DECISION/DIRECTION NOTE

Title: Shad Memorial 2022 – Sponsorship of Breakfast

Date Prepared: June 9, 2022

Report To: Committee of the Whole

Councillor and Role: Mayor Danny Breen, Governance & Strategic Priorities

Ward: N/A

Decision/Direction Required:

Seeking Council's approval to host a luncheon for the staff and students of Shad Memorial 2022.

Discussion – Background and Current Status:

The City has received a request from the Director of Shad Memorial requesting that the City sponsor a breakfast at City Hall with the Mayor and/or councillors. The event consists of about 70 people in total. The preferred date is July 27th. This event has traditionally been sponsored by Council over the past number of years.

Memorial University is one of 18 university campuses in Canada offering the Shad program (www.shad.ca), a nation-wide program designed to offer high-potential high school students the opportunity to be surrounded by other talented youth from across the country. The program strives to hone the skills of tomorrow's potential leaders and provide first-hand access to industry and career options to assist the students in choosing educational and career paths. This year's program runs from July 3rd to July 29th, 2022.

Shad is a not-for-profit organization and relies on the support of public and private sector organizations to provide an expansive and high-quality program.

Key Considerations/Implications:

- 1. Budget/Financial Implications: Cost of breakfast for 70 people (\$2000) estimated.
- 2. Partners or Other Stakeholders: Memorial University of NL
- 3. Alignment with Strategic Directions:

A Connected City: Increase and improve opportunities for residents to connect with each other and the City.

Choose an item.



- 4. Alignment with Adopted Plans: N/A
- 5. Accessibility and Inclusion: N/A
- 6. Legal or Policy Implications: N/A
- 7. Privacy Implications: N/A
- 8. Engagement and Communications Considerations: N/A
- 9. Human Resource Implications: N/A
- 10. Procurement Implications: N/A
- 11. Information Technology Implications: N/A
- 12. Other Implications: N/A

Recommendation:

That Council sponsor the breakfast for the Shad Memorial 2022 at an approximate cost of \$2000.

Prepared by: Approved by: