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## Corporate Report

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**Report from** Recreation & Community Services, Parks and Facilities

**Date of Report:** October 11, 2012

**Date of Meeting:** October 29, 2012

**Report Number:** RCS-604-2012

**File:** 68.32.112

**Subject:** West Park Washroom Reconstruction

### Recommendation

That Council receive the report for information purposes. FORTHWITH

### Background

At its meeting on September 10, 2012, Council approved the following motion:

“Report on the washroom facilities at West Park sports field, including 2013 budget plans for upgrades.”

### Report

Each year, washroom upgrades and reconstructions are identified in priority sequence for the capital budget. The current listing for washroom reconstructions in parks includes (in order of priority) Happy Rolph's, Pearson Park, Lakeside Park, West Park, and Municipal Beach.

In 2011, the washroom facilities at West Park were identified as a future capital expenditure, and construction was forecasted for 2015. It should be understood that the washroom will be built to meet the typical requirements and needs of a sports park. As such, the Niagara Olympic Club or any other parks users will still be required to bring in additional temporary facilities for special events.

### Financial Implications

Not applicable as the reconstruction of washroom facilities at West Park have already been included in the Capital Budget Forecast.

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