



Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami

Memorandum to Council

Memo No.
Memo 2019-M-183

☒ **Staff**

☒ **Committee**

Subject: Lions club youth activities

Agenda Date: **November 7th, 2019**

Attachments: Letter from the Lion Club

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council received Memo 2019-M-183;

AND FURTHER THAT Council direct staff to prepare a by-law and terms of reference for the Community Recreation and Events Committee.

INFORMATION

The Temagami Lions Club has submitted a request to Mayor and Council for support of youth activities. The Lions would like to start hosting activities such as dances, movie nights, crafts, and sledding for the children in our community.

Municipal staff has also been discussing ideas on how to get more activities back in the community for our youth, now that we no longer have the Facilities Manager Recreation Coordinator position. In the past when this position was still active in our Municipality we had hockey, soccer, summer camps, holiday events, t-ball, swimming lessons, arts and crafts, seniors indoor walking, community dances, etc.

This may be the perfect opportunity for the Municipality to partner up with other organization and volunteer groups in our community to jointly implement and develop activities for all of our residents and visitors.

Staff is recommending that a by-law be prepared for the establishment of the Community Recreation and Events Committee, which will consist of Municipal staff, volunteers and members of various community groups. The primary focus of the group will be to develop and implement recreational activities and events for the community.

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