

**TO:** Mayor Avis & Members of Council  
**FROM:** Laurie Lindberg, Treasurer  
**DATE:** September 6, 2016  
**SUBJECT:** Riverside Foundation Fundraising Gala Event

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## **BACKGROUND**

At the August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Council Meeting the Riverside Foundation fundraising gala event request was referred to the Administration & Finance Executive Committee for recommendation.

This year's Riverside Foundation for Health Care 'Mobsters & Dames' Gala fundraising event taking place on September 24, 2016 at the Fort Frances Curling Club. Attached is the fundraising event invitation to purchase tickets at a cost of \$55.00 each or to consider sponsorship of this event, which includes 8 tickets/reserved table, for Platinum - \$2,500, Gold - \$1,500, Silver - \$1,000 or Bronze - \$600. All proceeds from this year's Gala will support a huge 'refresh' to the Special Care Unit at Rainycrest.

In the past, Council has authorized the purchase of fundraising tickets and/or sponsorships to support the Riverside Foundation for Health Care's fundraising events. Council authorized a Bronze Sponsorship in 2015 in the amount of \$600.00.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

The Administration and Finance Executive Committee recommends that Council approve Bronze Sponsorship for the Riverside Foundation for Health Care Mobsters & Dames Gala event taking place on September 24, 2016 in the amount of \$600.00.

<p>Council Approval of This Report Will Agree to the recommendation of the Administration and Finance Executive Committee to approve a Bronze Sponsorship in the amount of \$600.00 for the Riverside Foundation for Health Care Mobsters &amp; Dames Gala event taking place on September 24, 2016.</p>
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