

Hames Athletic and Wellness Center

Task Force Meeting

October 30, 2008

Centennial Hall

Noon – 1:15 pm

Present: Sherry Tuttle, John Stein, Paul Columb, Gretchen Clarke, Megan Pasternak, Curt Ledford, Lynne McGowan, Lisa Busch, Keith Perkins, Eric Speck

ITEM		ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
<p>Assembly/City</p>	<p>City Employees' Union wants discount for city employees—city will have to purchase group membership. There are NO freebies.</p> <p>1 month left of operation (Nov 30, 2008). Need lease ASAP.</p> <p>Receiving pushback from the city union re: Hames. Fear that if city adds Hames, jobs will be lost. Need to stress that Hames will have it's own revenue stream and will not cost city jobs.</p> <p>Resolution for Legislature needs to be a priority. Lynne drafted a resolution in the new format. Stedman is in favor and ready to move forward. Need to be on next assembly agenda, Nov 18.</p> <p>Administrator has pulled Lynne back from working on Hames because of his perception of "lack of assembly support."</p> <p>Recommended that we cultivate a sponsor relationship with some organization such as GCI per Wasilla Rec (ATT pays ~\$200K/yr to have their name on the building)</p>	<p>John, Curt, Gretchen will meet with Admin. Re: status</p> <p>Keith will "test the waters."</p>
<p>Equipment</p>	<p>New equipment is in and set-up!</p> <p>Gym divider curtain is next priority.</p>	<p>Curt will get prices on curtains.</p>

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<p>Facility</p>	<p>OPEN HOUSE: Saturday Nov 8 12 – 2 pm</p> <p>Injury Prevention Team will do iron-on reflectives</p> <p>More Matters (Fruit & Veg) demo table</p> <p>Have punch card give-away</p> <p>Paul/Eric/Carolyn will do machine demo and how to</p> <p>Paul will give series of how to/demo talks on new equipment. Dates/times to be announced.</p> <p>Conflict of Interest/Space between Kenwa Kai Karate and Youth Basketball. Youth basketball will have to pay for Hames usage.</p> <p>Problems remain over swimming pool. Pool is often closed due to poor scheduling/lack of lifeguards. Major issue as it is turning people away.</p> <p>Questions/rumors about integrity of building being spread: 1 structural assessment already done—building is sound City will commission 2nd assessment Preston O’Connell found the original as built drawings</p> <p>Schmolk (John Bartlett) made a couple key heating repairs/replacements. Fuel consumption now done to <100 gallons/day from 150/day. Expect to see cost savings between \$3,000 -\$4,000/month</p>	<p>Paul will set dates/times</p> <p>Curt will work with Jane regarding this issue.</p> <p>Curt will ask about CG lifeguards</p>
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Hames Task Force meeting</p> <p>November 11, 2008</p> <p>Noon – 1:00pm</p> <p>Rouseau Room, Centennial Hall</p>	

Next Assembly Meeting is November 18, 2008