Trout Creek Recreation Center Space Reallocation Task Force Report--March 27, 2017 and Motion for GPC Approval.

Task Force membership: John Stubbs, Courtney Murrell, Michael Bledsoe, Mercedes Ferguson, Kyle Winther, Forrest Huisman, Miguel Sloane Guest participants: Michael Sullivan, GPC Chair; Benjamin Levine, TD Association Member

REPORT: On Thursday, March 23, John Stubbs, Courtney Murrell, Kyle Winther, Forrest Huisman, and Michael Sullivan met to review the Feasibility Study for the TCRC Space Reallocation project submitted by Architect Todd Mather on March 22, 2017. His report is attached as a PDF file, consisting of 12 pages of narrative, 22 pages of photographs, 17 pages of floor plans, a Mechanical & Electrical Feasibility study from Sugarpine Engineering, and a Structural Engineering study from Linchpin Structural Engineering. The meeting was called on short notice in order to discuss presentations to the March 25 Board meeting and the April 3 GPC meeting.

The following is a summary of the Study and recommendations for GPC consideration from the group meeting on March 23. The Study identifies the area of the existing fitness/weight rooms and Kids'Club as the East Wing remodel and the area from the current waiting room/ couch area adjacent to the sauna/steam rooms to the entry reception desk as the West Wing remodel.

1. The Executive Summary, pages 1-2, describes two design solutions, Option A and Option B. Option A is the solution previously put forward by the Task Force (which was reviewed in Fall 2016 in a walk through by the GPC and the Board's President and Treasurer). This Option A removes several walls in the East Wing, moves the Kids' Club into the West Wing, reconfigures the main reception and entry area, and encloses the exterior area (as diagrammed in photo 04) to create a 351 sf spin-bike classroom and a 223 sf laundry cart storage area. This plan increases usable space in the East Wing by 1100 sf, converts the Kids' Club into a dedicated stretching area and free weight space of approximately 900 sf. retains the 31 sf existing mechanical room in the center of the open space between the existing exercise rooms, and creates an enclosed 485 sf Kids' Club/multipurpose room in the West Wing (see pages 7-8 of the floor plans included in the Study). An additional space increase in Option A still under consideration is the removal of the double doors and west exterior wall of the Kids' Club with construction of new exterior wall (see the crosshatched area indicated on page 6 of the floor plans and photos 18-19.) Option B is the same as Option A, except that a newly constructed one story external addition of 682 sf is added to the current Kids' Club room (See photo 22). This room would be divided by an interior wall into a spinbike classroom and a dedicated stretching area. The proposed spin-bike classroom of Option A would be eliminated, allowing that space to be an open area not requiring the number of construction conversions that would be required to enclose (see photo 21).

- 2. Both Options A and B are judged to be feasible. Option A is estimated at \$1,307,400 and Option B is estimated at \$1,345,800. The above estimates do not include an additional overhead and profit cost of 10%-15%. In a previous Task Force discussion the Task Force recommended Option A. In the March 23 meeting, the group reaffirmed the Option A recommendation with the additional cost of \$20,000 to suspend the 31sf mechanical room equipment. This would remove a sight and access barrier in the central exercise space and allow for better distribution of exercise equipment. However, if a study of the cost of suspending the mechanical room equipment and installing required new ducting comes in significantly above \$20,000, this will be reconsidered. Option A provides the needed space expansion for the exercise rooms, reduces traffic flow through the free weight/stretching area room, does not require external space expansion, keeps the spin-bike classroom location in the West Wing, and allows enclosure of the laundry cart storage closet. Note the construction item budget for each option includes \$280,000 for ADA upgrades to the entire building as per a CASP report. These upgrades are triggered by the space reallocation project costs being above the threshold (\$156,000) requiring the entire building to be in compliance with current California building code.
- 3. According to the Mather Study, the Town of Truckee will also require that TDA provide plans and a schedule for Snow Play and Driving Range future capital improvements as well as any changes or additions to asphalt for required parking upgrades in order to have a building permit issued for the space reallocation project. Apparently, if TDA present these plans indicating an unspecified "reasonable" time, TDA may be allowed to receive the permit for the space reallocation project and obtain a separate building permit in the future for the additional upgrades.
- 4. Further analysis of the cost/benefit of the proposed space increase by removal of the double doors and exterior wall of the Kids' Club in Option A (see floor plan # 6 and photos 12 and 18) needs to be carried out by the Task Force.
- 5. The cost estimates provided by Mather assume that the work would be phased, with the West Wing being done separately from the East Wing. Option A is estimated to required 6 months for the West Wing with the closing of that area (and the aquatic area) to the users, with the East Wing remaining open. The East Wing close down is estimated at 9 months with the West Wing and aquatic areas open. It is also possible to have the whole project done in one 12 month period requiring the whole amenity to be closed to use. This total close down is estimated to save between \$21,000-\$53,000 in the construction item budget and \$39,000-\$52,000 in the general condition budget. The recommendation from the March 23

group meeting is for the phased approach. Shutting down the entire amenity for 1 year would be a considerable inconvenience for the TDA membership and a significant hardship for the TCRC staff.

- 6. During the time of the West Wing shutdown, it would be efficient to complete a number of RRF scheduled projects (long overdue) for the pools and spas.
- 7. Both Options A and B include removal of a shear wall and shear support replacement as indicated in photo 10. The Task Force does not think this will be necessary and that only that portion of the wall shown in photo 10 from the east hall to the rear of the treadmills location need be removed. This should generate a cost savings for the project.
- 8. MOTIONS FOR GPC CONSIDERATION: The Task Force submits the motion to the GPC that the GPC approve this report and submits the recommendations herein to the Board of Directors. The Task Force further moves that the GPC recommend to the Board committing funds to obtain the architectural plans necessary to allow contractor construction bids for a phased Option A as a priority Development Fund Capital Project, hopefully in time to initiate the West Wing phase in Fall, 2017.