

CITY OF HAMILTON
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Audit, Finance and Administration Committee: June 12, 2025

MOVED BY COUNCILLOR M. SPADAFORA

SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR J. BEATTIE

Festitalia Soccer Tournament Sponsorship

WHEREAS, the 50th Anniversary of Festitalia will be celebrated in 2025, featuring a variety of cultural and community events, including a soccer tournament that promotes youth participation and community pride; and

WHEREAS, the Festitalia Soccer Tournament brings together teams from across the city and fosters cross-cultural understanding, teamwork, and active living;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- (a) That a one-time exception to the Area Rating Special Capital Re-Investment Discretionary Fund Policy be approved to allow Ward 14 to provide a grant to the Festitalia Corporation to support costs associated with the Festitalia Soccer Tournament, to be funded from the Ward 14 Capital Discretionary Account (3302309014) at an upset limit, including contingency, not to exceed \$4,500;
- (b) That all funds allocated for this initiative be contingent upon the submission of appropriate supporting documentation, including receipts or paid invoices, to the satisfaction of the General Manager of Finance and Corporate Services;
- (c) That any funds allocated and distributed to Festitalia Corporation to support costs associated with the Festitalia Soccer Tournament be exempt on a one-time basis and not be counted toward any formula that restricts regular funding from the City including the City Enrichment Fund; and
- (d) That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute any required agreement(s) and ancillary documents associated with the Festitalia Soccer Tournament, with such terms and conditions in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.