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**From:** Park Board GM's Office  
**Sent:** Monday, February 14, 2022 5:17 PM  
**To:** PB Commissioners  
**Cc:** PB SLT (Senior Leadership Team) - DL; PB Communications  
**Subject:** Olympic Village Plaza Lights - Commissioner Enquiry

**Importance:** High

Dear Commissioners,

In response to an enquiry regarding the lights at the Olympic Village plaza on Athlete's Way, which have been out for months, I am providing the update received from the City of Vancouver staff who are responsible for these repairs.

As per City staff, the existing electrical system has reached end-of-life and an upgrade replacement solution is required. In the meantime, in order to address safety concerns, staff are working on a short-term lighting solution for the architectural poles in the plaza to light up the area at night. They are awaiting confirmation on the timing of these interim repairs and anticipate knowing more within the coming weeks. They are also following up with a contractor for costing and supply for the overall end-of-life system upgrades in order to provide a timeline on that project as well.

Further updates will be provided as this project progresses.

Thank you,

**Amit Gandha | Director of Parks**



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