



RECREATION, PARKS & COMMUNITY SUPPORT

TO:	Council	
DATE:	January 25, 2022	DIVISION: 2
FILE:	N/A	APPLICATION: N/A
SUBJECT:	Wings Over Springbank Airshow Letter of Support	

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The Wings Over Springbank Airshow Society hosts an annual two-day event, "Wings Over Springbank", to promote and inspire aviation. Prior to each event, the Society applies to the provincial Community Initiatives Program (CIP) to assist with event costs. The CIP application requires a letter of support from Rocky View County be submitted with the provincial application.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION:

Administration recommends approval in accordance with Option #1.

BACKGROUND:

The Society has requested a letter of support from Rocky View County (RVC) to include with their provincial grant application. The grant application is due to the Province on January 15; however, as done in the past, we have recommended that the organizer advise the Province that a letter of support will be submitted after the deadline, if approved. The purpose of the letter is to confirm that RVC supports and commits to providing Emergency Services support for the event through our Fire Services department and Municipal Enforcement Peace Officers. As stated in Attachment 'A', once the scope of the event has been confirmed, a cost estimate for resources, including the RCMP and RVC Emergency Services (fire and enforcement), will be provided to the organizer.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

There are no budget implications associated with request.

OPTIONS:

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| Option #1 | THAT Administration be authorized to provide a letter of support for the Wings Over Springbank Airshow Society's provincial Community Initiatives Program (CIP) grant application, as per Attachment 'A'. |
| Option #2 | THAT alternative direction be provided. |

Administration Resources

Cheryl Cresine, Recreation, Parks and Community Support



ROCKY VIEW COUNTY

Respectfully submitted,

“Brock Beach”

Acting Executive Director
Community Development Services

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ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment ‘A’ – Draft Letter of Support – Wings Over Springbank Airshow

Concurrence,

“Byron Riemann”

Acting Chief Administrative Officer