



January 3, 2013

City Council Committee Report

To: Mayor and Council

Fr: Kevin Robertson, Commissioner of Signs

**Re: Central Community Club Inc.,
Variance to Sign By-law Number 115-2010**

Recommendation:

That Council of the City of Kenora approves the Application for Variance to Sign By-law Number 115-2010 submitted by the Central Community Club Inc., December 7, 2012, being a variance/s to Sentences 4.1.(e) and (h) and Schedule C (Fees) based on the following conditions:

- That there will be a maximum number of 8 - (4' x 4') non-illuminated wall signs located on the rink boards and below the rink boards height;
- That there will be a maximum number of 10 - (2' x 2') non-illuminated wall signs located on the building;
- That all signs are subject to the approval of the Recreation Services Manager;
- That all sign locations, orientation and installation are subject to the approval of the Facilities Supervisor.

Background:

Nature of Variance/s; (from application) - To put signs on our building and outside of hockey boards for our sponsors as a fundraiser as we are planning to start looking at a new building and need corporate sponsors.

This request compared to the one received on April 25, 2012 is more in keeping with Section 2 – Intent of the By-law and takes into consideration the safety and liability issues associated with an above rink board installation.

4.1 Any person shall not locate, erect, display or cause to be located, erected or displayed a sign, save and except signs expressly permitted in Part 5 of this By-law, and located, erected or displayed in strict compliance with the requirements of Part 5, which:

- (e) Is on public property, unless expressly permitted in this By-law and in accordance with the conditions of such permission as set out in this By-law;
- (h) Does not relate to any use or uses of the premises located on the same property;

Budget: No cost to the City

Communication Plan/Notice By-law Requirements: Notice by agenda of Property and Planning Committee and Council, Recreation Service Manager, Facilities

Supervisor, Planning, Licensing, Risk Management Officer, City Clerk and Commissioner of Signs