COUNCIL POLICY





Policy Title: Greater Prince's Island Park Master Plan Policy Number: CSPS027 Report Number: CPS99-12, CPS2007-28 Approved by: Council Effective Date: 1999 and amended 2007 June 25 Business Unit: Calgary Parks

BACKGROUND

The people of Calgary envision the Greater Prince's Island Park area as an area where they can gather to play, quietly connect with nature, attend special events, mingle with diverse cultural communities and experience the excitement and activity characteristic of a vibrant city and its own downtown.

On 1999 March 08, Council approved CPS99-12, establishing:

- A Terms of Reference for the Prince's Island Park Management Advisory Committee (PIPMAC); and
- The criteria and guidelines for festivals and special events at Prince's Island Park and Festival Market.

The criteria and guidelines for allowable maximum frequency of events at festival market within the Greater Prince's Island Master Plan currently states that the "Staging areas of runs on a rotational basis – Festival Market to be used only every fourth weekend (area to be used for run route weekly)".

Festival Market was used every weekend from 2006 September 24 to 2006 October 16 (i.e. being used every weekend for four weekends in a row). Upon discussion, PIPMAC determined that the number of runs allowed in the Master Plan for Festival Market (Eau Claire Plaza) is outdated, because such runs are important to supporting charities, foundations and the overall growth of the city. Therefore, PIPMAC recommended that the number of runs should be increased to two per month

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Master Plan and policies is to provide criteria and guidelines for allowing maximum frequency of events at Festival Market (Eau Claire) within the Greater Prince's Island Park Master Plan due to the fact that they are important to supporting charities, foundations and the overall growth of the city.

POLICY

See Greater Prince's Island Park Master Plan

PROCEDURE

See Greater Prince's Island Park Master Plan

AMENDMENTS

2007 June 25 Revision to the Terms of Reference for Prince's Island Park Management Advisory Committee (PIPMAC) CPS2007-28.

2007 June 25 Revision to the criteria and guidelines for allowable maximum frequency of events at Festival Market within Greater Prince's Island Park Master Plan CPS2007-28.

Effective 2016 February 01 Parks became Calgary Parks.