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SPECIAL COUNCIL COMMITTEE

The Special Session of Council Committee of the Municipality of the County of Colchester was held in the Courthouse, Truro, Nova Scotia on Wednesday, February 24, 2010 at 5:30 p.m.

Roll Call

The roll was called with the following Councillors in attendance:

Mayor Bob Taylor, Chair	
Councillor Christine Blair	District #1
Councillor Bill Masters	District #2
Councillor Gerald Buott	District #3
Councillor Mike Cooper	District #4
Councillor Glen Edwards	District #5
Councillor Karen MacKenzie	District #6
Councillor Jimmie LeFresne	District #7
Deputy Mayor Ron Cavanaugh	District #8
Councillor Bob White	District #9
Councillor Tom Taggart	District #10
Councillor Earl McKenna	District #11

Purpose of Meeting

The purpose of the meeting was to receive presentations from organizations that are requesting grants from the Municipality's economic development budget and grants to non-profit organizations. This is part of the budget process for 2010/11.

Economic Development Grants Presentations

The following individuals made presentations to Council Committee on behalf of their organization:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Presenter(s)</u>
Communities in Bloom (Tatamagouche Tri Centennial)	Bob Byers
Creamery Square (Tatamagouche Tattoo)	Toni MacDonald & Ann McKeen
Brule Community Centre Association	Keith Dryber
Clifton Community Seniors' Association	Millie McKim
Earlton Community Centre Society	Rollie Lynds
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Colchester	Michelle Meisner

Grants to Non-Profit Organizations Presentations**Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Colchester**

Moved by Councillor White
Seconded by Deputy Mayor Cavanaugh

“That Council Committee recommends to Council that Big

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Brothers/Big Sisters of Colchester becomes part of the yearly maintenance budget beginning in fiscal year 2011-12.”

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Christian Counselling Ministries	Ellen Elisses
Middle Stewiacke Recreation Association	Sandra Chaplin
Truro Curling Club	Peter Burgess

Truro Curling Club

With concerns of not receiving proper consideration through the non-profit grant funding, Councillor Masters placed the following motion on the floor:

Moved by Councillor Masters
Seconded by Deputy Mayor Cavanaugh

“That the Truro Curling Club’s application be moved to budget deliberations and removed from non-profit organization funding”

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Stewiacke Valley Historical Society	Ian Wright
Maggie’s Place	Linda Legere
Cobequid Arts Council	Ross Thompson, Melanie Lane & Donald Ferguson
Cobequid Salmon Association	Robert Gunderson
Cobequid Veterans’ Memorial Park	Rilla MacDougall & Ken Melanson
Central Nova Horse & Pony Association	Sherri Morehouse
Colchester 4-H Leaders Council	Margaret Congdon & several youth members
Third Place Transition House	Lisa Cochrane
South Branch Community Centre	Glen Laidlaw
Colchester East Hants Hospice Society	Catherine Yull
Londonderry Station Community Church Association	Amanda Langille
Brookfield Railway & Heritage Society	Russell Bradley
Central Nova Women’s Resource Centre	Paula Arsenault
“We Care” Kitty Help Line Society	Venetia George
Cobequid Wildlife Rehabilitation	Helen Van Dominck
Debert Skating Club	Desiree Stockerman

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

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