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RE: CAPITAL GRANT - CKUA

ALDERMAN GORD LOWE

WHEREAS CKUA has been Alberta's premier cultural ambassador since 1927—using the medium of radio and the internet to connect Albertans with each other and to the world;

AND WHEREAS CKUA attracts more than 250,000 listeners each week and more than 75,000 website visits each month;

AND WHEREAS CKUA is by Albertans, for Albertans and supported by more than 13,000 funders and over 400 volunteers—a very large number of which are resident in Calgary and area;

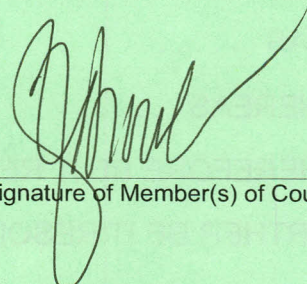
AND WHEREAS CKUA, for almost 40 years, has played a central and vital role in promoting, showcasing and supporting Calgary-based artists, festivals, promoters, performance venues, and cultural organizations;

AND WHEREAS CKUA is currently fundraising for a new broadcast centre and performance venue to be located in Edmonton;

AND WHEREAS the Province of Alberta and the City of Edmonton have each pledged \$5.0M to the broadcast center in Edmonton;

AND WHEREAS CKUA has an opportunity to build a broadcast studio in the National Music Centre now under construction in Calgary's East Village development;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that The City of Calgary provide a one-time capital grant of \$2.0M to CKUA in support of their capital fund-raising project and construction and equipping of a new broadcast studio and supporting facilities at the National Music Centre.



Signature of Member(s) of Council