

Appendix A – Stakeholder list

Organization
Group 1: Accessibility
ADAPT Manitoba (Association for Developmental Autism Programs &Therapies)
Alliance for Equality of Blind Canadians
Canadian Hard of Hearing Association (CHHA) – Manitoba Chapter
Canadian Mental Health Association
Canadian National Institute for the Blind
Cerebral Palsy Association of Manitoba
Deaf Centre Manitoba
Manitoba Cultural Society of the Deaf (MCSD)
Manitoba Deaf Association
Manitoba Deaf Sports Association (MDSA)
Manitoba League of Persons with Disabilities
Manitoba Possible
Manitoba Society of Seniors
Manitoba Wheelchair Sport Association
Red River Community College - Sign Language Program
Rehabilitation Centre for Children
Resource Centre for Manitobans who are Deaf-Blind (RCMDB)
Spinal Cord Injury Manitoba
Vision Impaired Resource Network
Vision Loss Rehabilitation (CNIB)
Group 2: Social & Health Equity
Elmwood Community Resource Centre
Chalmers Community Renewal Corporation
Ma Mawi Wi Chi Itata Centre- Larsen Site
River East-Transcona Immigrant Services
Manitoba Advocate for Children and Youth
Transcona Springfield Employment Network
Winnipeg Regional Health Authority
Group 3: Community Centre
General Council of Winnipeg Community Centres
Oxford Heights Community Club
South Transcona Community Centre
Park City Community Centre
Transcona East End Community Centre
East Elmwood Community Centre
Morse Place Community Centre
Gateway Community Centre
Melrose Park Community Centre
Chalmers Communtiy Centre
East Elmwood community centre
Bronx Park Community Centre
Group 4: Sport & Recreation
Active Transportation Advisory Committee
Pickleball Manitoba
Volleyball Manitoba
Basketball Manitoba
Sport Manitoba
Recreation Manitoba
Bike Winnipeg
Manitoba Aboriginal Sport & Recreation Council
Manitoba Association of Senior Centres
Manitoba Badminton
Manitoba Fitness Council
Manitoba Diving Association
Swim Manitoba
Manitoba Artistic Swimming
Manitoba Water Polo Association
Group 5: Schools & Museums
River East-Transcona School Division
DSFM
Transcona Museum
Ecole Regent Park
John W. Gunn Middle School
Radisson School
Saint Joseph the Worker School
Pierre Elliott Trudeau School
Murdoch Mackay Collegiate
Transcona Collegiate
Westview School

Appendix A – Sharekits

East of the Red RecPlex

Project background & discussion guide

June 2024

Project background

The proposed East of the Red RecPlex (ERRP) will be a multi-use recreation and aquatic centre that will provide a wide variety programs, activities and amenities. The facility will include Winnipeg's first public indoor leisure pool, providing fun and accessible water experiences for all ages and abilities. It will also provide a variety of other indoor recreation spaces including multi-purpose program rooms, kitchen, gymnasium, walking/running track and possibly a daycare.

ERRP will be a contemporary, multi-generational facility, designed to accommodate 'learn-to', developmental and community-based activities and programs that support physical literacy, active living and community wellness. The proposed recreation centre will be located on the north-west corner of Transcona Boulevard and Plessis Road, attached to the Transcona Library.



Project background

The concept of East of the Red RecPlex was initiated through a feasibility study in 2018, that was funded through a motion by East Kildonan-Transcona Community Committee. The feasibility study and cost estimates were updated over the course of 2021 to 2023 and included input from the public through surveys and a virtual open house.

The City is starting the next stage of the East of the Red RecPlex design that includes a preliminary design and Class 3 cost estimate (accuracy of -20% to +30%).

The City is currently reaching out to stakeholder groups from the following areas of interest to assist in further revisions to the design:

- Recreation and leisure
- Accessibility
- Social and health equity

The updated design will be shared with the public later this year.



Previous engagement

In fall 2021, the City of Winnipeg updated the 2018 feasibility study to revise the design and cost estimates and gather feedback from the community on the design, need and potential amenities for the new recreation facility.

The following engagement activities and responses helped shape and confirm the preliminary scope for East of the Red RecPlex:

Date	Activity & details
October/November 2021:	Project webpage (2,600+ unique visits)
November 8, 2021:	Virtual open house (61 attendees)
October/November 2021:	Online survey (1,462 respondents)

Participants were asked about their overall impression of the proposed ERRP:

96% of respondents viewed the proposed facility as excellent or good

4% of respondents thought the proposed facility was poor or very poor.

Survey respondents were also asked to rate the top amenities of the proposed facility. The top four are identified below:

 **Fitness space** (692 respondents)

 **Wave pool** (539 respondents)

 **Gymnasium** (495 respondents)

 **Indoor track** (650 respondents)

Other significant comments from the public included:

- The need for adequate parking as well as good public transit and bike access.
- Programs and spaces that offer activities for seniors are important.
- Indoor sports are popular and indoor courts and fields should be provided.
- Indoor children's play areas and childcare spaces should be considered.
- Café or canteen spaces should be included.

Aquatic amenities & activities

The planned aquatic amenities for the ERRP could include:



Leisure pool



Aquasize



Lap pool (lane swimming, lessons)



Aquatic sports (synchro, water polo)



Diving boards (1m, 3m)



Hot pool & sauna



Lazy river



Pool climber / water walk



Waterplay structure

Recreation & community amenities

The planned recreation and community amenities for the ERRP could include:



Gymnasium (basketball, badminton, volleyball)



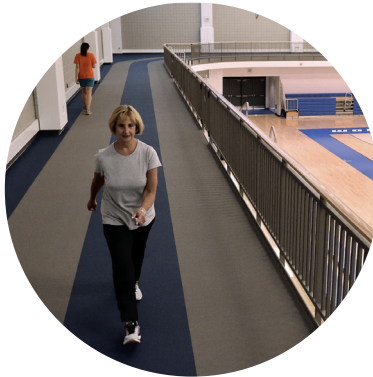
Multi-purpose room (yoga, fitness class, martial arts)



Kitchen (community events, classes)



Fitness - weights



Walking / running track



Lobby / gathering space



Small food service



Day care



Fitness - cardio

Accessibility & environmental features

The planned accessibility and environmental features for the ERRP could include:



Hearing loops



Power door operators



Accessible drop-off



Ev chargers



Bike racks, cages,
e-bike charging



Parking lot trees,
landscaping, walkways



Rain garden



Pool access ramp



Universal and gender
neutral change rooms

Schedule



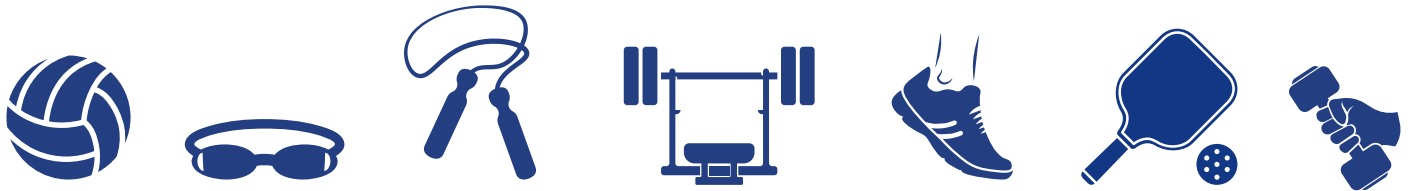
**Subject to Council review and funding*

We need your input

The City of Winnipeg would like your organization's input on the East of the Red RecPlex to help inform the next phase of design and planning of this important community project.

After reviewing the previous information, please reflect on the following questions:

- What are your impressions of the proposed ERRP amenities and activities (leisure pool, track, fitness, gym, multi-purpose room, etc.)?
- Is there anything missing or aspects we haven't thought of?
- What types of programs or activities would you like to see offered at this facility?
- Would your organization be interested in accessing or renting space in the new facility? For what types of programs or activities?
- Are there any special requirements that would enable that? (flooring, ceiling height, storage, access requirements?)
- What accessibility considerations and features does ERRP need to reduce barriers for participants?



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