

MEETING DATE: OCTOBER 23, 2018

REQUEST FOR DECISION - TO COUNCIL

SUBJECT

**REQUEST FOR FUNDING FROM MARWAYNE JUBILEE SCHOOL – MOTION
REQUIRED**

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the County of Vermilion River approve the Request for Funding from the Marwayne Jubilee School in the amount of \$5,000 to be funded from the Cash in Lieu of School Reserve.

DETAILS

Background: The Marwayne Jubilee School would like to purchase five sound systems that are hearing compatible to benefit students with severe hearing deficiencies. Once students are in Junior High, they must move to a minimum of five different classrooms with different teachers and technology. The sound systems would be installed in the classrooms so that students would not have to carry the sound equipment with them from class to class, which decreases the potential for damage, increases efficiencies with linking a variety of technology, and extends the lifespan of the units.

As per Policy FI 011 – Cash In Lieu of School Reserves, money is collected from subdivision processes and made available to schools within the County in accordance with the Municipal Government Act. Priority is given to projects that enhance the long term educational value and provide a direct benefit to children. Each school may receive a maximum of \$5,000 over a 3 year period. Marwayne Jubilee School received a contribution amount in February 2015 which is more than 3 years ago. The project has also received endorsement from Buffalo Trails School Division, as per the Policy requirements.

Relevant Policy/Legislation Practices: Policy FI-011 Cash in Lieu of School Reserve Policy

Desired Outcome (s): The County of Vermilion River approve the request for funding from the Marwayne Jubilee School in the amount of \$5,000



Response Options: THAT the County of Vermilion River approve the request for funding from Marwayne Jubilee School in the amount of \$5,000 to be funded from the Cash In Lieu of School Reserve

OR

THAT the County of Vermilion River deny the request for funding from Marwayne Jubilee School in the amount of \$5,000.

IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION

Financial: Finance staff to prepare voucher for Marwayne Jubilee School in the amount determined by Council

Communication Required: Administration to send a letter to Marwayne Jubilee School advising them of the outcome of their funding request

ATTACHMENTS

1. Policy FI -011 Cash in Lieu of School Reserve
2. BTPS Endorsement of Request for Marwayne School

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DATE: October 11, 2018