



Waterworks: Soak Up the Science

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- Protecting our precious water resources essential for future safe water
- Clean water sources provide the foundation for a sustainable healthy community



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- W/WW Outreach Objectives:
 - Educate public about water/wastewater issues
 - Promote Efficient Use of Water
 - Promote responsible environmental behavior
 - Support Long Term Sustainability of Infrastructure



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- Proactively working to ensure safe, affordable water for CGS, now and in the future.
- Cost Effective Partnership



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- Science North developing a 6,000 square foot hands-on science exhibition focusing on 'water'
- Total cost of exhibit is \$1.55 million
- 4 major themes
- Content aligns nicely with W/WW's public education and outreach objectives



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Exhibit Goals

- Educate the public on water and its importance as a precious natural resource
- Foster a more sustainable future for water resources by influencing positive environmental behaviours
- Promote respect for water resources





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- 3 year \$100,000 commitment:
 - ✓ \$33,500 in 2007 CY;
 - ✓ \$33,500 in 2008 CY; and
 - ✓ \$33,000 in 2009 CY.



Recommendation

- Allocate \$33,500 to Science North towards the WaterWorks: Soak up the Science project; and
- Approve the associated grant by-law.



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- Questions?