

Memo



Date: September 15, 2009
File: 8100-20
To: City Manager
From: Reid Oddleifson, Manager of Partnership Development and Research
Subject: **2015 Canada Winter Games (CWG) – Phase 1 Technical Review Proposal**

Recommendation:

THAT Council authorize the 2015 CWG Kelowna Bid Committee to submit the Phase 1 Technical Review Proposal to the Canada Games Council (CGC).

Background:

City Council authorized staff to submit the Intent to Bid for the 2015 Canada Winter Games (CWG) and has appointed an 11 member Bid Committee. Council has also requested a report prior to submitting the actual Phase 1 Technical Review Proposal, to confirm that partnerships, agreements and community support are sufficiently developed and further that proposed venues will meet the technical accreditation requirements.

The Bid Committee has been compiling the Technical Review Proposal, and is pleased to report that agreement in principle have been achieved for all venues, and that venues as listed below do comply with technical requirements as specified by the CGC;

SPORT	VENUES
Alpine Ski	Big White Ski Resort
Archery	Capital News Centre
Badminton	SD #23 - Kelowna Secondary School
Biathlon	Telemark Ski Club
Cross Country Ski	Telemark Ski Club
Curling	Kelowna Curling Club
Figure Skating	Capital News Centre
Freestyle Ski	Big Whit Ski Resort
Gymnastics (Artistic)	UBC Okanagan Gymnasium
Gymnastics (Trampoline)	Capital News Centre
Hockey (Male/Female)	Prospera Place, Rutland Arena, Winfield Arena, and Royal LePage Centre
Judo	SD #23 - Dr. Knox Middle School
Ringette	Capital News Centre, Memorial Arena
Snowboarding	Big White Ski Resort
Speed Skating (long track)	Big White Ski Resort
Speed Skating (short track)	Wesbild Centre
Squash	Global Fitness Centre
Synchronized Swimming	H ₂ O Adventure + Fitness Centre
Table Tennis	SD #23 - Kelowna Secondary School
Target Shooting	Capital News Centre

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SPORT	VENUES
Wheelchair Basketball	SD #23 - Rutland Secondary School
ACCOMMODATIONS	Kelowna Hotel and Motel Association
	Accent Inns, Best Western Inn, Coast Capri Hotel Dilworth Inn, Fairfield by Marriott, Kelowna Inn Holiday Inn Express, Ramada Hotel, Recreation Inn Sandman Hotel, Travellers Choice Motor Inn
NON-SPORTS	
Athletes' Village Headquarters	Parkinson Recreation Centre
Media and Broadcast Centre	Delta Grand Hotel
Opening & Closing Ceremonies	Prospera Place
Arts and Cultural facilities	Rotary Centre, for the Arts, Kelowna Museum, Kelowna Art Gallery, Kelowna Community Theatre
Airport	Kelowna International Airport

If Kelowna is successful in making the "short list" following the Phase 1 Technical Review, the work of the Kelowna Bid Committee will continue until October 2010, at which time the CGC will award the 2015 CWG. If Kelowna does not make the "short List", the work of the Kelowna Bid Committee will conclude in December, 2009.

Council will note that the actual Phase 1 Technical Review Proposal, and all related documents shall remain private and confidential due to the competitive nature of the bid process.

INTERNAL CIRCULATION TO:

General Manager of Community Services, Director of Recreation and Cultural Services, Director of Strategic Initiatives, Director of Community and Media Relations.

EXTERNAL AGENCY/PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Preliminary discussions and feedback from the partners, stakeholders and facility operators which have been part of the process, have been very positive and considerable community support is evident. Authorization has been provided to included the about noted facilities in the Phase 1 Technical Review Proposal.

FINANCIAL AND BUDGETARY CONSIDERATIONS:

Council has previously acknowledged a capital plan for \$11M and the Bid Committee is pleased to report that the development and other capital improvements are consistent with that plan. The funding sources are;

- Government of Canada \$3M
- Government of BC \$3M
- City of Kelowna \$4M
- Other contributions \$1M

Considerations that were not applicable to this report:

Legal/Statutory Authority:

Legal/Statutory Procedural Requirements:

Existing Policy:

Communication Considerations:

Personnel Implications:

Technical Requirements:

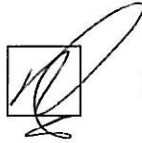
Alternate Recommendations:

Submitted by:



JWR Oddleifson, Partnership Development and Research Manager

Approved for Inclusion:



David Graham, Director - Strategic Initiatives

Cc: Director of Strategic Initiatives
Director of Recreation and Cultural Services