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Corporate Report

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COUNCIL DATE: October 18,

2004

REGULAR COUNCIL

Mayor &

Council

DATE: October 12,

2004

FROM: General Manager,

Engineering

FILE: 0930-30/118

SUBJECT: Lease of Office Premises in the North Surrey

Recreation Centre at 10275 - 135 Street

RECOMMENDATION

That Council approve a new 5 year lease of two office premises having 520 ft.² (48.3 m²) and 1,142 ft.² (118.5 m²) in area within the North Surrey Recreation Centre.

BACKGROUND

Steven Mah (1994) Physiotherapist Corporation currently leases from the City two office premises of 520 ft.² and 1,036 ft.², both located on the main floor of the recreation centre. The tenant commenced occupation of the 520 ft.² premises in October 1992 for use as an orthopaedic and physiotherapy clinic, and expanded his business operations into an additional space of 1,036 ft.² in November 1999. The existing lease of these two office spaces expires in November 2004.

DISCUSSION

The City is currently upgrading the North Surrey Recreation Centre. As a result of these works, the tenant is required to relocate from his existing 1,036 ft.² main level premises to a new, self-contained, 1,142 ft.² second floor space. The tenant will also continue to lease the 520 ft.² main level premises. As the lease of the existing premises will expire in November 2004, the City has negotiated terms for a 5 year lease of the proposed new 1,142 ft.² premises and the existing 520 ft.² premises commencing November 1, 2004.

CONCLUSION

Steven Mah (1994) Physiotherapist Corporation has been leasing space at North Surrey Recreation Centre since October 1992 for the operation of a physiotherapy clinic. The existing lease of two main floor office premises is due to expire in November 2004 and City staff and the tenant have negotiated a new lease. It is recommended that Council approve a 5 year lease of 520 ft.² (first floor) and 1,142 ft.² (second floor) office premises at the North Surrey Recreation Centre to Steven Mah (1994) Physiotherapist Corporation. The lease will provide termination provisions for either party with six months' written notice.

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Appendices:

- I. Site Map
- II. Aerial Photograph of Site