



WEST HANTS REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY REPORT

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To: West Hants Regional Municipality Council

Submitted by: Mayor Abraham Zebian

Date: November 12, 2025

Subject: Avon View High School

LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY

Municipal Government Act

RECOMMENDATION or DECISION REQUEST

...Council direct staff to include a funding amount of \$25,000 for Avon View High School for the 2026/2027 budget.

BACKGROUND

Avon View High School is located on Payzant Drive, Windsor and services approximately 1000 students within West Hants from grades 9-12.

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DISCUSSION

Recently, I met with the Principle of the High School and some staff members to discuss the school, the student population, issues that have arisen within the community, and programs the school offers to ensure students stay engaged and active in areas they show interest. There are many sports programs, artesian programs, band, debate and others that hundreds of students take advantage of. The school also supports families throughout the year who may

need help with meals or other items. The school does have limitations on funding and as a result may not be able to offer programming to all who may be interested. As a member of council, I always look for ways to support the entire region within one decision. It is my opinion that supporting the high school with its work within the school community is one way that touches all parts of our region.

NEXT STEPS

If the recommendation is passed, staff would include the amount in the 2026/2027 budget.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There would be financial implications if council approves this request.

ALTERNATIVES

Council can decide not to approve the recommendation.

Council can give alternative direction.

ATTACHMENTS

None.

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER REVIEW

Pending the discussion of Council, the Grants and Contributions Policy may require an amendment to align with Council's desired outcome for this type of support. Grants such as this can also be allocated outside the policy by motion of Council.

Staff await Council's discussion and their position regarding the request.

Report Prepared by: Abraham Zebian, Mayor

Report Reviewed by:



Mark Phillips, Chief Administrative Officer