

CENTENNIAL PARK LONG TERM POLICY
Council Policy No. 67/00

POLICY:

** Italics = implemented or completed*

That this plan be deemed the current Long Term Plan for Centennial Park.

The initial Centennial Park Long Term Plan was adopted by City Council on February 12, 1996 and included a series of policy statements as follows:

(a) Segment One

Overall Design/Theme and Architectural Standards for Centennial Park: All Existing and Future Facilities

THAT, the following be included in the overall design/theme criteria for Centennial Park:

- *Improved signage (major park identification signs and improved signs for all facilities).*
- Attractive entrances.
- Proper sidewalks/walking paths.
- Improved parking.
- *Standard architectural theme for major facilities.*
- *Improved handicap accessibility.*
- *Well-designed landscaped/treed areas.*

(b) Segment Two

Centennial Park Master Plan

Facilities and Uses to be Incorporated into the Master Plan and Capital Budgets for Centennial Park

(1) THAT, the following major facilities remain in place in Centennial Park:

- *Museum (remain as part of Centennial Park)*
- *North Peace Arena*
- *Kid's Arena*
- *Curling Rink*
- *Tennis Courts*
- *Swimming Pool*
- *Oil Derrick (upgrade as a special events facility)*
- *Speed Skating Oval (Sportex Building for a foreseeable future. Under review could be moved to another location)*
- *North Peace Gymnastics Facility*
- *Visitor Information Centre*

CENTENNIAL PARK LONG TERM POLICY
Council Policy No. 67/00

- (b) Segment Two (continued)
Centennial Park Master Plan
Facilities and Uses to be Incorporated into the Master Plan and Capital Budgets for Centennial Park
- (2) THAT, the following facilities be incorporated into Centennial Park, with their locations to be determined as part of the planning process:
- *Horseshoe Pit Facilities – possible relocation to other park*
 - Children’s Playground Facilities
 - Picnic Table Facilities
 - Garden Area Facility
 - Commemorative Sites Facility
 - Outdoor Rink Facility
 - *Volleyball Facilities (regular or beach)*
 - Water Play Park – under study/may be relocated to other park
 - Outdoor Basketball
 - *Skateboarding Facilities*
- (3) THAT, the following uses should be encouraged in Centennial Park:
- *Special Events*
 - *Farmer’s Market*
 - *Arts & Crafts Exhibit and Sales*
 - *Outdoor Food Services*
- (4) THAT, the following facilities not be incorporated into Centennial Park:
- Lawn Bowling
 - Running Track
- (5) THAT, the interior roads in Centennial Park be kept to a minimum.
- (c) Segment Three
North Peace Recreation Centre – Arena
- (1) THAT, the North Peace Recreation Centre be upgraded for multi-use by the community for events such as:
- Conferences
 - Graduation Ceremonies
 - Trade Fairs
 - Commercial Rentals
 - Major Entertainment

CENTENNIAL PARK LONG TERM POLICY
Council Policy No. 67/00

- (c) Segment Three (continued)
North Peace Recreation Centre – Arena

AND FURTHER THAT, the following improvements be undertaken to prepare the facility for multi-use:

- Acoustics
- Stage
- Floor Covering
- Improved Wheelchair Access
- Chairs/Equipment

- (d) Segment Four
North Peace Recreation Centre – Existing Pool

THAT, the City enter into a preliminary feasibility study on the issues of:

- The old pool being renovated to serve as a multi-purpose facility/gym/serving kitchen/community hall
- *The design of the arena lobby be synchronized in design with the new pool décor*
- *Redesigning the entrances to the old pool and arena with the target completion date for the preliminary study to be April 15th, 1996.*

THAT, the “climbing wall” concept not be explored further at this time.

- (e) Segment Five

High Landscape Area:

- That existing trees/shrubbery shall be protected.
- The existing road to the Leisure Pool be maintained.