LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

Northern Hills Community Association

March 23, 2022

Presidents Update	• Reminder to Guests that document's submitted will be published unless the NHCA is notified otherwise.	
Ward 3 Office	Pete Meadows present. • Issues with field rentals recently (permit issues); hoping it won't affect NHCA programming • City youth hiring fair April 7 1:30-6pm at Stampede Park • Set of improvements for secondary suite program being rolled out • Resilient roofing program has been extended so you can still apply • Covid relief funding likely will be extended into Q2 (opens July)	
MP Calgary Nose Hill Office	Jillian Montalbetti present. • Last month had a town hall, and CA representatives meeting. • 2 main issues we are hearing about are 1. the war in Ukraine and humanitarian aid, and also 2. affordability - cost of living increases - MP Rempel is petitioning the government for relief and a plan to address inflation	
CPS Liaison	Cst. Eric Neilson present. • Main issue is parking/pickup and drop-off through school zones so there will be an increased police presence for the rest of the school year. • April 4 is return to workday downtown, may be anticipating an increase in	

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

	breaking and entering homes at that time	
NPC	Angela Williams present. • Organisational Health Assessment tool and Service Measures Survey are now available	

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

Calgary

Northern Hills Community Association
Neighbourhood Partnership Coordinator Board Report
March 2022

PRIORITY ITEMS	
Community Association Awareness Month	**Community associations play a vital role in providing social, educational and recreational opportunities to Calgarians. There are 162 registered community associations that represent more than 200 communities in Calgary. Every day, you make significant contributions to the health and well-being of Calgarians through your volunteer work. Thank you for the work that you do!**
Organizational Development	
2021 Organizational Health Assessment Tool and Service Measures Survey	The Organizational Health Assessment Tool (OHAT) and Service Measures Survey (SM) link for the 2021 calendar year is now open! Calgary Neighbourhoods is requesting that organizations complete the OHAT and SM with their Neighbourhood Partnership Coordinator (NPC) before **June 30, 2022**. The purpose of these tools is to identify current organizational health, sustainability and services provided by community associations and social recreation organizations in Calgary. Partner organizations represent a critical part of community life and service delivery in Calgary and the results of these surveys assist us in telling their collective story. These surveys are voluntary, but we hope that community associations/social recreation organizations and NPCs will work together to submit information on the **2021 calendar year**. We know that 2021 has been another challenging year for groups and that results may be very different from previous years. Individual group information will not be shared publicly but aggregated results may be included in the annual audit report presented to Council in late fall 2022. Here is the link to the surveys: https://2022ohatsm.questionpro.ca Your NPC can share a Word version of the surveys and instructions/definitions that may be helpful to review prior to completing the surveys online. Please submit only one response per group.
Financial Management	
COVID-19 Relief Funding	COVID Relief fund opens for 2022 Q1 on April 4th. 2022 Q2 will open at the beginning of July. Below is what the NHCA has been successful in receiving for non-negotiable operating expenses so far: 2021 Q4 = $5663.27 2021 Q3 = $3745.47 2021 Q2 = $4223.38 2021 Q1 = $5684.60

The City of Calgary | P.O. Box 2100 Stn. M | Calgary, AB, Canada T2P 2M5 | calgary.ca

Calgary

	2020 Q4 = $7685.46 2020 Q3 = declined 2020 Q2 = $6108.50
Grants	
Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant Purpose: The Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant supports community-led projects and initiatives. Application portal **NOW OPEN** Grant Website: Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant (calgary.ca) ***NOTE: Connect with your NPC to discuss project eligibility before applying.***	Calgary Neighbourhoods is pleased to announce the opening of the Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant (ING) for 2022. Developed out of the This is My Neighbourhood (TIMN) program, ING is a matching grant, intended to support communities in creating a city of safe and inspiring neighbourhoods. Objectives The Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant aims to: • Support communities in becoming more socially cohesive with safe, inclusive spaces and programs that respond to residents' needs • Help residents feel an increased sense of belonging and contribute meaningfully to their neighbourhood • Develop community groups that are resilient and working towards achieving greater sustainability Funding Streams The grant supports projects under the following five streams. Amounts granted must be matched by the community association applicant: Beautification and Placemaking — Maximum funding $12,000 Communication and Engagement — Maximum funding $10,000 Community Education and Safety — Maximum funding $5,000 Social and Recreation Programs — Maximum funding $2,500 Technology — Maximum funding $5,000
Activate YYC	**Amount:** Two funding streams: - Walk, Play and Be Neighbourly - $1,000 - Bump Outs and Pathways - $3,000 **Due Date:** No deadline – applications will be reviewed as they are received. If approved, you will have until October 2022 to complete the project and submit the supporting documents for reimbursement. **Grant Website:** ActivateYYC – Federation of Calgary Communities – Activate Movement, Empower Your Community **Contact info:** Contact form on website **Eligibility:** Activate YYC is a micro grant offering business, not-for-profit and individuals an opportunity to engage their neighbourhoods in temporary low-cost initiatives the transform space into place, promote movement, safety, and neighbourliness. The goal is to support volunteer-driven, tactical urbanism projects that engage the community and create meaningful changes to shared spaces.

The City of Calgary | P.O. Box 2100 Stn. M | Calgary, AB, Canada T2P 2M5 | calgary.ca

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

	Calgary **Connecting City Resources** **TLC Kits** For external assistance with TLC Kits, please visit TLC Kits (calgary.ca). Our free The Litter Cleanup (TLC) Kits are available to help with cleanups and provide all the supplies needed. Choose a favourite park or green space to clean in your community or tidy up while on a walk. Earth Day (April 22), The City's Pathway and River Cleanup (May 13 - 15) and World Environment Day (June 5) are great days to do this but remember, any day is a great day to help keep our communities clean and healthy. Starting March 9, you can pick up TLC Kits Wednesday to Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Inglewood Bird Sanctuary, 2425 – 9 Ave. SE and Sat. Apr. 17 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Inglewood Bird Sanctuary **Alcohol in Parks** After a successful pilot program, City Council has directed Calgary Parks to expand the Alcohol in Parks program, adding more tables and also introducing larger spaces where Calgarians can walk around with alcohol, rather than being confined to a picnic table. If you are interested in this program, please reach out to your NPC for a document that provides guidance to community groups who may want to allow outdoor alcohol consumption within their leaseliscence of occupation boundary. **Urban Hens Program** The City of Calgary is pleased to announce the launch of a much-anticipated new program recognizing urban hens as licenced pets under the updated Responsible Pet Ownership (RPO) Bylaw. Beginning Monday, March 21, 2022, Calgarians will be able to apply for an urban livestock licence to keep backyard hens in the city. The program is aligned with national care guidelines and structured similar to other municipalities across Canada that have successfully implemented urban hen programs. More information on the urban hen program and licensing criteria is now available on Calgary.ca/pets. **Snow and Ice Clearing Policy Review** Have your say on our snow & ice program, including our 7-day snow plan. To learn more & take our 5-7-minute survey at engage.calgary.ca until March 29th. **Green Calgary Rain Barrel Sale** Did you know, watering your yard can account for 30 to 40 per cent of your annual water use? With changing weather patterns in Calgary, capturing rainwater can help you, and our community build resiliency during times of hot and dry weather. Rain barrels also help to keep water on your property, so less dirt and contaminants wash into the rivers. Made locally with recycled material, Green Calgary rain barrels can be used to water trees, shrubs, lawns and flowers. Rain barrels are $75 for a limited time with pick-up and delivery options available. Sale and pick-up dates and locations include: • Sat. April 30, 10am-2pm, IKEA Calgary • Sat. May 7, 10am-2pm, Beddington Co-Op • Sat. May 14, 10am-2pm, Shawnessy Co-Op • Sat. May 28, 10am-2pm, The Genesis Centre • Sat. June 4, 10am-2pm, Vivo for Healthier Generations • Sat. June 11, 10am-2pm, Dalhousie Co-Op Visit www.greencalgary.org to order. Pre-orders start April 1st. Join the thousands of Calgarians already using rain barrels. The City of Calgary | P.O. Box 2100 Stn. M | Calgary, AB, Canada T2P 2M5 | calgary.ca Calgary **Other** **Federation of Calgary Communities Workshops** Community Programming – March 29, 7-9pm Table Talk – Spring cleaning and understanding chemicals - Mar 31,12-1 Marketing 101 – April 12, 7-9pm Table Talk – Air Quality and Forest Fires – April 14, 12-1pm GST For Charities – April 14, 7-9pm Table Talk – How to have difficult conversations – April 19, 12-1pm **To register and view all online/virtual workshops and sessions visit** calgarycommunities.com/our-events/ **Government of Alberta – Community Development – Workshops & Trainings** Peer to Peer Campaigns: The Recipe for Success - March 29 Understanding Your Legal landscape – April 13 Grant Writing 101 – April 14 Board Roles and Responsibilities – April 20 Legal Responsibilities – April 27 The Role of the Board Chair – May 3 Organizational Purpose and Planning – May 4 Grant Writing 101 – May 5 **For more information or to register visit:** Government of Alberta - Community Development Unit Events | Eventbrite Email contact is: communitydevelopment@gov.ab.ca or call 310-0000 then dial 780-963-2261.	
Other Representatives	CBE - Laura Hack present. • Working on budget right now, still waiting for portfolio from the province, schools will get their budgets by April 7 • Announcement this month that Evanston will be getting a new middle school • 3-year school capital plan was created last year, now working on upcoming capital plans for the next 3 year period • North High School is 30% complete, no official opening date yet but still hoping for 2023.	
Community Advisors & Guests		

Standing Committee	Sub-Committee/Team	Updates	Motions & Actions
Executive Update	Tavis & Executive Officers	• Still looking for a treasurer, may have some options from a community member	
Office	Executive Director: Yana	• New admin assistant on board	

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

		• Office hours have been changed to 2 virtual days, and 1 in person day • Revenue Analyst posting is proving tough to fill No Report	
Finance	Director: Asim		
	Grants (Chris)	• March 31 is a major Deadline for Reporting for NHCA • Will be applying for CIP again with a submission date of May 15, 2022	
	Fund Development (Tavis- Capital Projects; ? - Partner Relations;	• Capital Project: Rotary Thrift Store project • Ian has agreed to be the lead for the thrift store project! • Need additional team member for membership drive on Saturday • Food Truck Frenzy supporting NHCA - starting in April and running several monthly until September • Need a director/volunteer to help with sponsorships and IT	
	Creating Coventry	• City is moving forward with the 2 new parks	

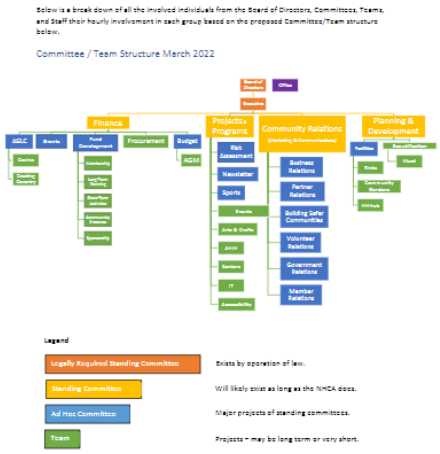
LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

		being built, they don't have enough volunteers to go after CFEP grant No Report	
Projects & Programs	Director		
	Sports & Ice Rinks (Fadi/Devon)	• Rinks were taken down this past week No Report	

	General Events
	(Chris - Acting)
		• Roam the Hills
		  • Struggling with Theft and Damage
		  • Looking for Maintenance Volunteers
		• Community Clean Up - May 22nd	

Community Relations	Director:		
	BSC Tavis Settles	• 2 new communities interested in a block watch • Gas theft on the rise??	
	Volunteer Relations Tavis Settles	• Based on the work with the Volunteer Development Grant, we have proposed an update Committee Structure	

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

		 • Added Fund Development • Risk Assessment • Removed some teams that were temporary in nature	
Planning & Development	Director: David		
	Gardens (Amanda)	• Registration is underway, Coventry Garden is sold out, few beds still available at Harvest Garden. • Brand new Adirondack chairs at Harvest Garden have been stolen.	

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: *The NHCA would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the peoples of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Blackfoot First Nation tribes of Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Stoney Nakoda First Nations tribes of Chiniki, Bearspaw, and Wesley and the Tsuut'ina First Nation. Calgary is also homeland to the historic Northwest Métis and to Métis Nation of Alberta, Region 3.*

Northern Hills Connect	Tamara		
IN-CAMERA MEETING		No In-Camera Necessary	
MOTION TO ADJOURN		**Meeting ended at 8:08pm.**	