ALCOHOL & DRUG COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR THE

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

DECEMBER 6 & 7, 1977 - MEETING

CAMBRIDGE BAY, NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

AGENDA ITEM --- PROJECT RENEWAL

PEEL RIVER ALCOHOL COMMITTEE FORT McPHERSON, NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

NAME - PEEL RIVER ALCOHOL COMMITTEE

PROPOSAL

The Alcohol Committe had problems in meeting their objectives last year The major program in last years proposal was the Alcohol Rehabilition Camp at Trail Creek. The problem came in construction from the lack of communications between the Co-op manager who with The Job CMreation Branch (under a Cnada Works Program) were to build the camp, and the Alcohol Committee who tried to participate in the comstruction of the camp, but all offers were turned away by the manager, finally the Board of Directors of the Co-op because they started the program with the intention to turning over for the Alcohol Committees use, fired the manager. They are now undertaking the turn over of the facility to the alcohol committee. The alcohol committe is preparing a trip to the camp site before the new year; to hold a short workshop and counsel some new members and prepare the site for future use. Since the Rehab Centre is completed the centre will be made use of for the intended purpose which is for conselling and alcohol workshops. The intention of the committee is to start off with short workshops of about a week to ten days in duration with an objective of having at least a one month treatment program next winter.

During the summer months the camp will be used continuiously for two purposes. The first use will be for the use of children in the Fort McPherson area for cultural recreation. It is felt by the committee that to have the children away from the settlement and to do some counselling work and cultral activities would be good prevention work. The settlement is now seeing younger children drinking and quite a few of the children getting into trouble because they are left on their own when the parents are drinking. In the summer the children are left completely on their own time with traditional pursuits it would be of more value to their upbringing.

The second use will be that of retating workshops and counselling the reasons for this is that transportation will be cheaper by boat and more people can go out during the summer months.

The employees wages we feel should be increased because of the volume of work is increasing. We also felt that two counsellors are needed within the settlement, it is thought that the new counsellor would handle the female clients, this would be a loss arrangement as clients will go according to which counsellor they feel more at ease with. The part time counsellor would be running the busy summer program, assisted from time to time by the permanent foursellors.

Honariums have been adjusted to the amount of work a committee member does. A committe member looks after the centres activity during the night him or her will receive \$10.00. The Fxecutive will receive \$50.00 per night.

The trips undertaken by the committee to other communities have been of great value to each individual member. Through councelling workshops and roundups each member has gained a depth of knowledge which has enabled them to help out other members, and to do volunteer counselling of other individuals who are seeking help. All committee members have expressed the great values of these trips through listening to other individuals experiences and seeing their life styles; also inexpressing their own feelings toward alcohol and its effects on the society they gain an understanding of themselves. The committee feels that the trips should continue and be done as often as possible. The program that is being undertaken by the committee this year will need more and more knowledgable counsellors. So some of these trips that will be done next year will be for counselling courses and to observe other centres activities and programs, and adjust them to the settlement of Fort McPherson. It is also planned to continue travelling to Artic Red River to do some counselling there.

COSTS OF PROPOSAL

(till December 78)

Recreation and Alcohol Education Centre

1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	ence Costs: Oil - 6,000 gallons Sewage - pick-up for year Hydro - Insurance - fire and liability if Telephone - Water Workmens Compensation	insurance	2,500.00 500.00 1,200.00 1,000.00 2,500.00 100.00 1,300.00
1.	ence Costs; Trail Creek Rehabilit Maintaining of facilities and pr strip - Wages	tion Centre reparation of	1,500.00
		Total	10,600.00
Program	Transportation Costs: Workshop in Edmonton - 10 people	e - Air Fare Meals Accomodation Misc.	3990 .00 1,000.00 2,000.00 500.00
2.	Whitehorse - observing - 6 peopl		1,616.00 600.00 1,200.00 300.00
3.	Course in Edmonton - 8 people	-Air Fare Meals Accomodation Misc.	3,192.00 1,000.00 2,000.00 500.00
4.	Seminar counsellor & Patient		,
<i>,-</i> -	Treatment - 2 trips of 2 counsel	Air fareMealsAccomodationMisc.	1,600.00 630.00 700.00 300.00
5.	Inuvik - observing and consulting 4 trips by taxi (5 or 6 people	- Gab Fare Meals Accomodation Misc.	960.00 300.00 280.00 150.00
6.	Artic Red River - Counselling 3 trips by taxi	- Cab Fare	150.00
		Total	22,968.00

7.	Total Communication Total Communication Trail Creek Rehab Centre 10 trips by twin otter Gas for boats Boat Accessories	7,000.00 500.00 250.00
	Total	30,718.00
Employee:	Full Time Secretary reviewed after 6 months Counsellors reviewed aster 6 months	9,600.00 1,200.00 12,000.00 12,000.00 1,200.00
3.	Preventative Part-time councellor	1,200.00 6,000.00
4.	Total Employees Benefits 4% holiday pay	43,200.00 1,584.00
	Total	44,784.00
Alcohol I 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. Trail Cre	Executive members - 4 @ \$50.00 permor every night a member attends centre Total neous Prgram Costs: Education Centre: Recreational and cultural Activities Toys and Games Coffee and Food Secretarial and Councellor Supplies Video tape and recorder Cleaning material Plywood, paint and nails Wages for repairs eek Rehabilition Centre: Generator for electrid power Plywwod, insulation, paint, nails	3.650.00 6,050.00 1,000.00 500.00 1,500.00 750.00 2,000.00 1,000.00 1,500.00 2,000.00
3. 4. 5. 6.	Wages for completion of some cabins Food and Coffee Household goods Two-way Radio Record player, projector, radios First aid kits Total	3,000.00 3,000.00 1,000.00 2,000.00 1,500.00 250.00

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Costs of Programs:

 1. Maintanence Costs
 10,600.00

 2. Program transportation costs
 30,718.00

 3. Employees
 44,784.00

 4. Honariums
 6,050.00

 5. Misc. program costs
 24,000.00

Total of Proposal 116,152.00

Approved by Settlement Council

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