



## MEMORANDUM

**Date:** February 14, 2007

**To:** Chair and Members  
Budget Committee

**From:** Councillor John Filion  
Ward 23, Willowdale

**Re:** Goulding Community Centre – Renovation  
Parks, Forestry and Recreation Project # 112 (pg A22)  
(Appendix 1-2007 Recommended Capital Budget;  
2008-2011 Plan & 2010-2016 Estimates)

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I am writing to request that the Budget Committee move the renovation of the Arena at the Goulding Community Centre forward to 2008, conditional upon the Goulding Hockey Association contributing \$375,000 towards the cost.

For the past 20 years the members of the Goulding Hockey Association have collected money through volunteer hours donated to operate a snack bar and held an annual dinner dance event. These members would like to leave the legacy of their involvement with the Hockey Association and are therefore willing to donate the money they have raised over many years if the project can be completed in the near future.

I believe the Association would be able to provide the funds by November 2007 to ensure that the work can be completed in 2008.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Filion".

John Filion, Councillor  
Ward 23, Willowdale