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MANAGER'S REPORT #	21
COUNCIL MEETING	96/08/12

TO: CITY MANAGER

DATE: 1996 08 07

FROM: DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

FILE: 50-06-07

SUBJECT: ADDITIONAL LIGHTING BETWEEN
DEER LAKE PARKWAY AND GREENTREE VILLAGE

PURPOSE: To advise Council of a plan which will address the concerns of the area residents.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

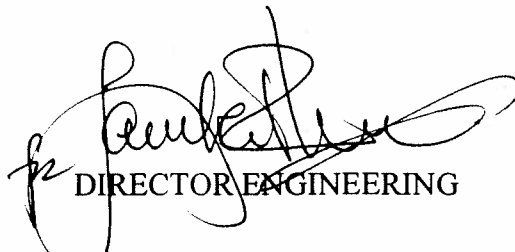
1. THAT an additional City light be installed in the fire access/pedestrian walkway between Deer Lake Parkway and Greentree Village; and
2. THAT a copy of this report be sent to Mr. Carey Robson, 4782 Fernglen Drive, Burnaby, B.C., V5G 3V7.

REPORT

At the regular Council meeting held on 1996 July 22, Council received a presentation from Mr. Carey Robson asking that the City install lighting in an area south of the Fernglen Place cul-de-sac. It is the opinion of area residents that lighting in the area adjacent to the emergency fire access/pedestrian walkway is inadequate due to the berms, fences and fire gates constructed under the Deer Lake Parkway project.

Staff have re-examined the area in question and concur that the illumination level in the area adjacent to the fire access is marginal due to the height of the berms and gates, and the tree canopy above. In view of the fact that the walkway is one of the key links between Deer Lake Parkway and Greentree Village, staff would support additional lighting improvement.

Based on preliminary field inspection, the additional light can be installed behind the fire gates within the road right-of-way and the installation can be undertaken under the City street light installation and maintenance contract. In conclusion, the existing lighting in the subject area is marginal and in view of the need to address public safety concerns, it is our recommendation that an additional City light be installed and the delegation be advised accordingly.


DIRECTOR ENGINEERING