



July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**SHELBURNE, NOVA SCOTIA**

To: Municipality of the District of Shelburne Grant Offer

From: Little People's Place of Shelburne Association

I want to begin by thanking MDS for the generous grant offer. We fully understand that we will be required to submit a five-year plan for fundraising. We will attempt to outline our plan and goals.

In the time of Covid19 a large group fundraiser is not possible to undertake. Our goal would be to organize a large group fundraiser in the final year with the goal to raise \$15 000.

Our initial plans are as follows:

1. We have engaged a company to assist us with finding grants and writing the grants.
2. To seek corporate sponsorship beginning with the larger businesses. In this time of Covid19 we do not want to tax our local businesses.
3. A Facebook Fundraiser to reach our local community of supporters.
4. A writing campaign reaching former employees and "graduates" of LPP.
5. Partnering with a home-based business or local business to make a \$2-10 per sale an option.
6. Rely on the Town of Shelburne to provide funding.
7. Rely on MDS to also assist with grant writing.
8. Smaller fundraising projects organized by parents and staff to raise funds. Ticket sales, Walk-Run Activity, Paint Nights, and other approved ideas.

Overall, we would like to say we will work towards raising \$50 000 over the next five years.

Thank you again,

The Board of Directors of Little People's Place of Shelburne Association