



Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami

Memorandum to Council

Memo No.
2018-M-050

Staff
 Committee

Subject:	Temiskaming Shores and Area Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee
Agenda Date:	August 14, 2018
Attachments:	Letter to continue fund

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Municipality of Temagami receives the letter of appeal from the Temiskaming Shores and Area Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee;

AND FURTHER THAT Council directs Staff to forward \$2,406 (\$3 per census resident) to the Committee;

AND FURTHER THAT Council directs staff to include an estimate for this contribution in the next 4 budget cycles.

INFORMATION

A letter, dated August 1, 2018, was received from the Temiskaming Shores and Area Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee and is attached to and forms part of this report.

Council is being asked to consider a 5 year commitment to this initiative at the rate of \$3 per population as determined by Census information. Presently, based on this information, our contribution would be \$2,406 per year.

Prepared by:

Reviewed by:

Craig Davidson, Treasurer/Administrator	
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To spearhead our fundraising campaign, the City of Temiskaming Shores passed a resolution on May 15, 2018 to transfer funds into a Physician Recruitment and Retention Reserve representing a financial commitment of two (2) years at \$36,500 per year.

On behalf of the Committee, I am requesting you consider a contribution of \$3.00 per capital per year over a five year period. Based on census data, your annual contribution would be \$2,406.

With your support, we would like to increase our incentive fund as well as maintain it over the next five years to continue our strong recruitment initiatives.

Should you have any questions or would like a presentation to your Municipal Council, please do not hesitate to contact me at (705) 648-0018.

A response by **September 15, 2018** with your decision to support or decline would be greatly appreciated.

On behalf of the Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee, I thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carman Kidd". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "C" and "K".

Mayor Carman Kidd
Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee Chair