

Current Programming and Services

Date	March 10, 2021
To	Community Wellness Committee
From	City Manager's Office
Service Area	Office of the City Clerk
Item No.	CWC21-2

RECOMMENDATION

That the Community Wellness Committee receive and file this report.

ISSUE

The terms of reference for the newly established Community Wellness Committee were approved by City Council on February 24, 2021.

Appendix A provides a summary of current programs and services provided by the City of Regina and/or its partners that inform and complement the objectives of the Committee, as requested by the Committee at its February 10, 2021 meeting.

IMPACTS

Policy/Strategic

The Community Wellness Committee considers and makes recommendations to Council regarding systemic issues in the areas of housing, poverty reduction, mental and physical wellness, addictions and “safe from harm” initiatives and social determinants of health and crime.

This report provides a summary and overview of current programs and services in these areas.

There are no accessibility, financial, environmental or legal/risk impacts associated with this report.

COMMUNICATIONS

This report will be considered by the Community Wellness Committee on Wednesday, March 10, 2021.

DISCUSSION

The attached appendices provide information respecting each of the areas requested by the Committee at its February 10, 2021 meeting.

During consideration of its proposed terms of reference at its meeting on February 10th, the Committee requested Administration to provide a report providing a summary and overview of current programs and services that support the Committee's objectives, specifically:

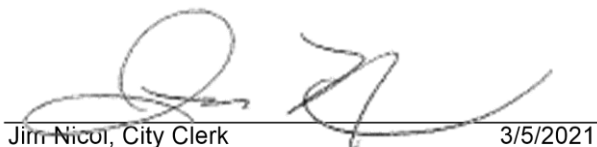
- Administration's report on a living wage policy (Appendix A)
- Motions or reports related to addictions, including data available from the Regina Police Service and Fire & Protective Services respecting overdoses (Appendix B)
- Plan to End Homelessness (Appendix C)
- Comprehensive Housing Strategy (Appendix D)
- Housing Standards Enforcement (Appendix E)
- Funding received from the provincial government in support of paratransit (Appendix F)
- Discounted bus pass program and affordable bus program (Appendix G)
- Information respecting the objectives of the School Board/City Council Liaison Committee (Appendix H)
- The City's involvement in community-related education or youth programs, such as PlayEscapes, TRIP, etc. (Appendix I)
- Data related to programs the City is involved in respecting anti-gangs and/or vulnerable youth (Appendix J)

Note: Appendices cited in the original reports are not included.

DECISION HISTORY

This information report does not require approval by City Council.

Respectfully submitted,


Jim Nicol, City Clerk 3/5/2021

ATTACHMENTS

- Appendix A - Living Wage Policy
- Appendix B - Motions and Reports: Addictions
- Appendix C - Plan to End Homelessness
- Appendix D - Comprehensive Housing Strategy
- Appendix E - Housing Standards Enforcement Team
- Appendix F - Support for Paratransit
- Appendix G - Discounted Bus Pass and Affordable Bus Pass
- Appendix H - School Board/City Council Liaison Committee
- Appendix I - Community-Related Education or Youth Programs
- Appendix J - Programs for Anti-Gangs or Vulnerable Youth