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**Peterborough**

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**To:** Members of Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee

**From:** Sue Warrington, Arena Division Manager

**Meeting Date:** February 25, 2014

**Subject:** Report APRAC14-013  
Arena Needs Assessment Project Update

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## **Purpose**

A report to provide a verbal update on the Arena Needs Assessment Study and discussion on the next stages of the project.

## **Recommendation**

That the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee (APRAC) approve the recommendation outlined in Report APRAC14-013, dated February 25, 2014, of the Arena Division Manager, as follows:

That the verbal update presentation by the Manager of Facilities and Special Projects, concerning the Arena Needs Assessment Project, be received for information.

## **Budget and Financial Implications**

There is no budget or financial implications resulting from the approval of the recommendation of Report APRAC14-013.

## Background

Further to the presentation of the Arena Needs Assessment Study Draft Final Report to City Council on January 27, 2014, Council approved the recommendation for the Arena Needs Assessment Study to be adopted as a planning tool to inform and guide the feasibility study stage. Included in the recommendations was the requirement that the Study be circulated to all neighbouring arena operators for review and that the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee be directed to hold a forum with the regional operators to better understand the potential impact of the Needs Assessment.

The meeting with the neighbouring arena operators will be held on February 24, 2014 and Mary Gallop, Manager of Facilities and Special Projects, will provide a verbal update on this meeting and the proposed next steps to be included in the feasibility stage. A report will be going to City Council to receive approval regarding the details to be included in the next feasibility stage.

Submitted by,

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