STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON

PROTECTION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

QUESTION PERIOD

Minute No. 336
Councillor Smith stated that there were only two arenas under managed care and that the others had been let to deteriorate down to a crisis situation and questioned why.

Councillor Pagtakhan replied that it was just a matter of scarce resources and prioritizing and noted that they were moving forward and addressing the issue, and hopefully they would have a community partner to assist with respect to those particular arenas.

Councillor Smith questioned if the City didn't budget enough for managed care for these facilities.

Councillor Pagtakhan noted that like anything in the budget process, there were many priorities and on a go-forward basis, they were going to address this issue.

His Worship Mayor Katz asked if Councillor Pagtakhan was aware that both the PUFS (Public Use Facility Study) and RALF (Recreation, Leisure and Libraries Facilities Policy) reports were extremely critical of the way Council was managing the community centres as far as their maintenance and the fact that previous Councillors weren't doing their job; to which Councillor Pagtakhan replied that he was aware of it now.