



CITY OF VANCOUVER OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

## MEMORANDUM

VanRIMS No. 08-2000-20

June 19, 2009

TO: Vancouver City Council

FROM: Mayor Gregor Robertson

SUBJECT: Sponsorship of 2009 UBCM Convention Welcome Reception

The City of Vancouver has been asked by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities to sponsor a portion of the 2009 UBCM Convention, which will be held in Vancouver this year. The amount requested is \$17,500 to be used toward the Welcome Reception, an event which will be attended by over 1,400 quests.

It is traditional for the host city to contribute to this event.

Therefore, I would RECOMMEND

THAT Vancouver City Council approve a hospitality grant of \$17,500 toward the 2009 UBCM Convention, source of funds to be the Contingency Reserve.

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