

## Community Investment Preliminary Checklist – 2022 Community Investment Grant

Organization Name: Indo Canada Association of Greater Moncton Area

Date Received: September 16, 2022

Amount Requested: \$2000.00

Sector(s) Served: Arts and Culture

Community Priority Area(s)

- 1) Arts and Culture
- 2) Community Engagement \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_

Does request fit with definition of “Sponsorship or Donation”? Yes?  No?  (Explain)

Event Hosting – Festival of Lights - Moncton Coliseum / Riverview Arts Center – October 30, 2022

### **Checklist 1**

Any NO response is an immediate disqualification.

No.	Question	Yes	No
1	Is the organization’s service boundaries include Riverview? OR Does at least one service, program or activity take place in Riverview? OR Are 50% or more of individuals served reside in Riverview?	X	
2	Is the applicant in good standing with the Town of Riverview?	X	
3	Are some of the required funds being raised through other means?	X	
4	Is the organization a not-for-profit, charitable, youth or sporting organization?	X	
5	Does the organization have a volunteer board of directors or executive?	X	
6	Has the organization been in operation for at least one year? 1972	X	
7	TRAVEL SUBSIDY ONLY – is the tournament outside 100 km radius of Riverview?	n/a	

## **Checklist 2**

Any YES response is an immediate disqualification.

No.	Question	Yes	No
1	Is the applicant a "for profit" organization?		X
2	Is the applicant affiliated with any other level of government?		X
3	Is the applicant affiliated with any political organization?		X
4	Is the applicant a religious organization? <i>Recreation or Cultural programs offered by churches are allowed</i>		X
5	Is the request for an exemption of taxes?		X
6	Does the program overlap or duplicate an existing program? <i>Unless it can be proven to complement the existing program</i>		X
7	Is the request deemed suitable only for private enterprise?		X
8	Is the request from a provincial or national charity? <i>Unless it provides direct services to the citizens of Riverview</i>		X
9	Will the request benefit only the organization's membership?		X
10	Does any other level of government have legislated responsibility to fund the applicant?		X
11	Does any of the applicant's activities breach the New Brunswick Human Rights Act?		X

## **Recommendation**

Staff recommends to Council for consideration:            Yes   X          No       

**OR**

Staff approves donation of less than \$500:            Yes               No       

## **Reason**

This event is a celebration of one of the biggest Indian festival, Diwali also known as Festival of Light. With the ever growing Indian population in the Greater Moncton area, this event would be a major attraction for the community to come together and provide them a platform to celebrate our culture and diversity and integrate it into the social fabric of Canada.