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Subject:

Stadium Shopping Centre project recommended approach and next steps

Importance:

High

Based on discussions with Stan, Judy and Niki, the following approach is recommended for the Stadium Shopping Centre project:

Deliver the Stadium Shopping Centre project to align with developer and community expectations while improving upon clarity and transparency of existing processes and roles within customer focused timelines.

The approach will need to be:

- Hybrid (existing planning approach merged with a strategic project approach)
- Agile and continuous improvement focused (adaptive)
- Collaborative (internal and external)

## Proposed next steps:

### 1) Complete the visioning sessions -

- a. Share SWOT findings internally
- b. Prioritize internal SWOT items
- c. Develop key project objectives internally
- d. Conduct similar sessions with external stakeholders and prioritize
- e. Assess alignment opportunities among all stakeholders
- f. Communicate the vision and objectives with all stakeholders
- g. Establish a stakeholder engagement plan

## 2) Determine the value chain and functional areas within the chain

### 3) Identify critical tasks and touch points

- a. Within functional areas of the chain at The City's (Planning, Transportation, Parks, etc)
- b. For the Developer
- c. For the Community

#### 4) Identify barriers and issues to critical tasks

a. Undertake a collaborate approach to resolve the barriers; escalate as required

### 5) Develop a project plan and timeline

- a. Identify review points
- b. Identify feedback mechanisms
- c. Develop a joint stakeholder group to convene when problem solving/adjustments are required
- d. Identify variance limits i.e. if an item extends 1 week past deadline does it require intervention?
- 6) Develop robust Communication and Stakeholder Engagement Plans
- 7) Work and manage the plans

#### **Critical Success Factors:**

- Internal buy in to the approach and the project vision and objectives
- Stakeholder engagement (internal and external)
- Management support (reinforce the approach, share the vision and model change competency)
- Director level sponsorship and communication

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Project lead external to the primary business area

#### Risks:

- Stakeholder expectations
- Internal change readiness
- Resourcing?

### **Related Projects:**

- DP Prime
- Corporate Growth Management Team . The Framework for Growth and Change?
- Others?

#### Actions from Vision session #1 due end of this week:

- Collate the information
- Develop initial key messages
- Confirm approach with management (Stan, Niki and Judy)

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