



Request for Agenda Item

Date of Committee of the Whole Council Meeting: March 12, 2024

(Requests must be submitted to the Municipal Clerk's Office by end of day on the Wednesday before the meeting)

Subject: BMHS Gym Usage - Rosalin Nickerson "CARE" Fund Group

Motion to be Considered: Being duly moved and seconded that it be recommended to Council that a letter be sent to Jared Purdy, Regional Executive Director of Education of the Tri-County Regional Centre for Education, requesting that the decision not to allow the Rosalin Nickerson "CARE" Fund Group the use of BMHS' gymnasium for their vendors market fundraiser be reconsidered.

Reason:

The Rosalin Nickerson "CARE" Fund Group made a request to use BMHS' gymnasium for their vendors market fundraiser in September 2024. Their request was denied as another group felt it would infringe on their ability to raise funds at their fundraiser. Fundraisers are not competitions, and the Rosalin Nickerson "CARE" Fund Group deserves the right to use the school gym like any other group. I do not believe this is proper community use of schools and the decision should be reconsidered.

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Date: March 4, 2024