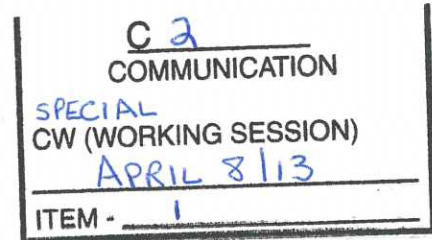


April 4, 2013

His Worship Mayor Maurizio Bevilacqua
and Members of Council
City of Vaughan
2141 Major MacKenzie Drive
Vaughan, Ontario L6A 1T1



Dear Mayor and Members of Council:

Re: Site Relocation of Civic Centre Resource Library

At the March 5, 2013 City of Vaughan Committee of the Whole Working Session, a report concerning the Civic Centre Master Plan and a presentation from Kuwabara Payne McKenna Blumberg Architects with proposed revisions to the site plan was received.

An animated discussion was convened at the March 21, 2013 meeting of the Vaughan Public Library Board regarding the recommendation contained in this report to relocate the Civic Centre Resource Library.

The Vaughan Public Library Board welcomes the opportunity to relocate the resource library on the Major MacKenzie corridor. Concerns exist regarding the capacity of the proposed site. The Board asks that Council ensure the site is of sufficient size to house a 36,000 square foot library with public areas located on a single level. The Board also asks Council to move as quickly as possible to reach a decision on the proposed location of the resource library to minimize further construction delays.

The following motion is from the Library Board meeting of March 21, 2013:

MOTION: **THAT the Board support relocation of the Civic Centre Resource Library to the north-west portion of the Civic Centre campus fronting onto Major McKenzie Drive,**

AND THAT the Board request the north-west site be of sufficient size to facilitate construction of a 36,000 square foot Resource Library with public areas located on a single story.

AND THAT Council reach a decision on the location of the Resource Library no later than April 23, 2013.

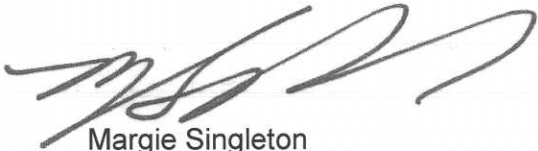
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SECONDED BY: **G. Locilento**
MOTION CARRIED.

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Please accept this letter as input from the Vaughan Public Library Board regarding the proposal to relocate the Civic Centre Resource Library.

If I can be of any further assistance, please contact me at extension #4101 or by email at margie.singleton@vaughan.ca at your convenience.

Sincerely,



Margie Singleton
Chief Executive Officer
Vaughan Public Libraries

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cc: Clayton Harris, City Manager, City of Vaughan
Jeffrey Abrams, City Clerk, City of Vaughan

Subject: FW: Letter to Mayor and Council
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From: Yovdoshuk, Pat
Sent: Thursday, April 4, 2013 3:59 PM
To: Abrams, Jeffrey
Cc: Singleton, Margie
Subject: Letter to Mayor and Council

Hi Jeff.

Attached is a letter from Margie Singleton to the Mayor and Members of Council (copies to yourself and Clayton Harris) in relation to the site relocation of the resource library on the Civic Centre site, and it includes a recommendation from the Vaughan Public Library Board. The letter needs to be included on the agenda for the Special Committee of the Whole Working Session taking place on Monday, April 8, 2013.

The letter has not been sent directly to the Mayor and Council. If we should be forwarding it directly, can you please let me know and we will do so.

Many thanks.

Pat Yovdoshuk

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