



## REPORT



**TO:** Mayor and Council

**FROM:** Jason Kabel, Manager of Community Services

**DATE:** May 3, 2013

**RE:** **Confederation College '52 Canadians Arena Mural**

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In the late fall of 2012 the Community Services Division received a request from Confederation College to erect another mural in the '52 Canadians Arena similar in artistic endeavour to the existing one that was placed in 2011 by the College. The mural is a collective produced by the Confederation College summer art camp students.

The Community Services Executive Committee reviewed the request with submitted artwork in October 2012. Direction was given to J. Kabel to investigate the Town of Fort Frances policy on artwork in Town facilities, acceptable exhibit, and procedures thereof. After investigation it was discovered that the Town does not currently have a policy in place for art to be displayed in public facilities other than policies that are specific to the Museum and Cultural Centre that would not be clearly applicable for this particular type of request.

With a similar request to display the art project that was done by the College summer art students in 2011, the Community Services Executive Committee invited Lindsay Hamilton, the art instructor, to make a presentation to all of Council. Lindsay came before Council as a delegate at the next regular meeting and a resolution was made to allow the art to be displayed on a section of wall of the '52 Canadians Arena.

The Community Services Executive Committee recommends to Council to permit Confederation College to position the 2012 summer art camp mural project in the '52 Canadians Arena in a location to be mutually agreed upon by the College and the Manager of Community Services.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jason Kabel,  
Manager of Community Services

**Council approval of this report will permit Confederation College to erect their 2012 summer art camp mural project in the '52 Canadians Arena in a location agreed upon with the Manager of Community Services.**





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