Islands District Council Community Affairs, Culture and Recreation Committee (CACRC)

Report of the CACRC Meeting held on 8 July 2013

Purpose

This paper is to report matters discussed at the meeting of CACRC held on 8 July 2013.

Question on Discovery College

2. Members were not satisfied that Discovery College did not send representative to the meeting, nor was there any written reply provided. The Education Bureau said that it would ask Discovery College to give a reply as soon as possible, and that members' views would be related to the Bureau.

Reports by Working Groups

(i) Vetting Group

3. Members noted that at the meeting held on 28 June, 2013, the Vetting Group processed 73 applications for Community Involvement Fund for activities to be held between September and October 2013, including Mid-Autumn Festival and National Day celebration activities. The funding proposals of the Vetting Group and that of the "Dancing Beans" activity would be presented to CACRC for consideration and endorsement by circulation paper.

(ii) CACRC Working Group

4. Members noted the arrangement of the special funding of \$600,000 to be used for cultural and arts activities and progress of three activities, including the Islands District Civil Education Programme for Youth, Civil Education Community Participation Scheme for 18 districts in 2013/14, and Islands District Elderly Volunteers Visit to Happy Valley Racecourse.

Reports on the work of the Leisure and Cultural Services Department in Islands District

5. Members noted the progress of the recreational and cultural activities, as well as the promotion of public library activities conducted by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department in the Islands District.

Any Other Business

- (i) Occupational Safety & Health Promotional Campaign
- 6. Members agreed that Tung Chung Safe and Healthy City (Community Services) Foundation Limited would be nominated to apply for the fund provided by Occupational Safety and Health Council, so as to organize activities to promote occupational safety and health.
- (ii) Sports for All Day 2013
- 7. Members supported the Sports for All Day 2013.
- (iii) Report on Anti-Corruption Projects in Islands District
- 8. Members noted the progress of the various Anti-Corruption Projects in Islands District, and gave their suggestions.

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