

SHAWNEE EVERGREEN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION'S RESPONSE

A representative of the Recreation Business Unit met with the Shawnee Evergreen Community Association (SECA) Board of Directors on 2014 March 11. The investigation and conclusions of this report were presented to them. SECA's responses to the presentation were:

E-mail Response 2014 March 13:

Two days following the presentation a written response was sent to Recreation from the SECA President stating the following: *"Given our inability to influence the inclusion of an active recreational facility within the Shawnee Park development, we appreciate the City's efforts to explore the possibility on adjacent City-owned lands. While the outcome of your analysis also suggests a recreational facility is not the "best fit" on the TOD lands, we do appreciate the efforts made as part of your assessment and SECA will continue to debate the merits of a social /cultural center as part of our forward planning process."*

E-mail Response 2014 March 18

One week later SECA was given the opportunity to review the second last paragraph of the Conclusion section of this report (see above). Their response to that review was: *"I believe your short paragraph accurately summarizes your presentation and our current position with regards to a community center. You will recall this entire issue arose out of the community's desire to (1) set aside a considerable portion of the golf course lands for active recreational space (2) a contingency position to defer rezoning of a smaller parcel of the golf course lands for a recreational use which, through a proposed partnership with the Calgary Minor Soccer Association, evolved into a field house with soccer fields and other indoor recreational facilities. While recreational facilities on the TOD property may be inconsistent with City planning, neither of SECA's recreational land initiatives are satisfied by a community center regardless of location."*

SECA has indicated that they will be submitting a formal letter to address concerns raised above.