

Chester Bowl Chalet Renovation Summary of Public Engagement Process

- November 2014, Chester Bowl Mini-Master plan passed
- Spring 2015, CBIC chooses to pursue Chalet Renovation
- Fall Fest, 9/19/15
 - First public mention of project
 - Public could “vote” with dots to show which of 12 aspects of a chalet renovation they valued most
- LHB (Architecture firm selected) meetings with Chester Bowl Board of Directors, Development Committee members, Staff, and tenants
 - Several initial meetings with key stakeholders to determine priorities
 - November 24 meeting included City Architect Tari Rayala
 - First presented three initial concepts (see public meetings below)
- Mailing on upcoming public meetings went to homes surrounding Chester Park, and press release was sent
- Frequent bulk emails to 1042 person email list, posting to Facebook group with 3000+ fans, and updates on web site throughout process, with invitations and opportunities to provide feedback at meetings, through email, by phone, or in person
- Draft plans were on the Chester Bowl web site, with information to submit comments by phone, email, or mail
 - 6 comments submitted, passed on to LHB
- Draft plans on bulletin board at Chalet
 - Many casual conversations with families at the chalet during ski season
- Public Meeting #1, 2/3/16
 - 14 attending
 - 2 TV news stations attended
 - All public meetings facilitated by CBIC and LHB
 - Presented history of project and design drafts, solicited feedback
 - Went from three initial concepts (two story east-west expansion, two story north-south expansion, three story vertical expansion) to one final concept (three story vertical)
 - Final concept chosen based in part on public feedback received in meetings
- Public Meeting #2, 2/16/16
 - 11 attending
- Public Meeting #3, 3/9/16
 - 31 attending

Key Leadership Team includes volunteer Development Committee members [Kelly Bartz (chair, also on Board), Todd Baumann (Board), Scott Mayer (Board), Amy Jo Swing, Brian Barber, George Vacek, Jessica Hehir, Jordan Milan], CBIC volunteer Board of Directors [Scott Mayer (chair), Halene Wehseler (Vice Chair), Jenny Jackson (Treasurer), Ann Myers (Secretary), Amy Kranig, Andrea Mistelske, Jim Gearns, Kelly Bartz, Kevin Rappana, Todd Baumann, Nora Sandstad], and staff [CBIC Executive Director Dave Schaeffer, Program Manager Sam Luoma].