

MINUTES

Southeast Community Centre & Library Council Subcommittee

November 21, 2012 Meeting No. 10

Attendance

Members: Staff:

Deputy Mayor Jack Heath

Councillor Colin Campbell Brenda Librecz, Commissioner of Councillor Logan Kanapathi Community & Fire Services

Gary Adamkowski, Director Asset

<u>Regrets</u> Management

Regional Councillor Gord Landon Mary Creighton, Director Recreation

Jason Vasilaki, Project Manager Henry Tse, Senior Project Manager Ronji Borooah, City Architect

<u>Consultants</u> Linda Irvine, Manager, Parks and Open Space

Duff Balmer, Perkins + Will (prime/architect)

Development

Brad Fleisher, FRP Inc. (landscaping)

Alida Tari, Council/Committee Coordinator

The Southeast Community Centre & Library Design Subcommittee convened at 1:08 PM with Councillor Logan Kanapathi in the Chair.

DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

None disclosed.

1. MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 12, 2012 SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY CENTRE & LIBRARY DESIGN SUBCOMMITTEE

Moved by Regional Councillor Colin Campbell Seconded by Deputy Mayor Jack Heath

That the November 12, 2012 Southeast Community Centre & Library Design Subcommittee minutes be adopted.

CARRIED

2. PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING RESULTS

Duff Balmer, Perkins + Will delivered a PowerPoint presentation outlining the feedback received from the Public Information meeting. He indicated that there was a large turn out and with positive feedback.

There was considerable discussion regarding whether the Community Centre should include a "quiet room" that is not programmed and could be used for various activities (such as first aide room, prayer space, small meetings, etc). Staff advised that they need to do more research and will report back to Committee on this suggestion.

3. BUILDING SITE DESIGN DISCUSSION

Brad Fleisher, FRP Inc. delivered a PowerPoint presentation outlining the building site design.

The Committee discussed the following:

- How will the northeast corner of the property be landscaped
- Importance of functionality within the centre how does space get used
- Ensure proper connection from the outdoor space into the facility

4. PARK DESIGN PRINCIPLES

Linda Irvine, Manager, Parks and Open Space Development provided opening comments relative to the park development concepts.

Mr. Fleisher delivered a PowerPoint presentation outlining the park development concepts.

The Committee discussed the following:

- Consider including games like "life size chess" in the outdoor
- Ensure there are no back lots facing the park
- Consider including a Tai Chi area that is covered
- The importance of seamless connectivity between the outdoor space to the facility
- Investigate a combination of "approach 2 & 4"
- Whether on street parking would be permitted

ADJOURNMENT

The Southeast Community Centre & Library Design Subcommittee adjourned at 3:18 p.m.