



BRIGHT NIGHTS IN STANLEY PARK BURN FUND

PARK BOARD
COMMITTEE MEETING

April 18, 2016



Bright Nights in Stanley Park

- Largest annual fundraising event held at Stanley Park miniature train
- 18 years of partnership between the Burn Fund and Park Board
- Event ran from November 26 to January 2
- Over 4,000 volunteer hours go into running the event
- Volunteers are comprised of active and retired fire fighters from all over the province



The Burn Fund began in 1978 to support fire fighters who wanted to do more to help the people they rescued while on the road to recovery.

Programs include:

- Prevention & Education
- Survivor Support & Recovery Programs
- Enhance Burn/Trauma care & treatment for patients through investment in research, equipment & technology



Bright Nights Funds Raised



- Since its inception in 1998 Bright Nights in Stanley Park has raised over \$2.2 million in proceeds for the Burn Fund
- In 2015 the event contributed \$149,855 to the Burn Fund
- In total the Burn Fund raised \$388,159 including donations
- Funds raised represent 26% of the annual Burn Fund budget for programs and services

Burn Fund Centre



- The Burn Fund Centre at 23rd & Main opened on March 18, 2016
- The offices are now operating at this location
- Suites expected to open early Spring 2016