MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 3
COUNCIL MEETING 95/01/23

TO

CITY MANAGER

DATE: 1995 JANUARY 19

FROM

DIRECTOR RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES

RE

BURNABY SCHOOL BOARD - LEASE OF PARKLAND AT HCPHERSON PARK

PURPOSE:

To request Council's approval for a 5-year lease agreement with the Burnaby School Board to lease the parcel of parkland shown on $\underline{\text{Attachment B}}$ of this report for the sum of \$1.00 per annum.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a 5-year Lease Agreement be made with the Burnaby School Board to lease the parcel of parkland shown on Attachment B of this report for the sum of \$1.00 per annum on the clear understanding that within that time period the Board implement a program to accommodate the increased enrollment at Burnaby South in other facilities.

REPORT

At its meeting of 1995 January 18, the Parks and Recreation Commission received the <u>attached</u> staff report on the above subject and adopted the recommendation contained therein.

HUGH MONROE

ACTING DIRECTOR RECREATION &

CULTURAL SERVICES

tc Attachment A/3224

cc: City Solicitor

Director Planning and Building

SUBJECT: BURNABY SCHOOL BOARD - LEASE OF PARKLAND AT MCPHERSON PARK

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council enter into a 5 year Lease Agreement with the Burnaby School Board to lease the parcel of parkland shown on Attachment B of this report for the sum of \$1.00 per annum on the clear understanding that within that time period the Board implement a program to accommodate the increased enrolment at Burnaby South in other facilities.

REPORT

The attached letter from the Burnaby School Board ($\underbrace{\text{Attachment }\#1}_{\text{on parkland on the west side of Burnaby South School.}}$

The request is for 8 classrooms to remain on site for a maximum of 5 years. This time frame will allow the School Board to implement plans to accommodate increased enrollment in other facilities.

The attached plans illustrate the request:

a) Plan showing the school and the park site (Attachment A).

b) Property ownership plan (Attachment B).

- c) Conceptual Park Development Plan (Attachment C).
- d) Site plan from the School Board showing the modular units (Attachment D).

This parkland on the west side has not yet been developed, as 5 private properties are still to be acquired. It is intended as neighbourhood park space as illustrated on Attachment C. Once acquisitions are completed, park development would be a high priority as the park will meet the neighbourhood needs of the 4,225 prersons living within a 1/2 mile radius. The only other neighbourhood park within this radius is the 1/4 acre Alta Vista site located on Royal Oak Avenue, south of Rumble.

McPherson Park, on the east side of the school, functions at a District Level with its prime attraction being the outdoor pool. With the construction of Burnaby South, the park also provides a visual complement of open space which is also used by the school as an outdoor sports area.

The total area for the future neighbourhood park on the west side is 4.12 acres. With the presence of the High School, the challenge in designing the site is to ensure that, in addition to being available for the students, the park meets the needs of other age groups in the area. Since 4.12 acres is not a large site to work with, especially in this location, it is important that the land to be leased to the School is returned to the Parks system.

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Staff recommend that assistance be given to the School Board on the following basis:

1. A 5 year Lease Agreement for \$1.00 per annum be drawn between the City and the Burnaby School Board for the parcel of land requested. (Five years is the maximum period allowed by the Municipal Act, without consent of the electorate.)

PAL:ps:hh <u>Attachments</u> (5) COMMISSION/0244

cc: City Solicitor
Director Planning and Building



DIRECTOR'S REPORT NO. 01

COMMISSION MEETING 95/01/18

ATTACHMENT #1

November 22, 1994

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Planning and Building
City of Burnaby
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Dear Jack,

Reference is made to our meeting on November 21 regarding the need to place a temporary modular classroom arrangement on city land adjacent to Burnaby South Secondary School.

The student enrolment at Burnaby South has increased from a building capacity of 1,800 to 2,200 students which has necessitated the need for additional classroom space to accommodate the increased enrolment. Plans are being developed to address the enrolment pressure throughout the District, including such projects as a new secondary school in northeast Burnaby, expanding the size of Moscrop Secondary and opening the old Marian School site.

It is anticipated that we will need the modular structure at Burnaby South for up to five years while we implement a course of action which will allow the School District to accommodate increased student enrolment in other facilities.

The School District requests approval of the City in order that we may proceed with locating this modular classroom arrangement on Parks and Recreation property adjacent to the student common area on the west side of the school.

Please let me know if you require any further information or clarification with respect to the location of these units.

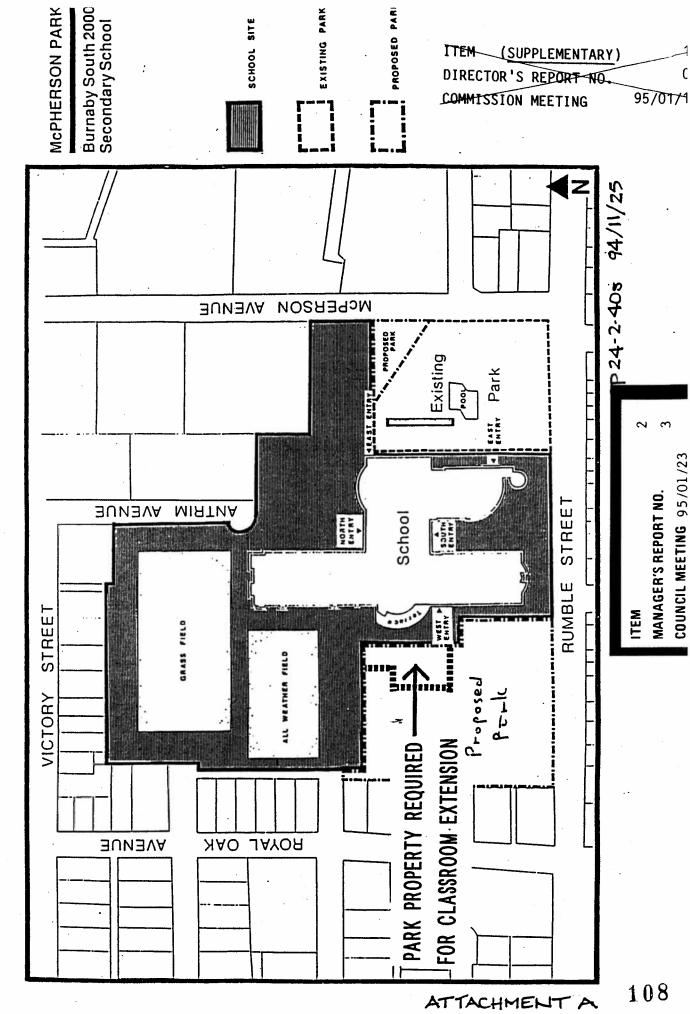
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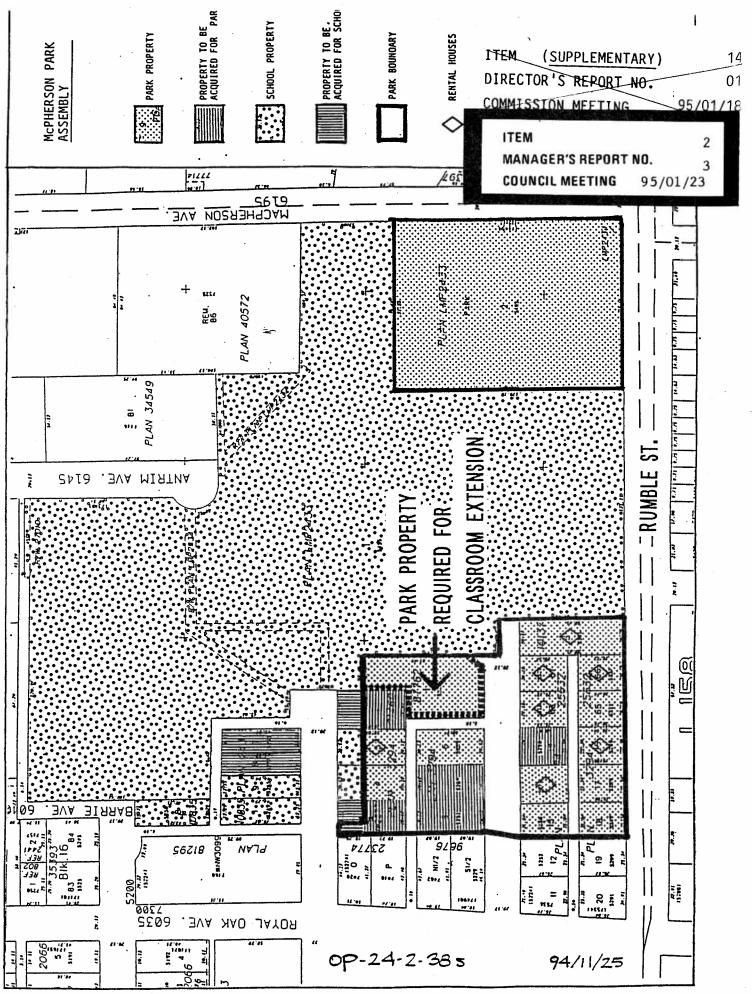
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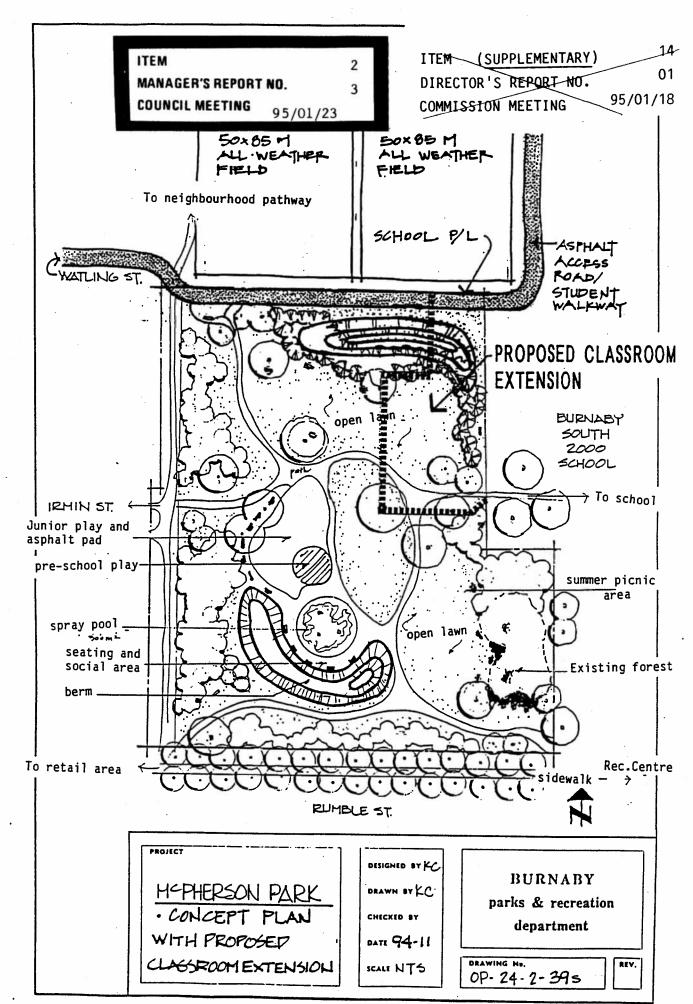
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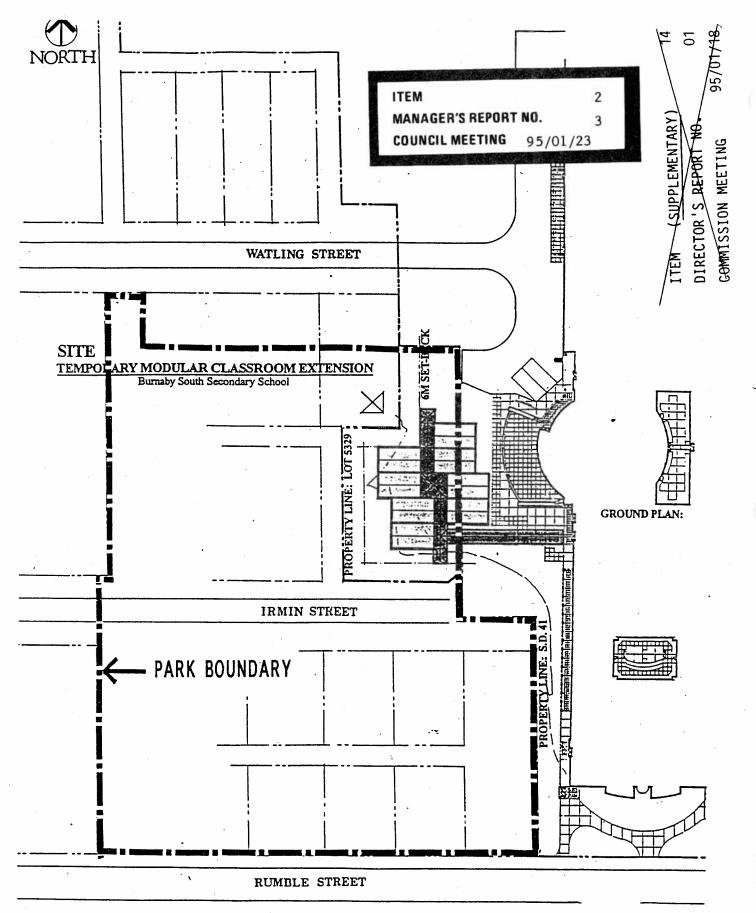






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