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TO/DEST. Co-ordinator

Corporate Services and Economic Development Committee

FROM/EXP. Planning and Development Approvals Commissioner

SUBJECT/OBJET SALE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY -

1124 ALENMEDE CRESCENT, OTTAWA

## **DEPARTMENTAL RECOMMENDATION**

That the Corporate Services and Economic Development Committee approve the sale of 1124 Alenmede Crescent to Beverly Anne and Donald Thomas Moore for the amount of \$103,000 pursuant to an Agreement of Purchase and Sale that has been received.

#### **BACKGROUND**

Regional Council, at its meeting of August 12, 1992 (Report 30, Item 30), authorized the acquisition of residential properties identified as being wholly or partially required for the West Transitway Extension Project. Properties along Burgess Avenue, Bellfield Street, Alenmede Crescent and Connaught Avenue were identified as those affected. These properties were recommended to be purchased in advance of need to avoid causing any undue hardships to affected homeowners. Eighteen residential properties along Alenmede Crescent were acquired and were rented in the interim. Fourteen of these properties, less the transitway requirements, have been sold, thereby recovering a portion of the Region's initial cost.

The subject property is legally described as being the east part of Lot 22, Plan M177, City of Ottawa and is municipally known as 1124 Alenmede Crescent. It consists of a 1,208 square foot, 2 storey semi-detached residence. Pursuant to Regional Council's direction, the property was acquired in July of 1993, in advance of need, to avoid undue hardship to the owners. The purchase price was \$139,000. The prospective purchaser is not the previous owner but is presently the Region's tenant. Mr. and Mrs. Moore are leasing the

property on a month to month basis. In keeping with corporate policy the property has been listed for sale and made available to the general public.

Approximately 7 metres of the rear of the property will be retained for the future transitway and the property is being sold minus this requirement. The surplus as well as the requirement is shown on the attached sketch. The prospective purchasers have been made fully aware of the permanent and construction easements that will be retained for the construction of the transitway.

Regional Council at its meeting of September 10, 1997 and October 28, 1998, declared the properties along Alenmede Crescent surplus to Regional requirements. The subject property was listed for sale through the Real Estate Board of Ottawa-Carleton and resulted in an offer from Beverly Anne and Donald Thomas Moore in the amount of \$103,000. The offered price is consistent with appraisals and other recent sales the Region has approved along Alenmede Crescent. Varying sale prices take into account differences in the condition of the properties as well as any amenities that may be available in each residence.

## **PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

In accordance with existing polices, the availability of the property was circulated within the corporation, including our Social Housing Department, and to external agencies to determine whether there was any interest in its use. No interest was shown. The property was subsequently listed with the Real Estate Board of Ottawa-Carleton on its multiple listing service.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

This transaction represents revenue of \$103,000 to the Corporation.

The offer is considered to be fair and reasonable and is recommended for acceptance.

Approved by Nick Tunnacliffe, MCIP, RPP Date: May 31, 1999 Commissioner,

Planning and Development Approvals Department

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# FINANCE COMMENT

Proceeds from the sale of this property will be credited to Account No. 900271

Approved by T. Fedec on behalf of the Finance Commissioner

