



THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VERNON

COUNCIL RESOLUTION

Climate Action Plan Implementation

At their March 11, 2024 Regular meeting, Vernon City Council passed the following resolution:

'THAT Council authorize the allocation funding from the Local Government Climate Action Program fund to proceed with initiatives described in the memorandum titled "Climate Action Plan Implementation" dated February 28, 2024, respectfully submitted by the Specialist, Climate Action as follows:

	Initiative Description	Funding Amounts
1	Access data analysis tool to forecast project-level greenhouse gas (GHG) reduction potentials to guide future decision making.	\$7,000
2	Conduct a parks, green space, and wetland inventory for the Official Community Plan (OCP) update and the development of a natural asset inventory.	\$120,000
3	Top up for the E-mobility Accelerator Program technology demonstration to temporarily provide equitable e-scooter trials.	\$10,000
4	Sponsor the Climate Action Ripple Effect (CARE) annual Youth Symposium & Community Expo (Attachment 2).	\$20,000
5	Sponsor two UBC Sustainability Scholars research projects (a. how best to increase the uptake of community building energy retrofits, b. feasibility study of an equity-based e-scooter program).	\$22,000
6	Model the GHG emissions of future housing development with the 2024 Housing Needs Assessment.	\$40,000
7	Conduct a GHG reduction feasibility study for energy retrofits to City owned buildings <i>(subject to FCM grant*)</i> .	\$40,000
		\$259,000

AND FURTHER, that support for the Go By Bike Week be provided from within the Transportation Department budget;

AND FURTHER, that support for the Climate Action Ripple Effect (CARE) annual Youth Summit & Community Climate Expo (Initiative No. 4) be provided directly to School District 22;

AND FURTHER, that Council directs Administration to prepare a draft framework for a Climate Action Plan Community Engagement Strategy and Plan to be presented to the Climate Action Advisory Committee in May;

AND FURTHER, that Council supports Administration's grant application to the FCM GHG Reduction Pathway Feasibility Study program in the amount of \$200,000.

CARRIED'

The undersigned hereby certifies the above resolution to be a true copy of the resolution passed by Council of the City of Vernon on March 11, 2024



Janice Nicol, Corporate Officer
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