

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, January 26, 2022 Westbrook Community Centre and teleconference

MINUTES

PRESENT:

Jane Kang, Chair Ran Keren, Co-Vice-Chair Susan Eadie, Co-Vice-Chair Alice Bradley Maria Gallo David Hahn (arrived at 4:50 p.m.)
Eileen Le Gallais (departed at 5:39 p.m.)
Sofia Ngieng
Michelle Niu (arrived at 4:57 p.m.)
Nidhi Raina

REGRETS:

Lee Weinstein

GUESTS:

Madeleine Zammar, Campus and Community Planning (departed at 5:24 p.m.)

STAFF:

Glenda Ollero, Communications Manager

RECORDING SECRETARY:

Debbie Reimer, Mosaic Writing Group

A. CALL TO ORDER

Jane Kang, Chair, called the University Neighbourhoods Association (UNA) Community Engagement Advisory Committee (CEAC) meeting to order at 4:37 p.m.

B. NEW MEMBERS

1. New Appointed Members

The Chair introduced and welcomed the new members to the UNA CEAC:

- Maria Gallo, UNA Board of Directors appointee
- Sofia Ngieng, Alma Mater Society (AMS) appointee.

C. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Draft agenda of the January 26, 2022 UNA CEAC meeting was provided with the agenda material.

It was moved (Jane Kang) and seconded (Nidhi Raina)

THAT the University Neighbourhoods Association Community Engagement Advisory Committee approves the January 26, 2022 agenda, as circulated.

Carried

D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Draft minutes of the November 24, 2021 UNA CEAC meeting was provided with the agenda material.

It was moved (Jane Kang) and seconded (Ran Keren)

THAT the University Neighbourhoods Association Community Engagement Advisory Committee approves the November 24, 2021 minutes as circulated with the following amendments:

- Correct titles of Susan Eadie and Ran Keren to Co-Vice-Chairs
- Indicate that Susan Eadie and Nidhi Raina were accessing audio only.

Carried

Member Arrived

David Hahn joined the meeting at 4:50 p.m.

E. EXTERNAL GUESTS/PRESENTATIONS

1. Madeleine Zammar, Manager, Engagement; Community Development and Engagement; Campus and Community Planning

i. Introduction

Ms. Zammar, led the review of the presentation titled "UBC Campus Vision 2050 Roadshow" dated January 2022 and highlighted:

- Campus Vision 2050 is a 30-year comprehensive land use planning and public engagement process:
 - o Campus Vision 2050 will take two-and-a-half-years to complete
- The 2010 plan required changes related to mobility, affordability, and connectivity.

Member Arrived

Michelle Niu joined the meeting at 4:57 p.m.

- Campus Vision 2050 will include:
 - Overall spatial layout and sustainability
 - Areas of growth and no growth
 - o Development and density ranges for academic and neighbourhood areas
 - o Proportions of services, amenities, and open space
 - Coordination with broader regional planning
 - Quick start projects
- The engagement approach of the Campus Vision 2050 is centered on equity, diversity, and inclusivity for under-represented communities
- An online engagement platform is available for use by panels, pop-up events, and surveys
- Campus Vision 2050 engagement with diverse communities involved in the UBC community
- Purpose of engagement:
 - To seek insights into experiences of the campus
 - Feedback on a set of themes that emerged from the pre-planning process
- Mandarin translators will be available for some events.

ii. Discussion

There was no discussion.

Guest Departed

Madeleine Zammar departed the meeting at 5:24 p.m.

F. ITEMS/REPORTS

1. Approved Amendments to the CEAC Terms of Reference

The following documents were provided with the agenda material:

- Community Engagement Terms of Reference Report
- Terms of Reference Extract and Approved Amendments.

i. Introduction

The Chair referenced the documents provided with the agenda material and highlighted:

- Language barriers impact engagement in the community
- Initiatives should be designed to specifically address the new residents
- The types of initiatives that could be considered by the CEAC for new residents include:
 - Seminars and workshops
 - Use of languages, other than English, in UNA communications, including the weekly email newsletter and The Campus Resident
 - Social events
 - Annual bus tours
- CEAC members will provide additional ideas to increase new residents' community engagement.

Member Departed

Eileen Le Gallais departed the meeting at 5:39 p.m.

ii. Discussion

Discussion ensued on:

- Suggestion to conduct interactive townhalls
- Policies are difficult to change without supporting data and documentation.

2. CEAC 2022 Meeting Schedule

Document titled "CEAC 2022 Meeting Schedule" was provided with the agenda material.

i. Introduction

The Chair referenced the document provided with the agenda material.

ii. Discussion

Discussion ensued on:

- The Chair and Co-Vice-Chairs will determine the length of the meeting
- Suggestion to create a platform for members who attend other workshops to report back to the UNA CEAC
- Suggestion to change the meeting time to 4:00 p.m. from 4:30 p.m.

iii. Motion

It was moved (Jane Kang) and seconded (Ran Keren)

THAT the University Neighbourhoods Association Community Engagement Advisory Committee approves the CEAC 2022 meeting schedule with the amended start time of 4:00 p.m.

Carried

3. Community Survey: Request for Additional Quotes

The following documents were provided with the agenda material:

- Argyle PR UNA CEAC Engagement Survey Estimate
- Delaney UNA CEAC Engagement Survey Estimate.

i. Introduction

Ms. Ollero, CEAC Staff Liaison, referenced the documents provided with the agenda material and noted:

- Estimates have been provided from two additional survey companies that incorporate additional languages
- Further conversations could be scheduled with the submitting companies.

ii. Discussion

Discussion ensued on:

- TWI Surveys provided an estimate of \$10,000 with no additional language options
- A request for additional funds could be presented to the Board for a multilanguage survey:
 - o Requests to be submitted to the Board by February 15, 2022
 - The current CEAC budget year terminates on March 31, 2022
- Concern for the necessity of multiple languages and costs involved
- Workshops offered by the UNA could provide data on demographics of participants:
 - o Previous surveys conducted would have differing goals than the CEAC
- The need for to be clear about the goal of the survey to avoid survey fatigue.

iii. Motion

It was moved (Jane Kang) and seconded (David Hahn)

THAT the University Neighbourhoods Association Community Engagement Advisory Committee (CEAC) engages TWI Surveys Inc. in an English language survey with potential further engagement initiatives for other languages.

Carried

(Opposed: Ran Keren)

G. ADJOURNMENT

The next UNA CEAC meeting to be held on February 23, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.

It was moved (Jane King) and seconded (Maria Gallo)

That the University Neighbourhoods Association Community Engagement Advisory Committee meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Carried