

INTERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

		Date:	August 31, 2022	
Dept:	Niagara Police Services Board	Dept:	Executive Director Niagara Police Services Board	
То:	Chair and Members	From:	Deb Reid	

Re: Donation from Special Fund – NRPA Charity Golf Tournament

Purpose:

To provide the Board with a copy of a notice received from Lynn Dowding, Tournament Organizer, NRPA Charity Golf Tournament, requesting a donation to the 1st Annual Cliff Priest Memorial Golf Tournament.

Background and Discussion:

On August 31, 2022, the Niagara Region Police Association contacted the Board office regarding a charity golf tournament, which is scheduled for Monday, September 19, 2022 at the Peninsula Lakes Golf Club in Fenwick, Ontario. This event raises funds to support various non-profit agencies and organizations throughout Niagara Region. This year, a portion of the proceeds will be used to support Victim Services Niagara, who help deliver crisis intervention, information and referral services to victims of crime and tragic circumstances. A copy of the notice is attached for your review.

The Board has a discretionary pool of funds, which it uses for grants and donations. Disbursements from the fund are in accordance with guidelines provided in the <u>Police Services Act</u>, and also with Board By-law 376-2018, Special Fund Administration, Limitations and Guidelines. Section 132(2) of the <u>Act</u> establishes that the Board has the sole authority for spending the proceeds from the sale of property which lawfully comes into the possession of the police service. The <u>Act</u> stipulates that *"the Chief of Police may cause the property to be sold, and the Board may use the proceeds for any purpose that it considers in the public interest."* These funds do not form part of the police operating budget and are separate from the Regional tax base.

This request meets the Board's Special Fund criteria and the Board has supported the program since its inception in 2007 (2007 - \$150; 2008 to 2014 - \$300; 2015 to 2018 - \$250). Time constraints were such that confirmation of hole sponsorship had to be received prior to the event. This matter was discussed with Chief MacCulloch and Board Chair Steele, and a donation in the amount of \$250.00 was approved in advance, pursuant to Board policy.

Recommendation:

That the information be received;

And further, that the Board authorize a donation in the amount of \$250.00 from the Special Fund to the Niagara Region Police Association 1st Annual Cliff Priest Memorial Golf Tournament.

Deb Reid Executive Director



The Clifford

1st Annual Cliff Priest Memorial Golf Tournament

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 2022 Peninsula Lakes Golf Club, 569 Highway 20 West, Fenwick

We may have changed our name, but we still have a good day planned for you!

\$150 per Golfer includes:

- 18 Holes of Golf at beautiful Pen Lakes Golf Course
- Golf Cart
- Scheduled Tee Time
- Lunch
- Meet & Greet Following Golf
- **Golfer Gifts**
- **One Automatic entry into raffles**
- Prize Opportunities

Sponsorship Opportunities:

- **Corporate Sponsor Gold \$5000**
- **Corporate Sponsor Silver \$2500**
- **Corporate Sponsor Bronze \$1200**
- Sponsor a Hole \$250
- **Donate a Prize**

All Sponsors and Donors will receive recognition throughout the Tournament, on the NRPA's Website and Social Media and in our "Off the Cuff" magazine

> *Payment appreciated prior to Tournament * *Those paying before August 12th will entered into an Early Bird Raffle* *Payment by Cash, Cheque, E-Transfer or Credit Card*

Sponsorship Opportunities				
Platinum Corporate Sponsor \$10,000 (includes 2 foursomes, Hole Signs, Cart Signs) Gold Corporate Sponsor \$5,000 (includes 1 foursome, Hole Signs, Cart Signs) Silver Corporate Sponsor \$2,500 (include 1 twosome, Hole Signs, Cart Signs) Bronze Corporate Sponsor \$1,200 (includes 1 Golfer, Hole Sign, Cart Signs) Hole Sponsor X Solution \$250 per Hole (Hole Sign, Cart Signs) Cash Donation \$250 per Hole (Hole Sign, Cart Signs) *Donation to Prize Table / Silent Auction *Donations with a value equal to corporate sponsorship will receive incentive packages described above*				
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GOLF REGISTRATION				
Foursome Contact:Phone:				
Email:				
Golfer 1:				
Golfer 2:				
Golfer 3:				
Golfer 4:				
No guarantees, but a range of your preferred tee time:				
You will be notified of your scheduled tee time one week prior * Please register 15 minutes before your scheduled tee time* For more information, sponsorship details or to arrange for donation pick up, contact Lynn Dowding at 905-323-5880 or email <u>Lynn@nrpa.on.ca</u>				
This year we will also be raising funds for Niagara Victims Service				
Protocting Our Guardians.				