon, Urban Design, with completion of Phase 3 of our streetscaping project and the design of a Gateway Feature.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Board of Management,

Sheldon Wasylenko, Chair

Enclosure

Sutherland Business Improvement District

2021 Operating Budget for Council Approval

	2020 Budget		2020 Actuals estimated		2021 Budget (Proposed)	
REVENUE						
Business Levy	\$	52,320.00	\$	52,350.00	\$	54,960.00
Sponsorship/Programs	\$	2,773.00	\$	2,784.00	\$	2,784.00
Surplus Revenue	\$	-	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	
Total Revenue	\$	55,093.00	\$	55,134.00	\$	57,744.00
EXPENDITURES						
Administration						
Executive Director (Contract)	\$	25,000.00	\$	24,000.00	\$	25,000.00
Administrative Support	\$	2,000.00	\$	1,500.00	\$	2,000.00
Audit Fees	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,665.00	\$	1,700.00
Total Administration	\$	28,500.00	\$	27,165.00	\$	28,700.00
Programming						
Welcome Train Sign/repairs	\$	1,500.00	\$	920.00	\$	1,500.00
Website maintenance	\$	1,000.00	\$	683.00	\$	1,000.00
Member development	\$	2,000.00	\$	1,393.00	\$	2,000.00
Total Programming	\$	4,500.00	\$	2,996.00	\$	4,500.00
Special Projects						
Urban Camp Proj/repairs	\$	1,000.00	\$	670.00	\$	1,500.00
Street signs	\$	400.00	\$	310.00	\$	400.00
Street maintenance	\$	17,000.00	\$	19,866.00	\$	17,000.00
Graffiti project	\$	<u>-</u> _	\$	<u>-</u> _	\$	
Total Special Projects	\$	18,400.00	\$	20,846.00	\$	18,900.00
Board Expense						
Board Meetings	\$	500.00	\$	105.00	\$	500.00
Strategic Planning	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Training, Conferences, Events	\$	1,000.00	\$	844.00	\$	1,000.00
Memberships	\$	350.00	\$	288.00	\$	350.00
Total Board Expense	\$	1,850.00	\$	1,237.00	\$	1,850.00
Total Expenditures	\$	53,250.00	\$	52,241.00	\$	53,950.00
Annual Operating Surplus/Deficit	\$	1,843.00	\$	2,893.00	\$	3,794.00
RESERVES						
Start of year	\$	42,890.00	\$	42,890.00	\$	39,273.00
Contribution to reserve	\$	1,843.00	\$	2,893.00	\$	3,794.00
Reserves used	\$		\$	6,510.00	\$	<u> </u>
Year End Surplus/Deficit	\$	44,733.00	\$	39,273.00	\$	43,067.00

Dated: November 23, 2020