

POLICY STATEMENT

District of Maple Ridge

Title: Financial Support Process	Policy No : 5.49 Supersedes No. NEW
Authority: <u>Council</u> Approval: <u>March 25, 2003</u>	Effective Date: <u>March 26, 2003</u>
Policy Statement: Requests for financial assistance will be directed to the appropriate operating department for evaluation against existing applicable policies using the attached decision trees. The results of these evaluations will be presented to Council as part of the regular business planning process.	
Purpose: Requests for financial support should be evaluated using a standard process to ensure the best use is made of available budget dollars earmarked for such community support.	
Definitions: Grant: Temporary assistance provided to an organization, to be reviewed annually. Fee for Service Agreement: An agreement between the municipality and an organization the specifies what the organization will accomplish in return for the financial support it receives.	



