ATTACHMENT A

Port Theatre Community Performing Arts Centre (Chronology)

DATE	EVENT
2016-APR-18	Council reconfirmed City's 2014-Sep-08 commitment to partner with the Port Theatre Society on the Community Performing Arts Centre Project and allocate up to \$4.6 million on the condition that the Port Theatre Society:
	 Agree that is has an ongoing obligation to raise the remaining funds; and With the support of the City, will actively explore and pursue all funding opportunities from Federal and Provincial funds in order to maximize funding from senior levels of government beginning with, but not limited to, applications to:
	 Build Canada Fund; Dept. of Canadian Heritage & Cultural Spaces; and Canada 150
2015 / 2016	Construction design work proceeds on the project.
2015-JAN-02	Council support given to apply for funding support under the Federal Government's New Building Canada Fund but application ultimately not successful.
2014-SEP-08	City Council receives summary of Port Theatre Society Community Consultation Process and approves the following:
	 Partnering with the Port Theatre Society on the project; Proceeding with building a City owned facility on the existing Port Theatre Land with a project manager assigned by the City; Allocating \$4.6 million financial contribution to the project dependent and conditional on the Society securing the remaining funds; and Co-signing a \$2 million dollar line of credit in order to proceed with design and engineering completion.
2014-JAN-13	Letter submitted to Council by Port Theatre Society requesting Council support for Community Performing Arts Centre proposal community consultation process. Council directed staff to provide support to the Port Theatre Society's community consultation process providing information to the public with respect to the proposed Community Performing Arts Centre, as well as seek input and gauge community support for the addition's proposed design and function. Consultation process carried out in May and June, 2014 through three public engagement sessions and an online survey.