Minute No. 576
Report - Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development – September 13, 2011

Item No. 5 Declaration of Surplus Land - Park Property - Corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street (St. James-Brooklands Ward)

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, as amended, and adopted the following:

1. That the vacant subject City-owned Park property located at the corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street, formerly known as the Airways Community Centre, as shown outlined on Misc. Plan No. 13441, be declared surplus to the needs of the City.

2. That up to a maximum of $200,000.00 from the net proceeds of the land sale be credited towards the development of the Silver Heights Community Centre rink project, with the balance of the net proceeds being deposited to the Land Dedication Operating Reserve account.

3. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Browaty,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development be adopted.

In amendment,

Moved by Councillor Browaty,
Seconded by Councillor Fielding,

WHEREAS on September 13, 2011 the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development amended the Winnipeg Public Service recommendation regarding the Declaration of Surplus Land – Park Property located at the corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street to include the following amendment:

And the following amendment

"2. That up to a maximum of $200,000.00 from the net proceeds of the land sale be credited towards the development of the Silver Heights Community Centre rink project, with the balance of the net proceeds being deposited to the Land Dedication Operating Reserve account.

AND WHEREAS on September 21, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development recommendation:

AND WHEREAS the amendment was inadvertently missed from the Council item.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Item 5 of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development Report dated September 13, 2011 be amended by adding the following recommendation 2.

"2. That up to a maximum of $200,000.00 from the net proceeds of the land sale be credited towards the development of the Silver Heights Community Centre rink project, with the balance of the net proceeds being deposited to the Land Dedication Operating Reserve account."

The amendment was put and declared carried.

The motion for the adoption of the item, as amended, was put and declared carried.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 21, 2011, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 13, 2011, the Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Public Service and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Title: **To Seek Council Approval to Declare the Park Property Located at the corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street, formerly known as the Airways Community Centre, Surplus to the needs of the City**

Critical Path: **Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development**
Executive Policy Committee
Council

AUTHORIZATION

Author	Department Head	CFO	CAO
B. Thorgrimson	B. Thorgrimson	N/A	Deepak Joshi Chief Operating Officer

RECOMMENDATIONS

- That the vacant subject City-owned Park property located at the corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street, formerly known as the Airways Community Centre, as shown outlined on the attached Misc. Plan No. 13441, be declared surplus to the needs of the City.
- That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

REASON FOR THE REPORT

- Council approval is required to declare subject City-owned property surplus to the needs of the City.

IMPLICATIONS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS

- The Planning, Property and Development Department intends on marketing the subject City-owned property to the general public.

- Approval of at least two thirds of the members of Council is required for all sales of property designated or acquired for park or cemetery purposes.

- There are no regulatory or human resources implications associated with this report.

- The City's standard terms and conditions of sale include provisions to protect the City's interests in the event that environmental contamination is discovered.

- There are no direct financial implications associated with this recommendation.

HISTORY

- It is unknown how the City acquired the subject City-owned property. The property was formerly used as the Airways Community Centre.

- The Parks, Waterway and Community Initiatives Division has advised as follows:

  > "Given that this site has been underutilized for many years and there are other sites in the area that could benefit from the reinvestment that the sale of this land may make possible, we are willing to support the sale".

- Subject to Council declaring the subject City-owned property surplus, the Department intends on marketing the subject property to the general public. The property will require rezoning from Park to R1-M Single Family, it will also require a subdivision to conform with the lots in the surrounding area.

- Any servicing or zoning requirements will be identified through the rezoning process. The rezoning process will also include a Public Hearing.

- The Ward Councillor was consulted and concurs with the intentions of the Department.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Financial Impact Statement Date: August 17, 2011

Project Name:

Approval to Declare the Park Property Located at the corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street, formerly known as the Airways Community Centre, Surplus to the needs of the City

COMMENTS:

The recommendations contained in this report include that the vacant subject City-owned Park property located at the corner of Silver Avenue and Collegiate Street, formerly known as the Airways Community Centre, as shown outlined on the attached Misc. Plan No. 13441, be declared surplus to the needs of the City.

There are no direct financial implications associated with this recommendation.

"Original Signed By"
Mike McGinn, CA
Manager of Finance

CONSULTATION

In preparing this report there was consultation with:

SUBMITTED BY

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Division: Real Estate
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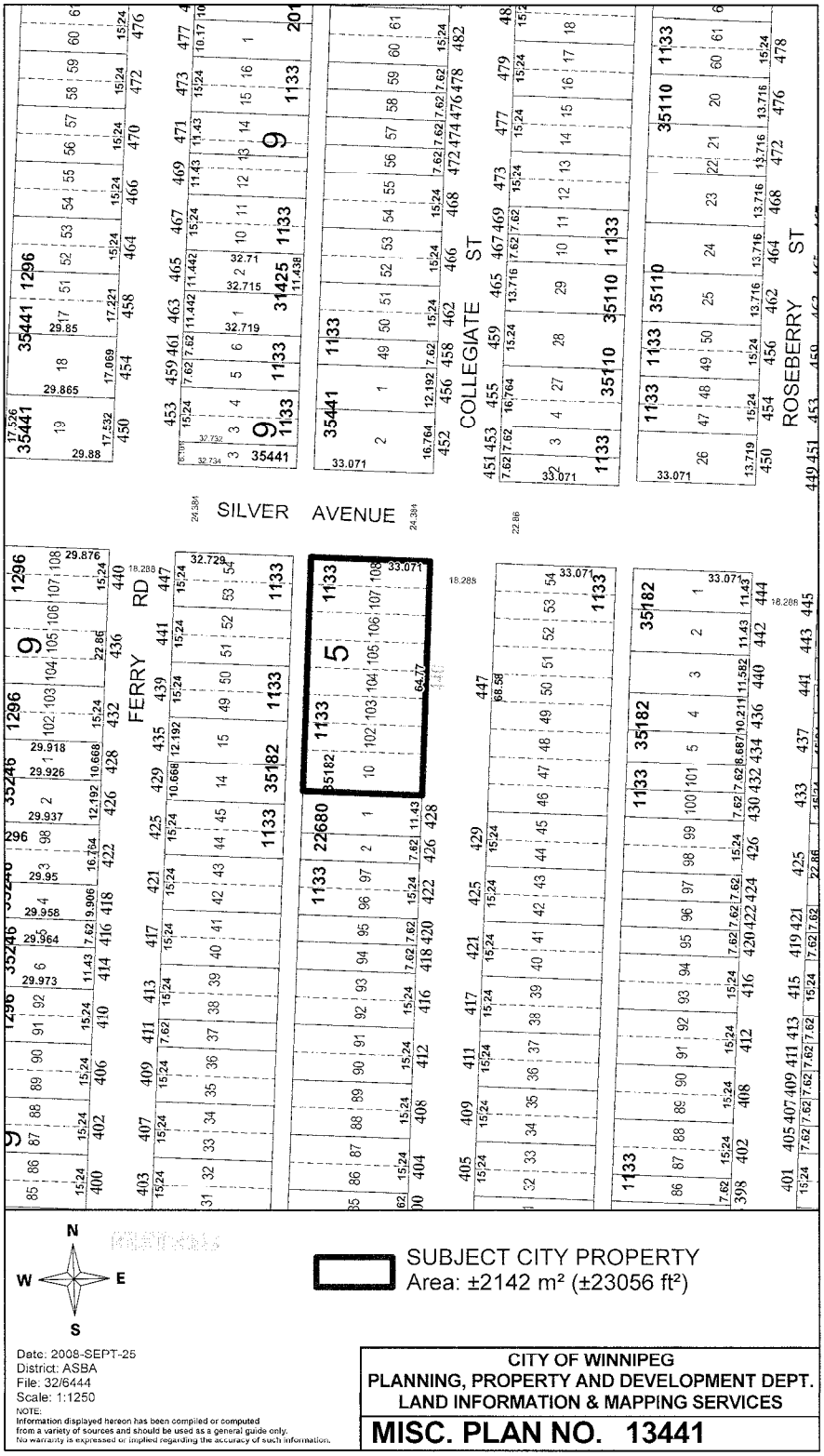
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District: ASBA
File: 32/6444
Scale: 1:1250
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