

TO: Mayor Avis & Members of Council
FROM: Laurie Witherspoon, Treasurer
DATE: September 23, 2015
SUBJECT: Riverside Foundation Fundraising Gala Event

BACKGROUND

At the September 14, 2015 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 'Under The Big Top' Gala fundraising event taking place on October 3, 2015 at the Copper Rover Inn. 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 - \$2,000, Gold - \$1,500, Silver - \$1,000 or Bronze - \$600. All proceeds from this year's Gala will support the purchase of a transportable LIFEPAK Defibrillator and AED Cardiac Monitor for the LaVerendrye Hospital Emergency Room.

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 2014 as indicated in the attached advertisement.

RECOMMENDATION

The Administration and Finance Executive Committee recommends that Council approve Bronze Sponsorship for the Riverside Foundation for Health Care Under The Big Top Gala 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 Under the Big Top Gala event taking place on October 3, 2015.</p>
