

**City Council****Notice of Motion**

MM47.5	ACTION			Ward: 17
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**Finishing the Project - Potential Expansion of Oriole Gymnasium - by Councillor Shelley Carroll, seconded by Councillor Paul Ainslie**

*\* Notice of this Motion has been given.*

*\* This Motion is subject to referral to the Executive Committee. A two-thirds vote is required to waive referral.*

**Recommendations**

Councillor Shelley Carroll, seconded by Councillor Paul Ainslie, recommends that:

1. City Council direct the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation to report back through the 2023 Budget process on the inclusion of an expansion of the Oriole Community Centre gymnasium, to be funded from local Section 37 and Section 42 funding, as part of the 10-Year Capital Plan.
2. City Council direct the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation and the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning to identify, in collaboration with the local Councillor, potential sources of funding from local community benefit funds for the expansion of the Oriole Community Centre gymnasium.

**Summary**

In 2005-2006, Parks, Forestry, and Recreation conducted a feasibility study for the expansion of Oriole Community Centre, including the onsite gymnasium. Due to lack of available funding, this aspect of the expansion was de-scoped from the expansion project that was completed in 2017. Due to the ongoing subway intensification along Sheppard Avenue East, there is a pressing need for an expanded community centre and, in particular, gymnasium space in the Don Valley Village community. Additionally, there is now available funding as a result of that intensification.

This Motion requests that the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation report through the 2023 Budget process on adding this much-needed project to the 10-Year Capital Plan, to be funded through community benefit funding.

**Background Information (City Council)**

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