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Meeting Notes

Community Liaison Meeting (Seniors Sites)

Held January 23, 2013 at Central Lions Seniors Centre, 11113 113 Street NW

Attended

Christine Brown (Blue Quill)

Neil Dunwald (Blue Quill)

Richard Hughes (Blue Quill)

Harold Hornig (Bulyea Heights)

Elmar Klapstein (Bulyea Heights)

Sandra Dickie (Wedgewood)

Bruce Hartfelder (Wedgewood)

Doris Sherwin (Wedgewood)

Jutta Cyrynowski (Wedgewood)

Howie Antoniuk (Wedgewood)

Regrets

Miller

Caernarvon

Overlanders

Sakaw

Kiniski Gardens N

Regrets

Topics of Discussion and Key Decisions

A. Seniors Initiative Liaison concept



- Attendees indicated their support for the proposed Community Liaison concept.
- Communities are requested to provide two volunteer liaisons to be a part of the Community Liaison group.
- Names are to be emailed to surplusschools@edmonton.ca by February 28, 2013 indicating their role as Liaison for the Seniors' Housing Initiative.
- The Community Liaisons will meet with the City to hear updates, share community concerns and ask questions about programs and progress.
- The next meeting is expected to be scheduled for late fall 2013.

B. Communications

- Attendees indicated support for methods of communication including website updates, newsletter mailing list, Community Liaison concept, as well as group or community face-to-face meetings, as necessary.
- Participants agreed to be added to the City's Seniors' Housing Initiative newsletter subscriber list being created.

C. Other items discussed

How were sites selected?

- Participants requested more detail on the RFEI results; specifically, the communities that were included initially and how the final eight sites selected were chosen to be seniors' housing sites.

Program timelines

- There was discussion regarding the role of the Province in setting timelines for seniors' sites development.
- The City agreed to update the group after its discussions with the Province on Jan 24, 2013.

Neighbourhood-specific items and tasks addressed

- A participant from Wedgewood indicated that a restrictive covenant was to be registered on site to ensure that site can only be used for senior housing. The City agreed to follow up with its law department and to advise community representatives thereafter. If necessary, a meeting with Wedgewood may be organized to discuss further.
- Wedgewood representatives had questions about drawings the City had provided at an earlier date. The City will resend the Site Development Master Plan, which show the location of the building site along Wedgewood Boulevard.

Contact Information

- With errors or omissions, please contact us at surplusschools@edmonton.ca.
- If there are any changes to league representatives' contact information, please email us to let us know.



Attachments

1. PowerPoint presentation (January 2, Seniors' Housing Initiative Community Liaison meeting)
2. Community Liaison Concept Overview
3. Seniors' Housing Initiative program overview
4. Builder Community Engagement Process diagram

Next Meeting

Fall, 2013 (tentative)