COUNTY OF ST. PAUL 5015 – 49 Avenue, St. Paul, AB



# **Request for Decision**

Council Meeting: May 14, 2019

# 8.2 - County of St. Paul Community Assn – Request for Funding

# Request

The County of St. Paul Community Association submitted an Investing in Canada Plan (ICIP) grant application to design and construct the boat launch located at the Stoney Lake Municipal Recreation Area in July 2018. The Association has still not heard back from the ICIP Program on its application status.

The Association submitted a Community Facility Enhancement Program application in September 2018 and was unsuccessful. The Program was overprescribed, and Program staff recommended submitting a new application in May 2019, which the Association is currently preparing.

The total project cost is approximately \$277,000.00.

The Association is requesting that the County contribute \$125,000.00 to the project.

The County currently owns the boat launch infrastructure at the Stoney Lake Municipal Recreation Program, which is in need of replacement.

### Alternatives

- Commit \$125,000 to the County of St. Paul Community Association for designing and constructing a boat launch at the Stoney Lake Municipal Recreation Area contingent on one of the Association's grant applications being successful to come out of the 2020 County Budget
- Commit an amount less than \$125,000 to the Association to come out of the 2020 budget
- Deny the request for funding

### Recommendation

- Administration is recommending approving the funding request for \$125,000 to the County of St. Paul Community Association for designing and constructing a boat launch at the Stoney Lake Municipal Recreation Area contingent on one of the Association's grant applications being successful to be paid from the 2020 County Budget.