



Council report

Meeting date:	November 1, 2022
Title:	Durham Girls Marching Band Delegation Follow-up
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Reviewed by:	Laura Johnston, CAO / Deputy Clerk

Recommendation

That council receive report Durham Girls Marching Band Follow-up for information and,

That council approve the posting and sale of band instruments and related materials at ____% percent of the original purchase price with funds being held for the restoration and display of band trophies and awards.

Executive summary

This report outlines the follow-up from staff consultation with the Durham Girls Marching band regarding the sale and disposition of band equipment and supplies.

Background and discussion

Following the Durham Girls Band delegation to council, staff met with band members to discuss the disposal and sale of instruments and related band supplies including uniforms, regalia, and branded equipment. Band members were supportive of the sale and would be prepared to pay 50% of the original purchase price of the equipment / supplies. Members would like to see the equipment be offered to band alumni first and to West Grey based groups second with funds being held for the restoration and display of the trophies within the Durham Arena.

Legal and legislated requirements

None

Financial and resource implications

Sale and disposition of the equipment purchased through the Trillium grant was permitted



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following the year ending in 2018.

Following council approval, funds raised from the sale of the equipment and supplies will be used for the restoration and display of band trophies and awards in Durham (proposed location Durham Arena).

Staffing implications

Staff will be taking the lead on the sale and disposition of the band equipment, staffing implications are expected to be manageable.

Consultation

- Durham Girls Marching Band
- Kerri Mighton, Director of Finance and Treasurer

Alignment to strategic vision plan

Pillar: Promote Community

Goal: Celebrate West Grey

Strategy: Support Local Community Groups

Attachments

None

Next steps

Following the initial sale of equipment and supplies staff will meet with band members again and report back to council regarding the remaining equipment.

Respectfully submitted:

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