February 14, 2023 FOI No: 2023-09

VIA E-MAIL - Redacted S. 22



Dear S.22

Re: Request for Records

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

The City of White Rock has reviewed your request for access to the following records pursuant to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the "Act"):

- Total Cost of the delivery of the Bright Walk in White Rock lighting event for 2021.
 Including costs from the Recreation Department, Parks Department and Engineering
 Department both in the 2021 and 2022 fiscal year
- Total Cost of the delivery of the Bright Walk in White Rock lighting event for 2022.
 Including costs from the Recreation Department, Parks Department and Engineering Department both in the 2022 and 2023 fiscal year
- Total Cost of the installation of lighting for 10 trees between the White Rock Pier and the White Rock.

Access to the information is provided below. Please note as the information came from different sources they are supplied in different formats. I confirmed that Engineering / Parks do not keep time records for individual projects however Recreation and Culture staff did for the 2022 event (noted in the table below under staff wages).

1. Total Cost of the delivery of the Bright Walk in White Rock lighting event for 2021 from Engineering / Parks.

2021 BRIGHT WALK PARKS OPERATING COSTS = \$50,131.39 + 11,399 (Rec and Culture) = 61,530.39

- \$40,253.41 → New lighting, props, etc. (Landscaping Supplies)
- \$358.98 → Maintenance supplies (Maintenance Supplies)
- \$9,519.00 → Security costs



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2 Total Cost of the delivery of the Bright Walk in White Rock lighting event for 2022.

2022 BRIGHT WALK PARKS OPERATING COSTS = \$39,955.84 + 12,046 (Rec and Culture) = 52,001.84

- \$25,423.83 → New lighting, props, etc. (Landscaping Supplies)
- \$116.76 → Maintenance supplies (Maintenance Supplies)
- \$14,415.25 → Security
- 3. Total Cost of the installation of lighting for 8 trees between the White Rock Pier and the White Rock.
- *Staff have stated it was 8 trees and not 10 for this project

2022 PIER TO P'QUALS NEW TREE LIGHTING PROJECT (Capital project) = \$152,114.11

- \$21,140.50 → New tree lighting supply + install (Capital Fund)
- \$130,973.61 → Civil Engineering + Electrical Installation (Capital Fund)

BRIGHT WALK IN WHITE ROCK - EVENT ONLY from Recreation and Culture:		
Category	2021	2022
PROGRAM CONTRACTS	\$9,901	\$3,327
EQUIPMENT INCLUDING SOME RENTAL		\$4,458
SUPPLIES	\$370	\$850
ADVERTISING	\$828	\$3,007
STAFF WAGES		\$404
HONORARIUMS	\$300	-
TOTAL NET EXPENS	\$11,399.	\$12,046

Please contact our office if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Tracey Arthur

Director of Corporate Administration

If you believe that the City of White Rock has been unreasonable in its handling of your request, you may ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review our response. You have 30 days from receipt of this notice to request a review by writing to:

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner 3rd Floor, 756 Fort Street Victoria BC V8W 1H2

Should you decide to request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with:

- 1. your name, address and telephone number;
- 2. a copy of this letter;
- 3. a copy of your original request sent to the City of White Rock; and 4. the reasons or grounds upon which you are requesting the review.