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6. City Centre Growth Planning

The Planning Team is continuing research, projections, planning and development of site and expansion strategies while engaging in ongoing discussions with Richmond. The Planning Team continues to track development applications by school catchment, including the anticipated timing and phasing of residential development projects.

Throughout September 2023, the Planning team has

Report to Facilities and Building Committee (Public)

DATE: October 4, 2023

FROM: Steve Ahluwalia, Director, Richmond Project Team

SUBJECT: Capital Projects (Richmond Project Team) Pr 4 Q q O O 612 792 re W* n BT /TTO 9 Tf 540.23

9. Childcare Facility James McKinney Elementary (\$1.98 Million)

x Expected completion in 2024, on budget.

10. Childcare Facility William Bridge Elementary (\$1.98 Million)

x Expected completion in 2024, on budget.

11. Childcare Facility Adult Education Centre (\$2.3 Million)

x Expected completion in 2024, on budget.

B. Major Local Capital Projects (capital projects greater than \$1 Million funded by Board of Education)

1. Rideau Park Resource Centre (\$1.1 Million)

x Construction complete Greater than C P/TT1 11 Tf 80.775 587.92 Td ()Tj 20T ET EMC Q /S

D. Minor Capital Projects (less than \$1 Million, but of significance)

- x The BC Hydro electrical service upgrade at Manoah Steves Elementary has been completed. The upgrade was necessary to support the installation of classroom ventilation systems and a new modular childcare facility (\$200,000)
- x Plumbing Upgrade Program completed 39 drinking water stations (sinks, fountains and bottle fillers) with elevated lead levels remediated and 15 handwashing sinks installed under the program

Metro Vancouver is hosting a series of consultation sessions on their draft Facility Design Guidelines. There will be opportunity for local governments to participate in a presentation and consultation session on June 19 and Tiffany will be attending from the City. Following review, CCDAC will have the opportunity to consider whether they would like to provide comment on the design guidelines. More information will be provided once received.

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physical activity and getting people out into their community. City staff will begin work on finding suitable locations to host a Play Street and co-design workshops with Youth in Richmond over the summer, in preparation for street activations in Fall 2023 and/or Spring 2024.

The Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives has released their annual report on child care fees and spaces. The report states that City of Richmond has licensed child care spaces for 56% of children not yet in Kindergarten, which is the highest of all areas surveyed in B.C.

School District Reports

i. School Board Liaison

School District is preparing their new Long Range Facilities Plan and reviewing their Strategic Plan. School District have advocated with MLAs, MPs and City Council who gave direction and advice in relation to funding new schools and facilities.

ii. Community Updates

i. Richmond Children First

Richmond Children First met May 30, Chris Duggan presented the HELP EDI data which has been previously shared with CCDAC Committee.

ii. Child Care Resource and Referral (CCRR) Update

The Richmond CCRR hosted a Child Care Month dinner combined with a professional development workshop on May 23, 2023 with guest speaker Dr. Mariana Brussoni. The event was a success and received positive feedback.

Next Meeting

September 6, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. ±virtual meeting via Zoom.

Adjournment

The Committee Chair adjourned the meeting at 8:30 p.m. **CARRIED**

Certified a true and correct copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Child Care Development Advisory Committee of the Council of the City of Richmond held on June 7, 2023.

via email
Chantelle Pereira
Chair

September 6, 2023
Date

via email
Tiffany Mallen
Recorder

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Date