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Item No. 15.4.2

Request for Council's Consideration					
ХD	Included on Agenda □ (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Thursday)		to Municipal		Request from the Floor
Date of Council Meeting: Tuesday, May 14, 2019					
Subject: First Books Canada Project – Bookcases for Lion's Club					
Motion for Council to Consider:					
That Halifax Regional Council approve an exemption for a district capital grant in the amount of \$4000.00 to purchase bookcases to be used by the Eastern Passage Lion's Club in their First Books Canada Project.					
Reason:					
This request is not eligible through the District Capital Grants Program as the bookcases will be distributed to primary students in 7 different schools in Eastern Passage and surrounding area. The bookcases will be used to store books provided to the students through the First Books Canada project, which will distribute approximately 1500 books. This will allow for primary students who otherwise may not have access to books in the home to have their own "first library."					
Outcome Sought:					
To support the Eastern Passage Lion's Club in providing access to books and encouraging a love of literacy in young students.					
Councillor Bill Karsten		District 3 Dartmouth South – Eastern Passage			