

REPORT FOR ACTION

Community Liaison Meeting - November 27, 2024

Date: April 10, 2025
To: The Board of Governors of Exhibition Place
From: Don Boyle, Chief Executive Officer
Wards: Ward 10 - Spadina - Fort York

SUMMARY

This report summarizes the program items at the Community Liaison Consultation in person and virtual meeting held on November 27, 2024. Co-Hosting the meeting was Board Member Malcolm Bromley. Exhibition Place staff in attendance included Kelvin Seow, Chief People and Strategy Officer, Brandon Pickard-Manager, Marketing & Communications, Tony Porter, Director-Security and Transportation; Prashant Bhalja, Director-Capital Works, John Koperwas-Director of IT, Telecommunications, Records and Archives, Steve Nushis, Director-Accounting Services, Catherine de Nobriga, Tenant and Community Relations Coordinator; Fiona Crawford, Records & Archives Supervisor, Nigel Fernandes, IT Systems; and Debbie Sanderson, Executive Assistant to the CEO.

Twenty-two (22) community members attended the meeting; fourteen (14) in person and eight (8) virtually. The meeting lasted approximately two hours.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Chief Executive Officer recommends that:

1. The Board receive this report for information.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There are no financial implications concerning this report.

DECISION HISTORY

The Exhibition Place 2022-2026 Strategic Plan has a goal to Promote Site Animation 365-Days a Year. To support the Goal, we have established a broad messaging platform communicating Exhibition Place's key attributes and value proposition,

including ongoing updates of seasonal event activities, capital projects updates, transportation projects updates, and updates about community activation.

At its meeting on July 27, 2017, the Board approved the report entitled Committee Structure Review, dated April 26, 2017, along with a Supplementary Report dated July 11, 2017.

<http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2017/ep/bgrd/backgroundfile-105726.pdf>

COMMENTS

The Community Liaison meeting had the following items on the program:

1. Welcome and Introductions - Kelvin Seow
2. FIFA World Cup Planning to Date - Michael Brewer
3. Meeting and Event Update - Brandon Pickard
4. Transportation Projects Update - Tony Porter
5. Capital Projects Update - Prashant Bhalja
6. 2024 Strategic Plan Update - Kelvin Seow
7. 2024 Community Activation Update - Catherine de Nobriga / Fiona Crawford
8. Questions and Adjournment - Kelvin Seow

Appendix A of this report is the November 27, 2024 Community Liaison meeting notes. The meeting notes will also be posted on the Exhibition Place website.
<https://www.explace.on.ca/>.

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SIGNATURE

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ATTACHMENTS

Appendix A - Community Liaison Meeting Notes