

Grants & Rebates Committee  
Wednesday, November 12th, 2025 – 9:45 AM – 10:20 AM  
Virtual on Zoom

*In attendance: Elaine Coorens (Voting Member,) Marcy Huttas (Chair), Ginna Ryan (Voting Member)*

*Staff: Pamela Maass (WPBCC Executive Director), Luke Scaletta (Community Engagement Coordinator)*

**Community Grants**

**Motion 1:** The Grants & Rebates Committee recommends to approve funding not to exceed **\$5,000** from line item **1.10 (Community Grants)** for WPBCC to fund marketing and supplies for the 2025 WPB Winter Wonderland. (25-1108)

*GR recommends. EC seconds. All in favor. **Recommendation passes.***

**Motion 2:** The Grants & Rebates Committee recommends to approve funding not to exceed **\$5,000** from line item **1.10 (Community Grants)** to fund materials for annual programming by Cruelty Free You & Me, including art materials and vegan snacks. (25-1109)

*Discussion: LS clarified the weekly activities and enrichment that CFYM provides.*

*GR recommends. EC seconds. All in favor. **Recommendation passes.***

**Motion 3:** The Grants & Rebates Committee recommends to approve funding not to exceed **\$1,500** from line item **1.10 (Community Grants)** to fund supplies and materials for Connections for Abused Women & their Children's Greenhouse Shelter Christmas Celebration. (25-1110)

*Discussion: LS clarified that CAWC is unable to share their exact address for safety reasons, but that their location had been verified within SSA #33's boundaries. The Committee agreed to permit up to \$1500 for the event and are awaiting updated budget specifics before Commission.*

*GR recommends. MH seconds. All in favor. **Recommendation passes.***

**Motion 4:** The Grants & Rebates Committee recommends to approve funding not to exceed **\$1,250** from line item **1.10 (Community Grants)** to fund marketing and teacher stipends for Busy Body Retreat's Sound Bath Meditation Series through December 18<sup>th</sup> (25-1111).

*Discussion: The committee iterated the need for the program to focus on community enrichment and not strictly business promotion, as well as a need to include SSA #33 in future promotion for the event.*

*GR recommends. EC seconds. All in favor. **Recommendation passes.***

## **Security Rebates**

**Motion 5:** The Grants & Rebates Committee recommends to approve funding not to exceed **\$5,000** from line item **5.03 (Security Patrol Services)** for Subterranean (2011 W North Ave - Bar/Venue) to fund security patrol services (25-1112).

*EC recommends. MH seconds. All in favor. **Recommendation passes.***

**Motion 6:** The Grants & Rebates Committee recommends to approve funding not to exceed **\$5,000** from line item **5.03 (Security Patrol Services)** for Past Studies (1423 N Milwaukee Ave - Retailer) to fund security patrol services (25-1113).

*EC recommends. MH seconds. All in favor. **Recommendation passes.***

## **Updates**

- MH requested that LS prepare a full list of Rebates and Grants awarded in 2025 to the 11/19 Commission meeting. EC also requested presenting some foot-traffic information for certain grant-awarded events via Placer.ai.

Next Meeting - 2026