



On behalf of Edmonton Minor Soccer Association (EMSA), a registered not-for-profit soccer organization for recreational, club programs and leagues for children and youth in the greater Edmonton area, thank you for the opportunity to address Council, regarding the proposed EMSA Indoor Soccer Dome on its property in Parkland County.

I would like to outline our progress so far and how we need Parkland County to support the project.

For those who are not familiar with the existing soccer complex, in February 2009 Edmonton Minor Soccer Association (EMSA) entered a 50-year lease agreement with Parkland County for the development of soccer fields as part of the reclamation of 92 acres of the Cholla Sand and Dry Waste Site located on the southwest corner of Highway 16A and 231 Street. The outdoor soccer complex on these now reclaimed lands boasts 18 outdoor soccer fields.

In November 2023, EMSA entered into a purchase agreement for the additional 15-acre greenfield site which is adjacent to, but on the same 1/4 section as the Cholla Sand and Dry Waste Site. This was to facilitate the development of the future Northern Alberta Regional Sports Facility Indoor Soccer Dome.

Thank You,

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