

OLYMPIC BID DIALOGUE STAGE UPDATE Council 2017 November 13





Objective

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CITY CLERK'S DEPARTMENT

1. Update to Council



What we knew in 2017 August

- CBEC met their mandate
- Bid commitment timeframe was post February 2018
- Bid book submission timeframe was estimated as Q3 2019
- Council endorsed 5 principles and provided direction

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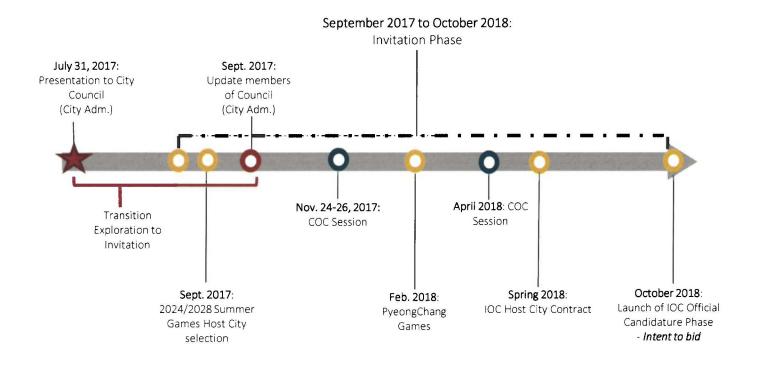


Principles for Pursuing the 2026 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games

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- We believe that is reasonable that the security costs for hosting the 2026 OPWG be borne by the federal government, in addition to their contribution to the capital costs for the 2026 OPWG, given the international nature of the event.
- 3. We believe that Canadian taxpayers should not contribute to the direct operating costs of hosting the 2026 OPWG (other than security costs). We believe that it is reasonable for the operational cost of the 2026 OPWG should be covered by ticket sales, sponsorship, broadcast rights, IOC contributions and other earned revenues.
- 4. The City has limited debt capacity and it would be challenging for The City to incur additional debt with respect to the 2026 OPWG including the facilities that are already being contemplated by The City. Thus there must be a financial structure that accommodates the cash flow and debt level constraints of The City.
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Transition to Invitation Phase (2017 July 31)



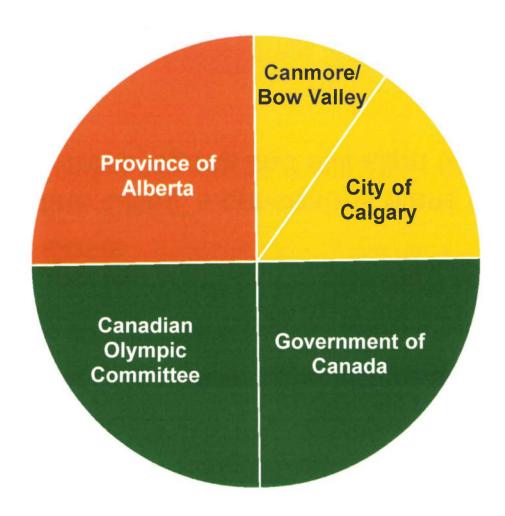


What we know today

- 1. Stakeholder interest
- 2. Financial picture
- 3. Preliminary rationale for hosting
- 4. Competitive landscape
- 5. New Dialogue and Candidature stage from IOC



Stakeholder Interest





Financial Picture

- 1. Operating Costs
 - a) Further refinement and conversations with IOC
- 2. Capital Costs
 - a) Refine CBEC's conceptual plans to maximize legacy and still align to City plans



Rationale for Hosting

1. Economic Opportunity: Purposeful Diversification, Job Creation and

Building Reputation

2. Community Development: Building Community Together

3. Cultural Enrichment: Celebrating Our Heritage and Embracing

Diversity

4. Social Development: Community Pride and Social Advancement

5. Sport Development: Enhancing Our Legacy and Sport Leadership



Additional Rationale for Hosting

- 1. Maximizing physical infrastructure legacy for Calgary to remain Canada's winter sport training hub
- 2. Creating sustainable sport hosting opportunities
- 3. Building civic pride (participation, community cohesiveness and volunteerism)
- 4. Reputational enhancements and tourism benefits
- 5. Addressing affordable housing gap
- Social and cultural benefits (indigenous participation, arts and cultural programming and more)

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Competitive Landscape

- 1. Innsbruck, Austria is not proceeding
- 2. Norway, Japan and USA joined dialogue
- 3. Sion, Switzerland and Stockholm, Sweden expressed interest
- 4. Paris 2024 and LA 2028 were awarded together
- 5. 2018 March 31 deadline for interested cities to enter into the dialogue stage



Summary Risk/Benefits

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Stakeholders remain interested

Financial picture is evolving

Risk/
Benefits

Competitive landscape is



Five Principles

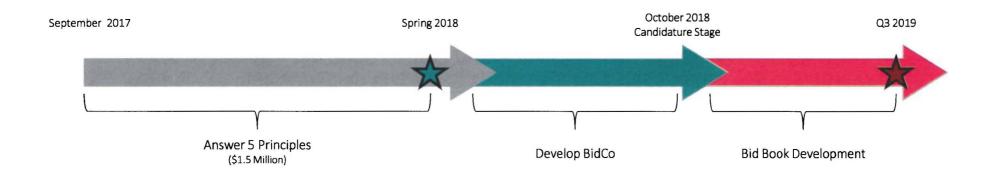
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Assumptions from July 31, 2017



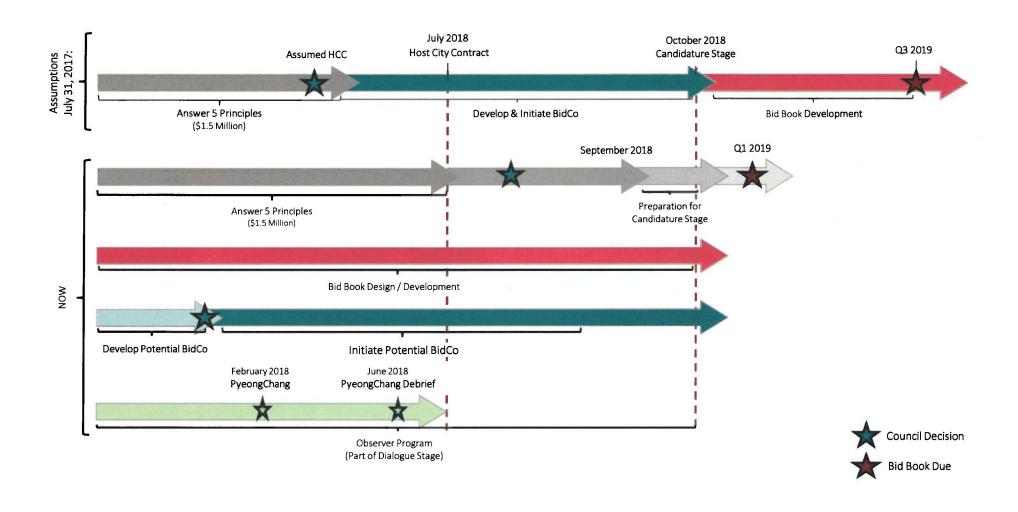


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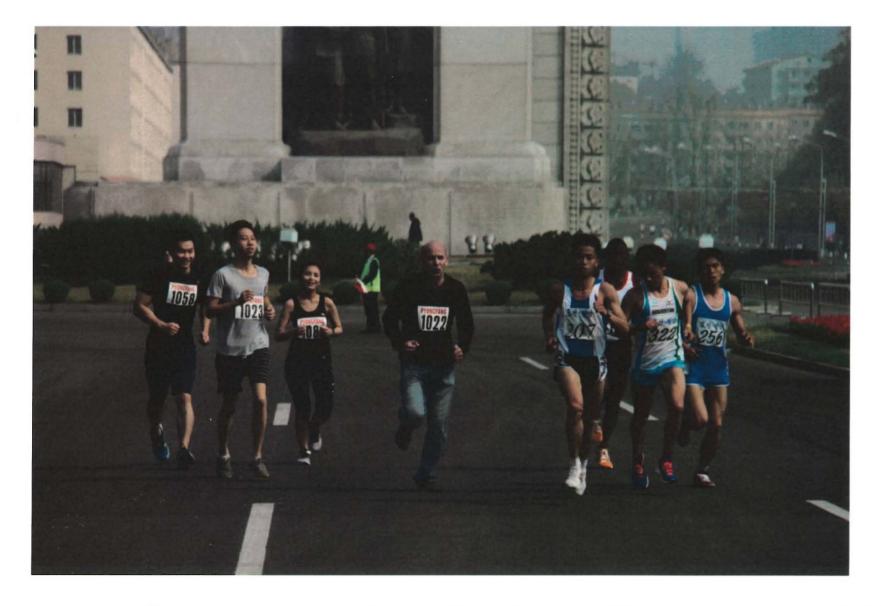


Calgary Race Day is October 2018





Low Investment (status quo)





Recommendation

That Council:

- 1. Receive this report for information.
- 2. Direct Administration to report back to Council 2017 November 20, with a formal funding request to deliver on the additional work required for the Dialogue Stage.

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Thank you!