



Corporate Report

NO: R152

COUNCIL DATE: JUNE 25, 2007

REGULAR COUNCIL

TO: **Mayor & Council** DATE: **June 15, 2007**
FROM: **General Manager, Finance & Technology** FILE: **0560-01**
SUBJECT: **Report of 2006 Council Remuneration and Expense Payments**

RECOMMENDATION

That Council receive the attached information (**Appendices A to J**) listing remuneration and expenses for council members throughout the year 2006.

BACKGROUND

Section 168 of the *Community Charter* requires that a report be presented to Council at least once a year, that separately lists for each council member the following information:

- The total amount of remuneration paid to each council member for the discharge of the duties of office including any amount specified as an expense;
- The total amount of expense payments for each council member when representing the City, engaging in City business or attending a meeting, course or convention;
- The total amount of any benefits including insurance policies and policies for medical or dental services provided to each council member or council member's dependants, and
- The details of any municipal contract with council members as reported under Section 107 of the *Community Charter*.

CONCLUSION

The *Community Charter* requires only that the total amount of remuneration and the total amount of expenses be listed for each council member. The information included in **Appendices A to J** provides additional detail that might otherwise be requested under the *Freedom of Information Act*.

Vivienne Wilke, CGA
General Manager,
Finance & Technology

Attachments

**CITY OF SURREY
SUMMARY OF MAYOR & COUNCIL REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES
JANUARY TO DECEMBER 2006**

	Expenses	Remunerations /Indemnities	Vehicle	Total	Appendix
Mayor Watts	\$ 27,554	\$ 98,701	\$ 15,400	\$ 141,655	B
Councillor Bose	4,305	52,733		57,038	C
Councillor Gill	4,940	55,201		60,141	D
Councillor Hepner	14,874	52,090		66,964	E
Councillor Higginbotham	16,623	54,405		71,028	F
Councillor Hunt	4,592	53,899		58,491	G
Councillor Martin	10,211	49,992		60,203	H
Councillor Steele	14,648	53,609		68,257	I
Councillor Villeneuve	9,285	54,261		63,546	J
Totals per GL sum	\$ 107,032	\$ 524,891	\$ 15,400	\$ 647,323	

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR MAYOR WATTS (10104)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

<u>Conferences</u>	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
2006 Winter Olympics Torino, Italy - February 6 - 17	\$ -	\$ 1,347	\$ 5,000	\$ 1,493	\$ 751	\$ 1,544	\$ 10,135
Overnight at Fairmont Hotel for next-day presentation Vancouver, BC - March 30-31	-	-	317	-	27	-	344
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	-	160	182	-	-	-	342
US Conference of Mayors Las Vegas, CA - June 2-6	-	538	2,251	-	-	-	2,789
UK Delegation UK, August 11-19	-	1,686	5,372	2,571	484	-	10,113
Big City Mayor's Caucus Toronto, ON - September 19-21	-	240	490	558	166	-	1,454
Union of BC Municipalities Victoria, BC - October 24-27	-	160	736	238	-	-	1,134
RCMP Depot Tour Regina, SK - November 13-15	-	-	267	-	-	-	267
Total Conferences	\$ -	\$ 4,131	\$ 14,615	\$ 4,860	\$ 1,428	\$ 1,544	\$ 26,578
 <u>Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events</u>							
01/26 White Rock/S. Surrey Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards							65
02/20 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Stockwell Day							28
02/27 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Carole Taylor							36
03/03 CORSA Foundation Kohinoor Diamond Ball 2006							150
05/06 Peace Arch Hospital 2006 Foundation Gala (2 tickets)							400
05/13 "A Taste of BC's Finest" - Semiahmoo House Society							50
07/28 Police Officer of the Year Dinner (2 tickets)							122
10/18 Semiahmoo Volunteer Community Police Society - Red Serge Dinner & Auction							125
Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events							976
Total Expenses							27,554
Remunerations/Indemnities							98,701
Vehicle							15,400
Total Remuneration & Expenses							<u>\$ 141,655</u>

APPENDIX C

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR BOSE (10225)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

Conferences

	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
Columbia Institute Forum for Progressive Government Harrison Hot Springs, BC - March 24&25	\$ 175	\$ 160	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 116	\$ -	\$ 451
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	-	160	365	-	133	-	658
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	160	279	-	118	-	782
FCM Conference Montreal, PQ - June 2-5	139	-	231	117	-	-	487
Gaining Ground Sustainable Urban Development & Leadership Summit Victoria, BC - June 15-17	695	-	-	-	-	-	695
UBCM Conference Victoria, BC - October 23-27	484	200	286	-	139	-	1,109
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Conferences	\$ 1,718	\$ 680	\$ 1,161	\$ 117	\$ 506	\$ -	\$ 4,182

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/26 Vancouver Board of Trade Seminar - Transportation in Greater Vancouver	70
09/15 Supt. Gates Retirement Lunch	30
11/03 Surrey Board of Trade Leadership Prayer Breakfast with Debra Grey	24
Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	123
Total Expenses	4,305
Remunerations/Indemnities	52,733
Total Remuneration & Expenses	\$ 57,038

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR GILL (10229)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

Conferences

Seminar - Local Government Decision Making
for Newly Elected Officials
Richmond, BC - February 15-17

Council Retreat
Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2

FCM Conference
Montreal, PQ - June 2-5

	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
	\$ 210	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 210
	-	-	178	-	-	-	178
	555	560	1,379	1,011	110	-	3,615
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Conferences	\$ 765	\$ 560	\$ 1,557	\$ 1,011	\$ 110	\$ -	\$ 4,003

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/12	S.E.Y.V.A. 3rd Annual Lorhi Fundraiser	25
02/10	Surrey Sheriffs Dinner & Dance 2006	35
02/27	Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Carole Taylor	36
03/03	CORSA Foundation Kohinoor Diamond Ball 2006	150
03/08	Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Mayor Dianne Watts	36
03/22	Surrey Delta Immigrant Services Cultural Diversity Awards for Business (2006)	65
05/06	Peace Arch Hospital Foundation Gala	200
05/10	Surrey Chamber of Commerce Police Officer of the Year Awards Dinner	65
07/06	Indo-Canadian Business Association's 10th Scholarship Award Ceremony	35
09/07	Indo-Canadian Business Association's 6th Annual Charity Golf Tournament	65
10/10	Surrey Board of Trade Transportation Business Dinner with Hon. Lawrence Cannon, Min. of Trans.	47
10/18	Semiahmoo Volunteer Community Police Society - Red Serge Dinner & Auction	125
10/27	Sanjha Vehra Women's Association Fundraiser for the Canadian Cancer Society	25
11/23	Surrey Board of Trade Business Luncheon: How to get your Business Started in India (Consul General)	28

Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events 937

Total Expenses 4,940

Remunerations/Indemnities 55,201

Total Remuneration & Expenses \$ 60,141

APPENDIX E

CITY OF SURREY
 REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR HEPNER (10227)
 FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006

<u>Conferences</u>	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
2006 Winter Olympics Torino, Italy - February 6 - 17	\$ -	\$ 1,351	\$ 5,320	\$ 1,499	\$ 805	\$ -	\$ 8,975
Seminar - Local Government Decision Making for Newly Elected Officials Richmond, BC - January 19-21	210	32	-	-	122	-	364
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	-	-	182	-	142	-	324
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	200	280	-	154	-	859
FCM Conference Montreal, PQ - June 2-5	555	480	1,155	584	84	-	2,858
Canada/America Society 7th Annual Canada Gala Seattle, WA - October 6	-	-	-	-	182	-	182
UBCM Conference Victoria, BC - October 23-27	270	-	-	-	30	-	300
RCMP Depot Tour Regina, SK - November 13-15	-	-	263	-	-	-	263
Total Conferences	\$ 1,260	\$ 2,063	\$ 7,200	\$ 2,083	\$ 1,519	\$ -	\$ 14,125

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/12 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Breakfast	15
01/25 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Don Stuckert	28
01/26 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards	65
03/04 Peace Arch Community Services Gala	100
03/08 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Mayor Dianne Watts	36
03/11 Soroptomist International of White Rock Women of the Year Award Luncheon	35
03/22 Surrey Delta Immigrant Services Cultural Diversity Awards for Business	65
03/30 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Dinner with Mayor Dianne Watts	35
04/20 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Gordon Hogg, MLA	25
05/09 Surrey Crime Prevention Society Volunteer Appreciation and Awards Dinner	20
06/15 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Bill Lamberton	33
09/13 Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce State of Surrey Address with Mayor Dianne Watts	20
09/26 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Dinner with Mayor Judy Forster	35
10/18 Semiahmoo Volunteer Community Police Society - Red Serge Dinner & Auction	125
10/20 The Aboriginal Advisory Committee of Kwantlen University College "The Tireless Runner"	60
11/03 Surrey Board of Trade Leadership Prayer Breakfast with Debra Grey	24
11/23 Surrey Board of Trade Business Luncheon: How to get your Business Started in India (Consul General)	28

Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	749
Total Expenses	14,874
Remunerations/Indemnities	52,090
Total Remuneration & Expenses	\$ 66,964

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR HIGGINBOTHAM (10211)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

Conferences	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
BC Tourism Industry Conference Penticton, BC - February 15-17	\$ 549	\$ 240	\$ 294	\$ 624	\$ 82	\$ -	\$ 1,789
Federation des Municipalites Bromont, PQ - February 27 - March 3	-	370	503	1,100	76	-	2,049
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	-	160	367	-	134	-	661
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	160	281	-	153	-	819
FCM Conference Montreal, PQ - June 2-5	555	560	974	853	114	2	3,058
Regional Tourism Leaders Forum Sunshine Coast, BC - June 21&22	125	120	107	-	105	-	457
FCM Board Meeting Yellowknife, NWT - September 5-8	-	234	422	1,351	29	-	2,036
Union of BC Municipalities Victoria, BC - October 24-27	565	320	767	-	189	-	1,841
FCM Board of Directors Meeting Ottawa, ON - November 20-25		400	847	768	127	3	2,145
Total Conferences	\$ 1,470	\$ 2,324	\$ 4,268	\$ 4,072	\$ 927	\$ 5	\$ 14,855

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/26 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards	65
02/03 Climb for Community Living Campaign - Mt. Kilimanjaro Send Off Party	75
02/10 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Kevin Falcon	28
02/18 Surrey Community Living Foundation - 2nd Annual Aiming for the Stars	75
02/23 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Carole James	33
03/04 Peace Arch Community Services Gala	100
03/08 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Mayor Dianne Watts	36
03/11 Burns Bog Conservation Society - Celebrating Women & the Spirit of the Cranes	65
03/22 Surrey Delta Immigrant Services Cultural Diversity Awards for Business (2006)	65
03/27 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Hon. James Michael Flaherty - Finance Minister	28
03/30 White Rock/S. Surrey Chamber of Commerce Dinner with Mayor Dianne Watts	35
05/06 Peace Arch Hospital 2006 Foundation Gala	200
05/13 Semiahmoo House Society 2nd Annual "A Taste of BC Finest"	50
06/08 Women in Leadership -Defying Expectations - Luncheon with Toben Anderson	65
06/08 SOS Children's Village BC - Food & Wine Fest	60
06/28 Surrey Chamber of Commerce AGM & President's Networking BBQ (took MM ticket)	28
07/20 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Breakfast with Hon. Kevin Falcon, Minister of Trans.	15
09/13 Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce State of Address with Mayor Dianne Watts	20
09/15 Retirement Luncheon for Supt. Gates	30

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Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

09/26	White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Network Dinner with Mayor Judy Forster	35
09/28	City of Surrey Retirement Tea for Carol Atkinson	20
09/28	Golden Girls Group - Ladies Shaam Kids De Naam 2006 8th Annual Dinner and Dance	25
09/29	Canadian Cancer Society Cops for Cure	100
10/10	Surrey Board of Trade Transportation Business Dinner with Hon. Lawrence Cannon, Min. of Trans.	50
10/18	Semiahmoo Volunteer Community Police Society - Red Serge Dinner & Auction	125
10/20	The Aboriginal Advisory Committee of Kwantlen University College "The Tireless Runner"	60
10/27	Sanjha Vehra Women's Association Fundraiser for the Canadian Cancer Society	25
11/03	Surrey Board of Trade Leadership Prayer Breakfast with Debra Grey	25
11/04	Centre for Child Development Gala of Hope	175
11/09	Cloverdale District Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Stan Hagen	20
11/09	White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce AGM	20
11/26	PICS Alumni Association "Memories" Dinner and Dance	15
	Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	<u>1,768</u>
	Total Expenses	16,623
	Remunerations/Indemnities	<u>54,405</u>
	Total Remuneration & Expenses	<u>\$ 71,028</u>

APPENDIX G

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR HUNT (10222)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

Conferences

	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	\$ -	\$ 160	\$ 183	\$ -	\$ 131	\$ -	\$ 474
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	240	280	-	139	-	884
UBCM Convention Victoria, BC - October 24-27	584	480	-	-	299	-	1,363
FCM Board Meeting Ottawa, ON - November 21-25	-	400	638	577	139	-	1,754
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Conferences	\$ 809	\$ 1,280	\$ 1,101	\$ 577	\$ 708	\$ -	\$ 4,475

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

02/27 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Carole Taylor	36
04/20 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Malcolm Brodie (Translink)	14
10/10 Surrey Board of Trade Transportation Business Dinner with Hon. Lawrence Cannon, Min. of Trans.	47
11/09 Cloverdale District Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Stan Hagen	20
Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	117
Total Expenses	4,592
Remunerations/Indemnities	53,899
Total Remuneration & Expenses	\$ 58,491

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR MARTIN (10228)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

Confer	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
Seminar - Local Government Decision Making for Newly Elected Officials Richmond, BC - February 15-17	\$ 210	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 210
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	-	-	183	-	134	-	317
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	200	322	-	147	4	898
2006 Special Park Districts Forum San Francisco, CA - May 16-19	471	472	432	555	244	-	2,174
FCM Conference Montreal, PQ - June 2-5	555	400	1,154	1,068	651	14	3,842
UBCM Conference Victoria, BC - October 23-27	540	480	643	-	234	-	1,897
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Conferences	\$ 2,001	\$ 1,552	\$ 2,734	\$ 1,623	\$ 1,410	\$ 18	\$ 9,338

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/25 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Don Stuckert	28
01/26 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards	65
02/03 Climb for Community Living Campaign - Mr. Kilimanjaro Send Off Party	75
02/10 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Kevin Falcon	28
03/04 Peace Arch Community Services Gala	100
03/08 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Mayor Dianne Watts	36
05/13 Semiahmoo House Society "A Taste of BC Finest"	50
09/13 Cloverdale District Chamber of Commerce State of Surrey Address with Mayor Dianne Watts	20
09/29 Canadian Cancer Society Cops for Cure	100
10/13 White Rock/South Surrey Leadership Prayer Breakfast	25
10/14 Canadian Cancer Society Breast Health Breakfast	20
10/18 Semiahmoo Volunteer Community Police Society - Red Serge Dinner & Auction	125
10/27 Sanjha Vehra Women's Association Fundraiser for the Canadian Cancer Society	25
11/04 Centre for Child Development Gala of Hope	175
Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	873
Total Expenses	10,211
Remunerations/Indemnities	49,992
Total Remuneration & Expenses	\$ 60,203

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR STEELE (10223)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

<u>Conferences</u>	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	\$ -	\$ 160	\$ 183	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 343
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	200	277	-	-	-	702
FCM Conference Montreal, PQ - June 2-5	555	480	1,155	584	67	-	2,841
Crime Reduction Strategies Delegation UK - August 11 - 20	-	1,670	2,832	2,563	850	-	7,915
UBCM Conference Victoria, BC - October 23-27	578	480	709	-	109	-	1,876
RCMP Depot Tour Regina, SK - November 13-15	-	-	263	-	-	-	263
Total Conferences	\$ 1,358	\$ 2,990	\$ 5,419	\$ 3,147	\$ 1,026	\$ -	\$ 13,940

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/25 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Don Stuckert	28
01/26 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards	65
02/10 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Kevin Falcon	28
03/08 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Mayor Dianne Watts	36
03/30 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Dinner with Mayor Dianne Watts	35
04/21 Surrey Delta Immigrant Services Society 1st Annual Event	50
05/13 Semiahmoo House Society "A Taste of BC Finest"	50
05/31 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Peter Leitch	28
09/13 Cloverdale District Chamber of Commerce State of Surrey Address with Mayor Dianne Watts	20
09/14 Supt. Gates Retirement Lunch	30
09/26 White Rock /South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Dinner with Mayor Judy Forster	35
09/27 Surrey Board of Trade Luncheon with Gordon Grant	33
09/29 Canadian Cancer Society Cops for Cure	100
10/18 Semiahmoo Volunteer Community Police Society - Red Serge Dinner & Auction	125
10/27 Sanja Vehra Womens' Association Fundraiser for the Canadian Cancer Society	25
11/09 Cloverdale District Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Stan Hagen	20
Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	708
Total Expenses	14,648
Remunerations/Indemnities	53,609
Total Remuneration & Expenses	\$ 68,257

**CITY OF SURREY
REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES FOR COUNCILLOR VILLENEUVE (10217)
FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY TO DECEMBER, 2006**

Conferences

	Regist'n	Per Diem/ Expense	Hotel	Airfare	Other Travel Costs	Sundry	Total
Creating a Sustainable Legacy Harrison Hot Springs, BC March 24-25	\$ 175	\$ 160	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 335
Council Retreat Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 1&2	-	160	365	-	-	-	525
LMMA Annual General Meeting & Conference Harrison Hot Springs, BC - May 10-12	225	240	279	-	139	-	883
FCM Conference Montreal, PQ - June 2-5	555	480	1,161	953	139	30	3,318
International Crime Free Conference August 7-9	219	445	394	599	99	-	1,756
UBCM Conference Victoria, BC - October 24-27	479	560	862	-	261	-	2,162
Total Conferences	\$ 1,653	\$ 2,045	\$ 3,061	\$ 1,552	\$ 638	\$ 30	\$ 8,979

Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events

01/26 White Rock/South Surrey Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards	65
02/27 Surrey Chamber of Commerce Luncheon with Carole Taylor	36
03/11 Soroptomist International of White Rock Women of the Year Award Luncheon	35
03/22 Surrey Delta Immigrant Services Cultural Diversity Awards for Business (2006)	65
07/06 Indo-Canadian Business Association's 10th Scholarship Award Ceremony	35
09/12 Newton Advocacy Group Society Project Comeback and Partners Fundraiser Banquet	50
09/28 City of Surrey Retirement Tea for Carol Atkinson	20
Total Misc. Seminars/Meetings/Events	306
Total Expenses	9,285
Remunerations/Indemnities	54,261
Total Remuneration & Expenses	\$ 63,546