

**THE FOLLOWING IS A LATE ITEM FOR THE MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL  
HELD ON DECEMBER 5, 2011:**

**3. HEARINGS**

**c) Proposed Rezoning from B2 to B1 by Agreement  
811 – 29<sup>th</sup> Street West – Westmount Neighbourhood  
Applicant: Dance Ink Ltd.  
Proposed Bylaw No. 8982  
(File No. CK. 4351-011-10)**

- Jessica Hughes, President, Westmount Community Association, dated November 30, 2011, submitting comments;
- Don Peters, undated, submitting comments; and
- Irene Haubrich and Betty Hills, dated December 5, 2011, submitting further information.

**5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**a) Panhandling  
(File No. CK. 5000-1)**

- Terry Scaddan, Executive Director, The Partnership, dated December 2, 2011, submitting comments;
- Sarah Marchildon, Executive Director, Broadway Business Improvement District, dated December 2, 2011, submitting comments;
- Bonnie Heilman, dated December 5, 2011, requesting to speak to Council; and
- Darrell Lechman, Founder/Director, Saskatoon Community Youth Arts Programming Inc. (SCYAP), dated December 4, 2011, requesting to speak to Council.

**REPORT NO. 18-2011 OF THE PLANNING AND OPERATIONS COMMITTEE**

**6. Kinsmen Park and Area Master Plan Final  
(Files CK.4205-9-3, LA. 217-96 and CS. 4206-1)**

- Zoë Kindrachuk, dated December 2, 2011, submitting comments;
- Bruce Simms, dated December 2, 2011, submitting comments; and
- Susan Wall, dated December 5, 2011, submitting comments.

**10. Building Permit Fee Review – Building Standards Branch  
(Files CK. 301-1, x CK. 1600-12 and PL. 4240-9)**

- Alan Thomarat, CEO, Saskatoon and Region Homebuilders' Association, dated November 30, 2011, requesting to speak to Council.

**13. Paddling Pool, Playground Program Comprehensive Review  
(Files CK. 613-5, x 5500-1 and LS. 614-1)**

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- Robert Reddekopp, dated November 30, 2011, submitting comments; and
- Tanya Ritchie, dated December 2, 2011, submitting comments on behalf of her St. Marguerite Elementary School grade four class.

**REPORT NO. 14-2011 OF THE ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE**

**2. U-Pass Agreement between the City of Saskatoon and  
Saskatchewan Indian Institute of Technologies, and First Nations University  
of Canada  
(File No. CK. 7312-1)**

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- Kim Fraser-Saddleback, VP, Student Services & Academics, dated December 2, 2011, requesting to speak to Council.

**SPEAKERS LIST**

(NOT including Presentations, Hearings or Matters Requiring Public Notice  
(\* ) represents late letter)

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MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

**8. Jessie Carruthers** – Saskatoon Pesticide Reduction

**9. Keith Moen** – Zoning changes at River Landing

**10. Sherry Benson and Cory Neudorf** – Saskatoon Poverty Reduction Program

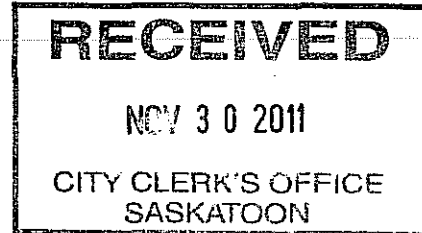
**11. Mike San Miguel** – Kensington Neighbourhood

12. **Dion Brick** – tall wind turbine project
13. **Chris Fossenier** – tall wind turbine project
14. **Denis Grimard** – tall wind turbine project

# Hearing

4351-911-10  
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From: CityCouncilWebForm  
Sent: November 30, 2011 3:29 PM  
To: City Council  
Subject: Write a Letter to City Council



TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

FROM:

Jessica Hughes  
1109 23rd St W  
Saskatoon  
Saskatchewan  
S7L 0A7

EMAIL ADDRESS:

[jlivh@hotmail.com](mailto:jlivh@hotmail.com)

COMMENTS:

Jessica Hughes, President  
Westmount Community Association  
Box 30012  
RPO 32  
Saskatoon SK S7L 7M6

November 22nd, 2011

Municipal Planning Commission  
City Hall  
Saskatoon SK

RE: Dance Ink Re-zoning proposal

Dear Planning Committee Members,

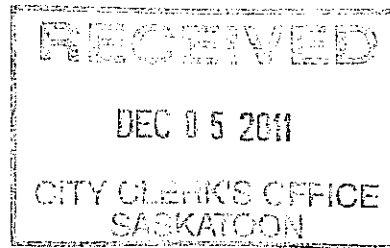
As a community, we welcome the addition of new, vibrant businesses; especially those that engage our youth and promote an active and healthy lifestyle. However, we question the benefit of Dance Ink in its current location at 811 29th Street West. We find it very difficult to place more value on one side at the expense of the other - but we cannot support the idea of encouraging a business over the peace and rights of responsible homeowners.

Additionally, it is our belief that Dance Ink was negligent in their planning, and did not follow established protocol to ensure the proper, legal operation of their business. We have no doubt that Dance Ink will be a strong thriving business no matter where they find their permanent home. We don't believe the same can be said for the residents who may be displaced if Dance Ink remains.

Best Regards,

Jessica Hughes  
President  
Westmount Community Association

To City Council Members



I regret that I am unable to attend this meeting due to prior committments. I feel that the notice I received did not allow adequate time to respond to the application regarding the zoning bylaw change that has been requested by Ashley Berrns of Dance Ink. Ltd. I strongly object to the bylaw being changed to suit their needs and not the needs of the residents in this area.

They have bylaws about parking yet their patrons do not abide by it and this causes a shortage of parking in the neighbourhood. Numerous times I have come home and have not been able to park my vehicle anywhere near my address - making it a hardship to carry in groceries, work supplies or small children. I feel that this business is not appropriate for a residential area, if you allow them to change the bylaws then anyone will and can be allowed in regardless of whether there is adequate parking or not.

If this bylass passes you are opening the gates to superceding the residents rights of a residential neighbourhood to become commercialized. This does not take into consideration the residents rights and only that of the business. Without a healthy residential environment the neighbourhood's needs are not met and only the businessman's needs are met.

We deserve a safe environment for our children and not to have to worry about an increase in traffic, or worry about whether our parking needs will be met or not. If this bylaw is passed in order to sustain the business they will need to have an increase in patrons, which will in essensce create more parking problems and increase traffic flow to a point which I feel this neighbourhood was not designed for.

I have lived in this neighbourhood for over 50 years and don't wish the situation to change, therefore I am writing this letter to let you know that I strongly object to this bylaw being changed to suit the needs of one business.

How is it that the city has allowed this company to operate as a dance studio without the proper zoning changes that should be neccesary. It seems to me that it was able to bypass the zoning bylaw and keep it's doors open without it being approved by city council prior to it opening. They would not allow a person to build a dance studio

without proper permits or parking to accomodate their patrons yet this one exists.

I take exception to the fact that this company has been allowed to operate their business in an area that is not zoned for this type of business. I am not sure how city council has allowed this to happen and would like to see this addressed.

I think that allowing this change means that there are no bylaws and that anyone can then change them for their own personal or business gains. There are procedures in place that were not followed. Asking for a change means that procedures can be ignored? This is a bad precedent and may have great ramifications.

I would like to know if this business is going to be able to operate even if there is no change to the zoning bylaw.

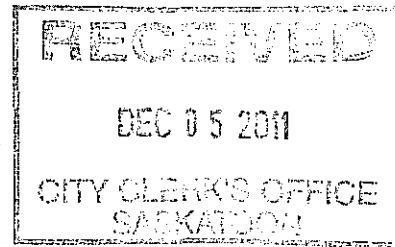
Sincerely yours,

Don Peters

705 Avenue I North

Saskatoon, SK S7L 2H1

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Don Peters', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.



***His Worship Mayor Don Atchison  
&  
Members of City Council***

***Presented: December 5, 2011***

***In Opposition to Re-Zoning by Agreement  
Property: 811 - 29th. Street West  
Saskatoon, SK***



*December 5, 2011*

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***His Worship Mayor Don Atchison  
Members of City Council***

In his recent letter to City Council, Mr. Matthew Gallant, one of the owners of Dance Ink references several dance schools in residential areas in comparison to the property they are applying to have rezoned by agreement and states that these businesses have no difficulties with parking in a residential neighborhood.

These studios and property are not comparable to the Dance Ink property in any capacity. Please review the pictures enclosed of these properties and the property at 811 - 29th Street West for further clarification.

Studio One 1821 Jackson Ave. ( corner of Jackson and Taylor)

This studio is situated on a large corner lot with plenty of parking in front and on one side of the property, as well as parking lot with approximately 10 spots at the rear of the building on their property. Additionally, there is about 6 feet set back on one side with a garage between this property and next house.

Sitters School of Dance 191 La Ronge Rd.

This studio is situated on a very large lot. An extremely large parking lot separates this property from a neighboring property, which is a church. The property on the other side is separated by a substantial distance with large trees between properties.

Brenda's School of Baton and Dance 610 Clarence Avenue South

This building is a former school and is currently Albert Community Center. It is situated alone on an entire block and the building is backed by Albert Park. This property has it's own parking lot with at least 25 parking spots.

We have also included copies of the advertisements placed on Kijiji for Bachelorette parties and Pub Crawls. I am sure you will understand why we were concerned when we saw these advertisements.

Thank you for your time and consideration,  
Best Regards,

Irene Haubrich

Betty Hills

**Dance Ink**  
**811 - 29th Street West**

Two advertisements placed on Kijiji September 11, 2011

Bachelorette Parties and Pub Crawls

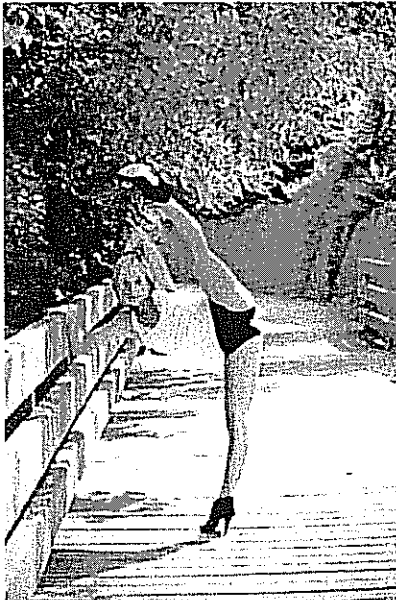
Write up in Star Phoenix Saturday October 29th prior to the Public  
Information Meeting

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Welcome to **Kijiji Saskatoon** free local classifieds. [Click here](#) for more results related to "dance ink".  
[Kijiji Saskatchewan](#) > [Saskatoon](#) > [services](#) > [entertainment](#) > Ad ID 313128195

## Spicy Stagette Party's- Private Dance Lessons for ANY Occasion!



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Last Edited 11-Sep-11  
Address 29 St W, Saskatoon, SK S7L, Canada  
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**Kick up the spice for your next stagette party or ladies' night with a saucy private lesson for your group!**

**We host the funnest Bachelorette Party's ~ Planned to Perfection!** Scandalous dance classes for your party! Choose between Striptease, Chair Dancing, Hip-hop, Burlesque & More. Our professional Dance Facility Offers Dance Classes & Private Party's for Any Occasion!

**Personalize your Party with us! Choose from our favorite packages or let us customize a combo lesson for your sassy bunch.... We have everything you need to tempt your inner showgirl.**

Every party receives full private use of the studio for the duration of their party... Choose your Theme, Customize your Dance Class, pick your Party Extra's - All for an affordable price, starting at just \$150. Bring your own food and drinks to serve or have us do the hosting for you!

### Pick your Extras:

- Passionate Toy Party (Free)
- Party Hosting (\$)
- Private Pub Crawl (\$)

\$150 for a 1-hour private dance class with award winning choreographers and certified dance instructors.  
\*\*\*Prices range for Party Extra's, Party Hosting & Additional Studio Rental

Call or e-mail to discuss suggestions for your Party! We have great Bachelorette Party Ideas to make your party ROCK!

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**e-mail- [ashrb@sasktel.net](mailto:ashrb@sasktel.net)  
phone- 260-9114 or 653-2281**

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## Dirty Dancing Stagette Party's- B-day Parties- Themed Parties

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S7L, Canada

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party's for any occasion! Personalize your  
Party with us!

Every party receives full private use of the  
**Dance INK** studio for the duration of their  
party... Choose your Theme, Customize  
your **Dance** Class, pick your Party Extra's -  
All for an affordable price, starting at just  
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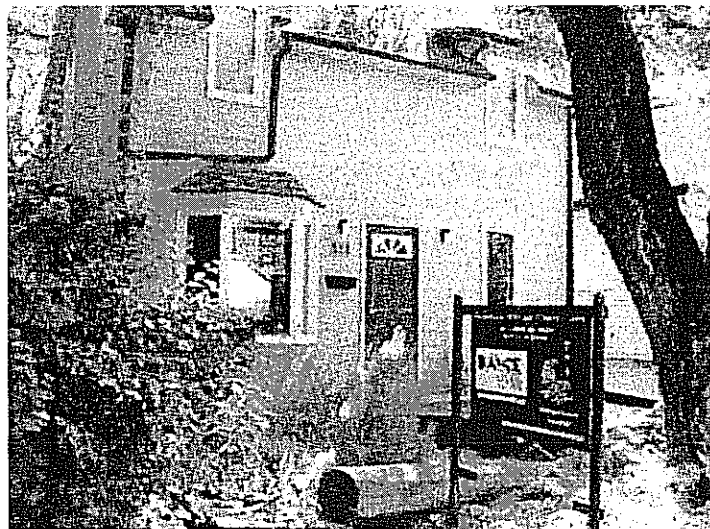
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\$150 for a 1-hour private class with award  
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Party Ideas to make your party ROCK!

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SCOTT LARSON  
New Faces, New Places

For some it's a taste from home, for others it's a chance to try something they've never had before.

"People are adventurous these days," said Rose Lacsamana, who has opened Pinoy Market with husband Jay-R. "Everybody is looking for something different."

The Central Avenue store features Asian-Filipino goods.

"We have lots of (Filipinos) coming (to Saskatoon)," she said. "It's great for newcomers. It's a little taste of home."

They sell items such as rice noodles, all types of fish, sauce mixes, spring rolls, canned goods, juices, beauty products and snacks.

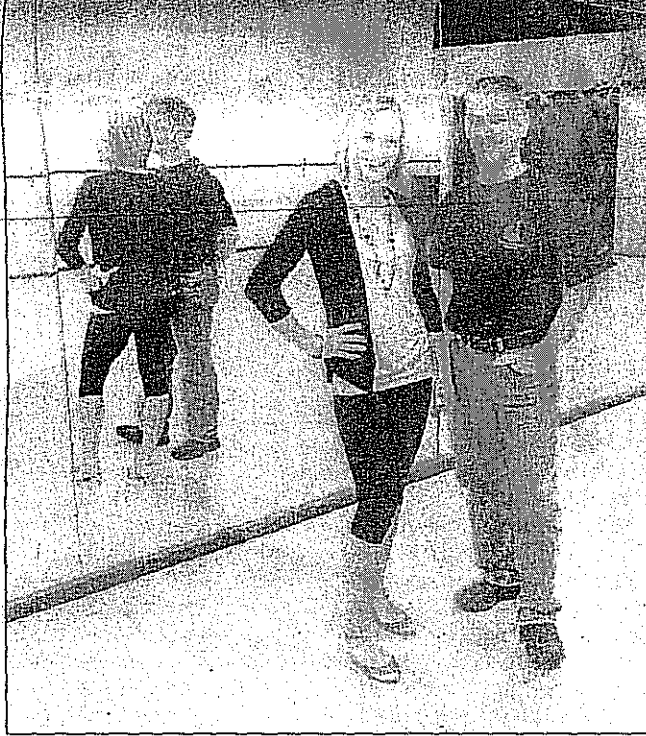
Some unique items include ice cream flavours such as coconut, mango and even cheese.

Prepaid long distance cards are sold at the store, and money can be remitted back to the Philippines.

Jay-R's parents have a similar store on the west side of the city and the Lacsamanas first opened a store in North Battleford in December 2010.

They opened the Central Avenue location about a month ago.

"We have a central location and it has easy access to it," Lacsamana said. "People are getting to know we are here."



RICHARD MARJAN /The StarPhoenix

Ashley Berrns and her father Brad pose on Tuesday in their shared space at 811 29th St. W, home of her dance studio, Dance Ink, and his karate studio, Shotakan Karate.

Pinoy Market is open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. seven days a week.

✓ PINOY MARKET

Owners: Jay-R and Rose Lacsamana  
Address: Bay 6-821 Central Ave.  
Phone: 979-6722

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It may look nondescript on the outside, but Dance Ink and Shotakan Karate Club have an impressive indoor facility.

The two businesses, run out of the same space on 29th Street W, are owned by Ashley Berrns and her father, Brad Berrns.

"Dance and karate share

the same environment," Ashley said. "This is a premium facility that fits both arts."

The business features a large studio with sprung floors and wall-to-wall mirrors, a student lounge, a kitchen, change rooms and a parent viewing area.

Ashley teaches beginner to advanced classes in ballet, jazz, contemporary, lyrical, hip hop, tap and street jazz along with fitness, strength and conditioning classes.

They have open classes so families can train together. Private instruction and an instructor's program are also offered.

"This is a family-orient-

ated business," Brent said. "We wanted to find a place that feels like home."

"We stumbled across (this spot) last summer," Ashley added.

Parents can have coffee in the kitchen while the student lounge can be used for study or to wait for classes to begin, she said.

They currently have more than 200 students.

"We have a tremendous blend in both (discipline)," Ashley said. "(For example), the brother takes karate and the sister takes dance."

"We really promote the family aspect."

Dance Ink and Shotakan Karate are open from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. during the week and classes are held on the weekend.

✓ DANCE INK/SHOTAKAN KARATE CLUB

Owners: Ashley Berrns and Brad Berrns  
Address: 811 29th St. W  
Phone: 653-2281 or 260-9114  
Website: www.danceink.ca, www.shotokankaratesaskatoon.ca

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Wiegiers Financial & Benefits has moved to a new location on 33rd St. W.

The company has 38 staff and counting.

"There is a tremendous opportunity in our industry," owner Cliff Wiegiers said.

He said the company covers a wide range of financial areas, both corporate and individual.

They include retirement savings, investments, mortgage broker services, insurance and estate planning, business consultation,

HELP-WANTED INDEX

# Job prospects down, but posting numbers

LEADER-POST

REGINA — Job prospects are down in Saskatoon and Regina, which is in line with the national trend, according to the latest metro help-wanted index released Friday by the Conference Board

of Canada. Despite the declining number of job postings, the job market in both cities is still very tight, with close to one online job opening for every applicant, the Ottawa-based organization said. In fact, Saskatoon and Regina have relatively high numbers of

persons looking for work. The Canadian economy showed its resilience in September, creating 60,900 jobs in a period of economic uncertainty, the report said. More than 250,000 jobs have been created so far this year, with 19 of 26 census metro-

December and September. But the help-wanted index for October is pointing to weaker near-term job prospects for the majority of Canada's large cities. In fact, near-term employment prospects are up in only three CMAs (St. John's, NT

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**Studio One**  
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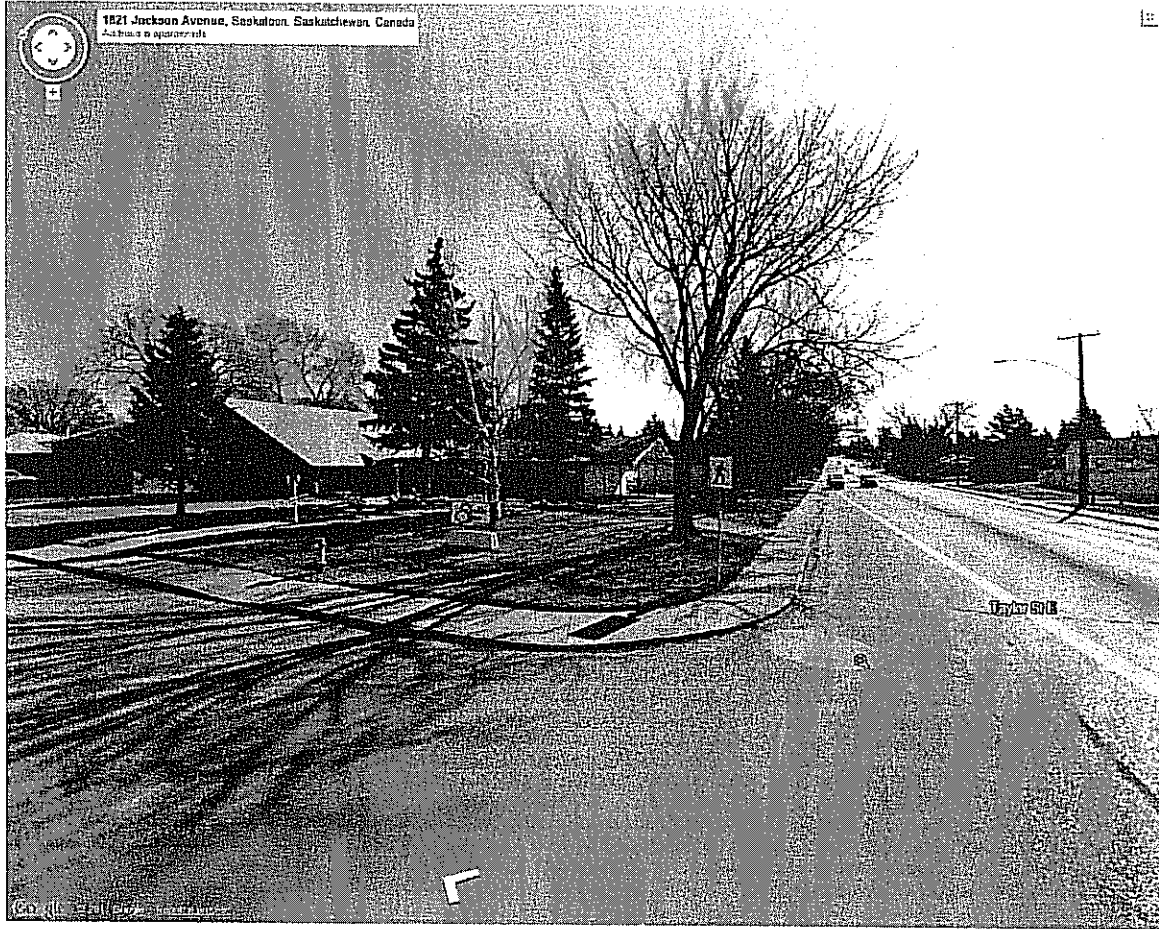
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Property Use:	Commercial
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Large corner lot with plenty of street parking in front of their property and on one side. There is a parking lot on the property at the rear of building with about 10 spots and one side has drive in and out loading zone. There is approximately 6 feet or more side set back plus a garage between this property and next house.



1821 Jackson Avenue, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada  
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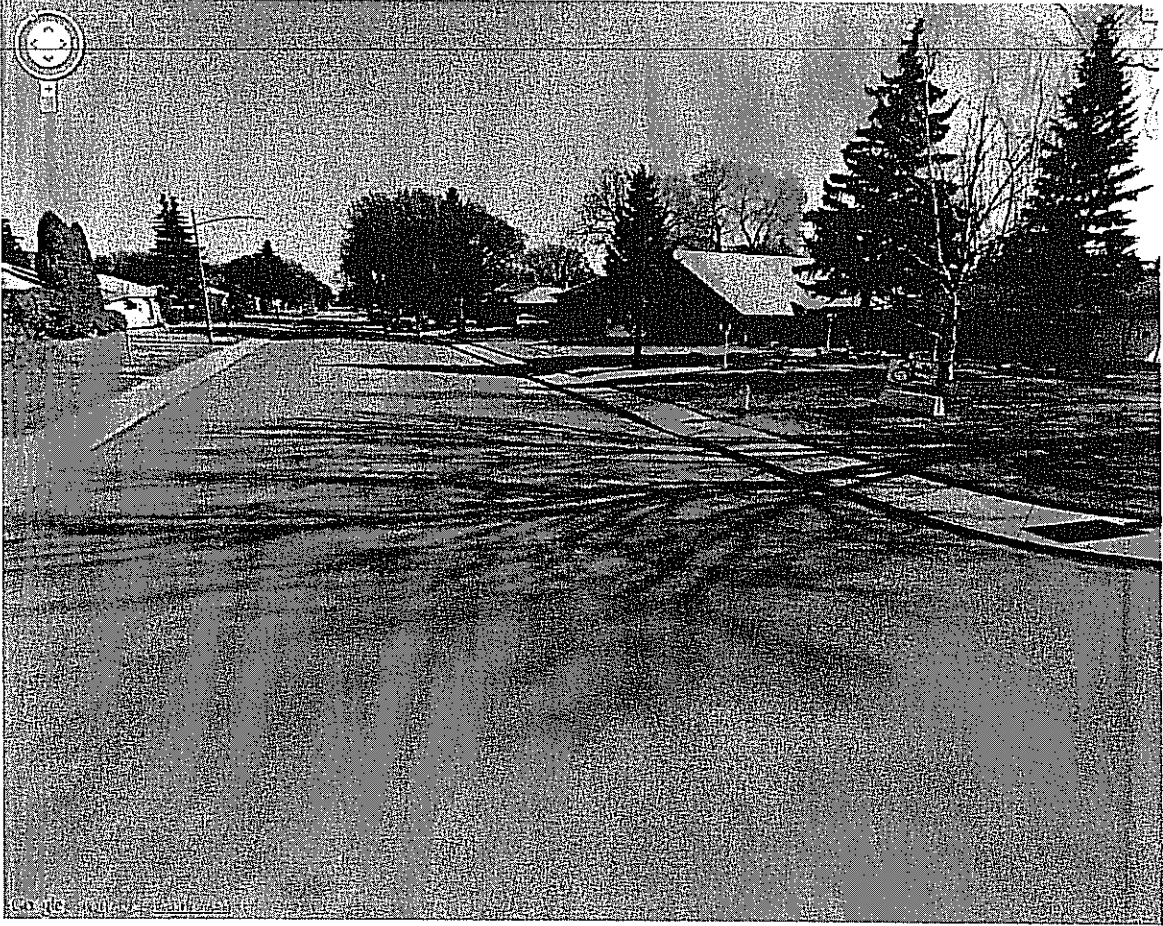


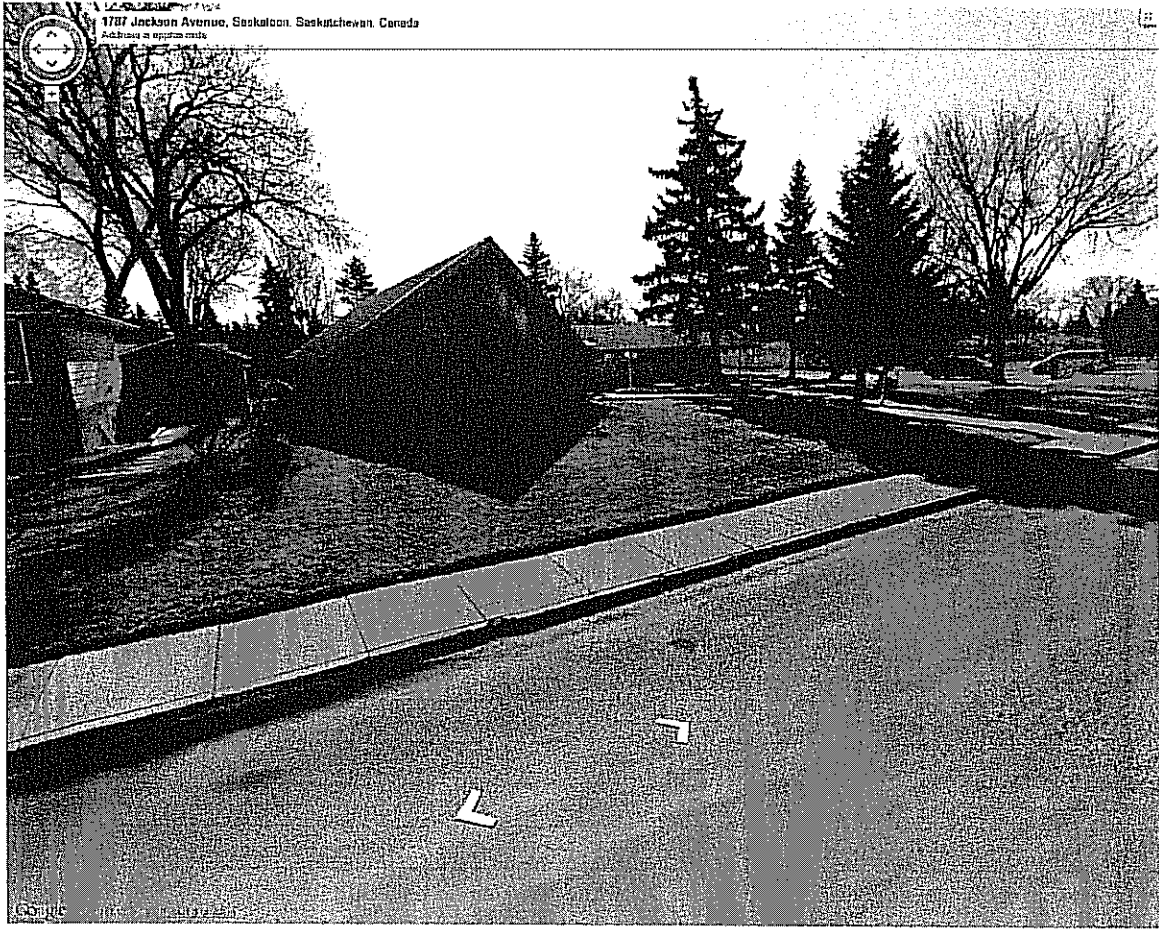


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**Sitters School of Dance**  
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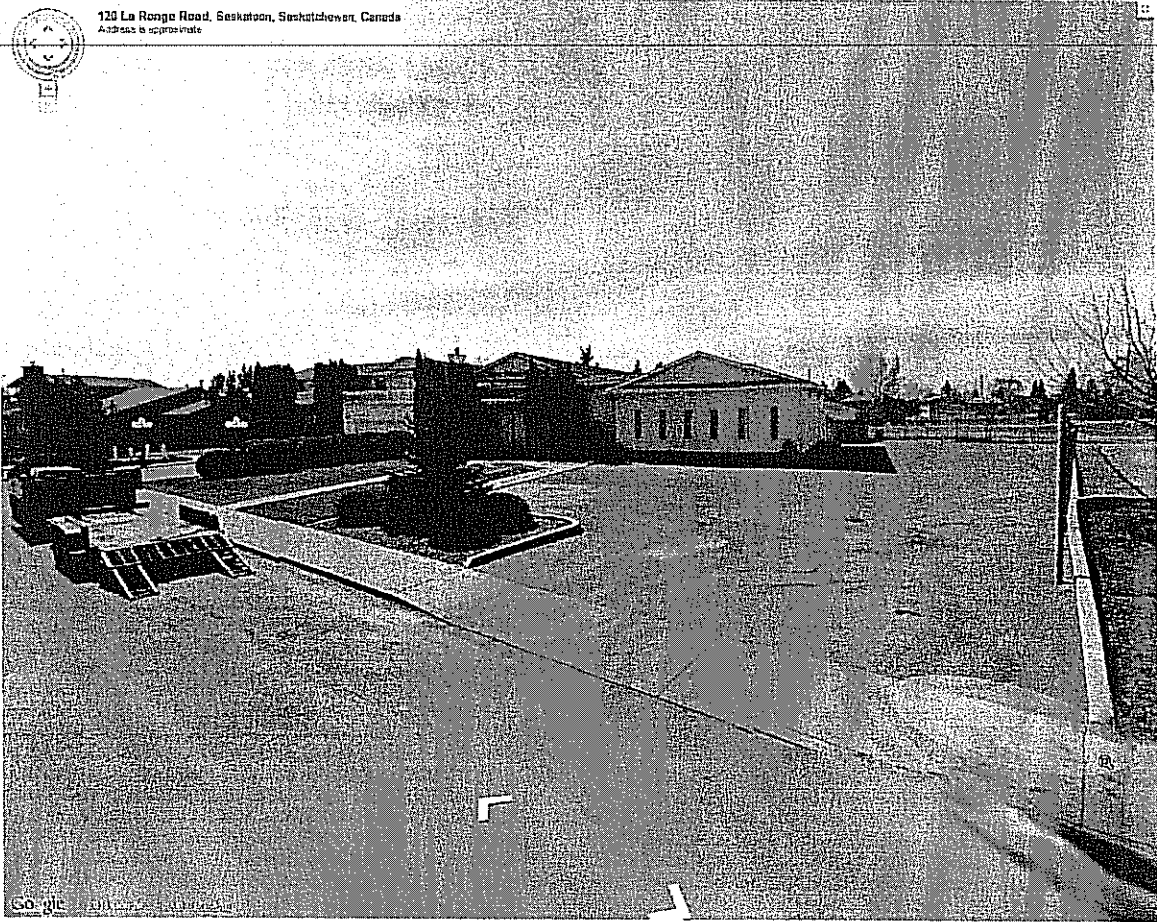
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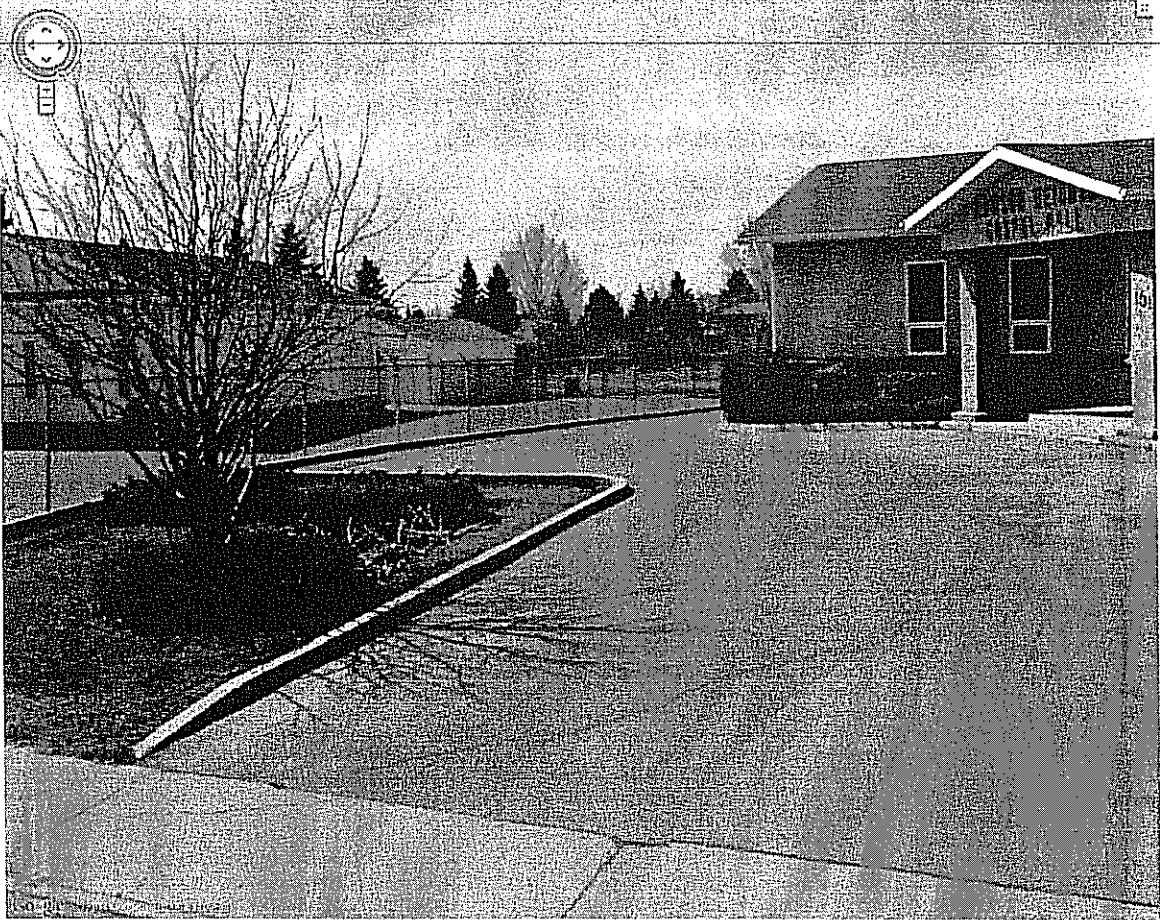
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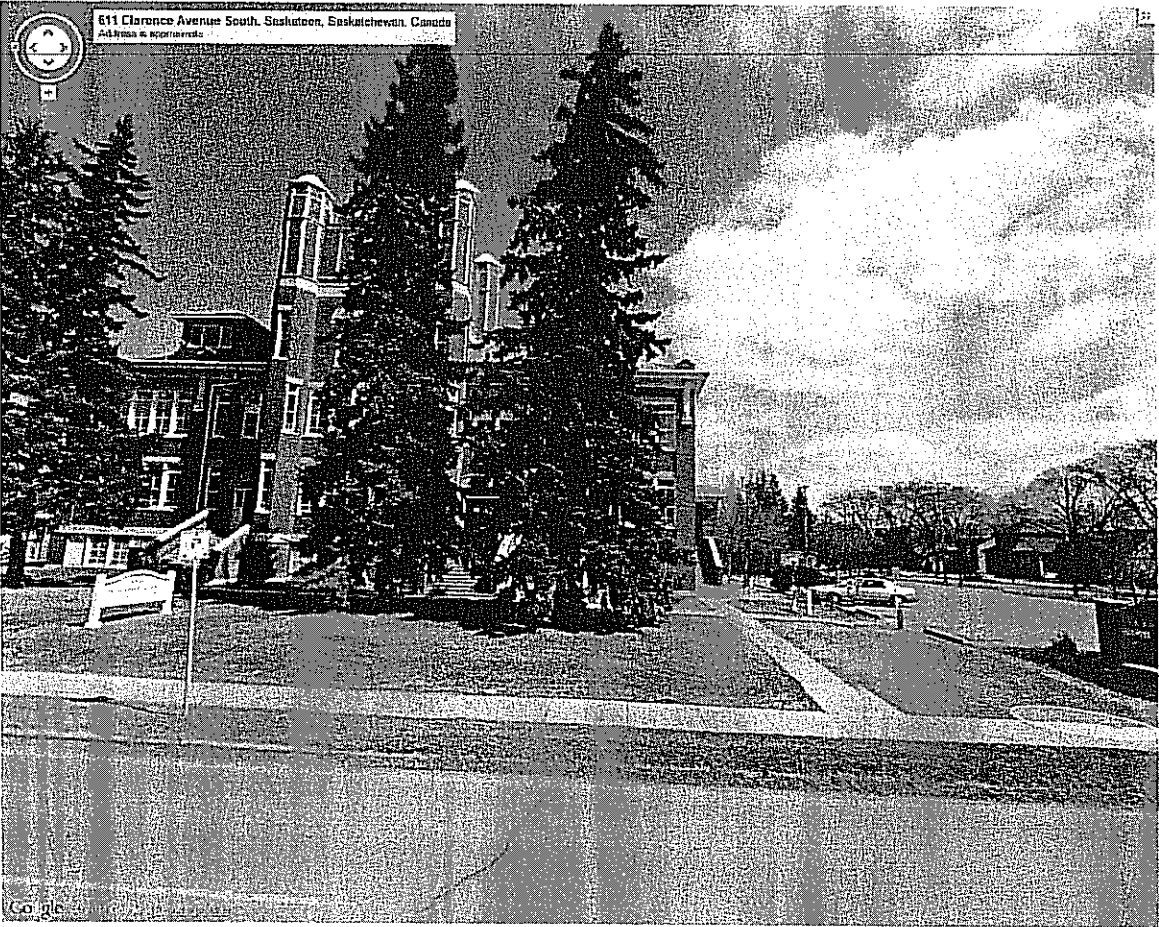
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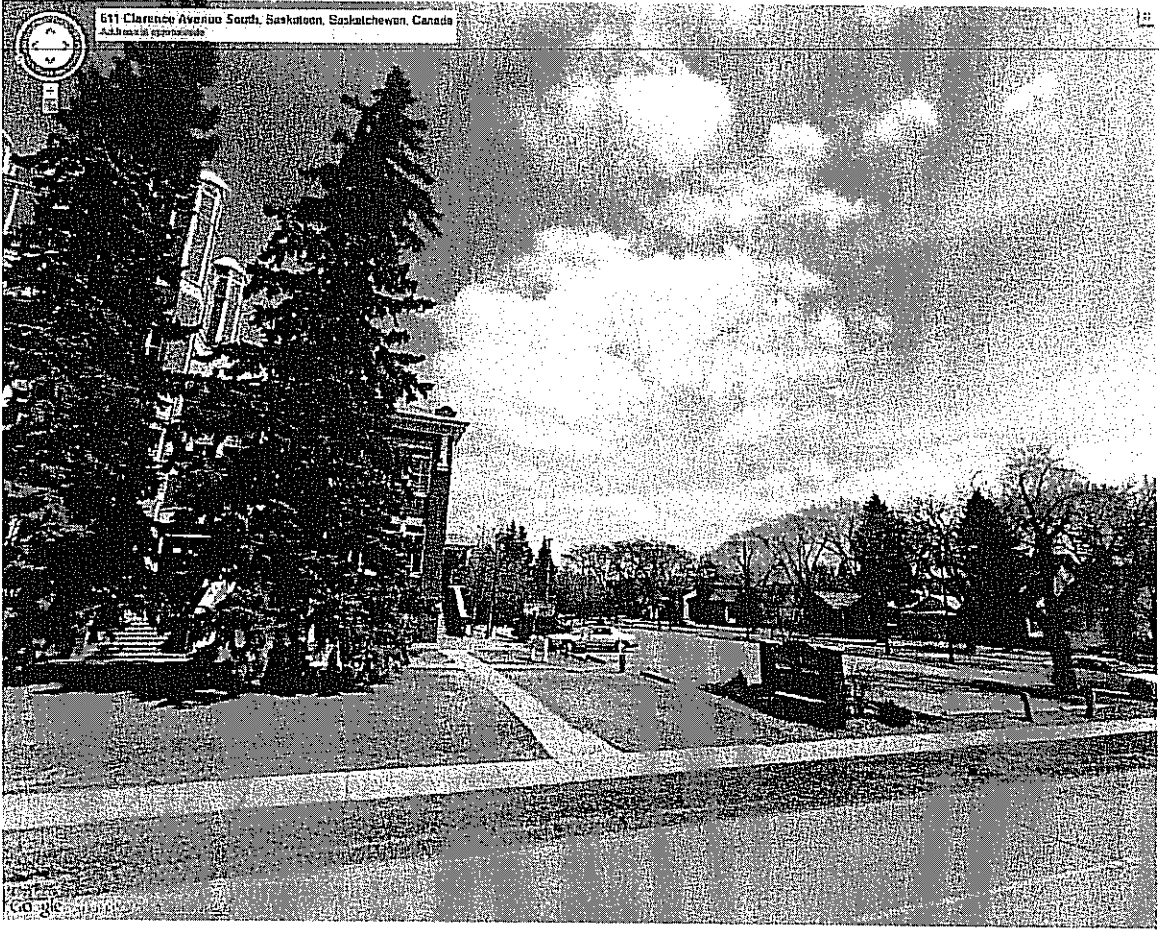
**610 Clarence Avenue South**

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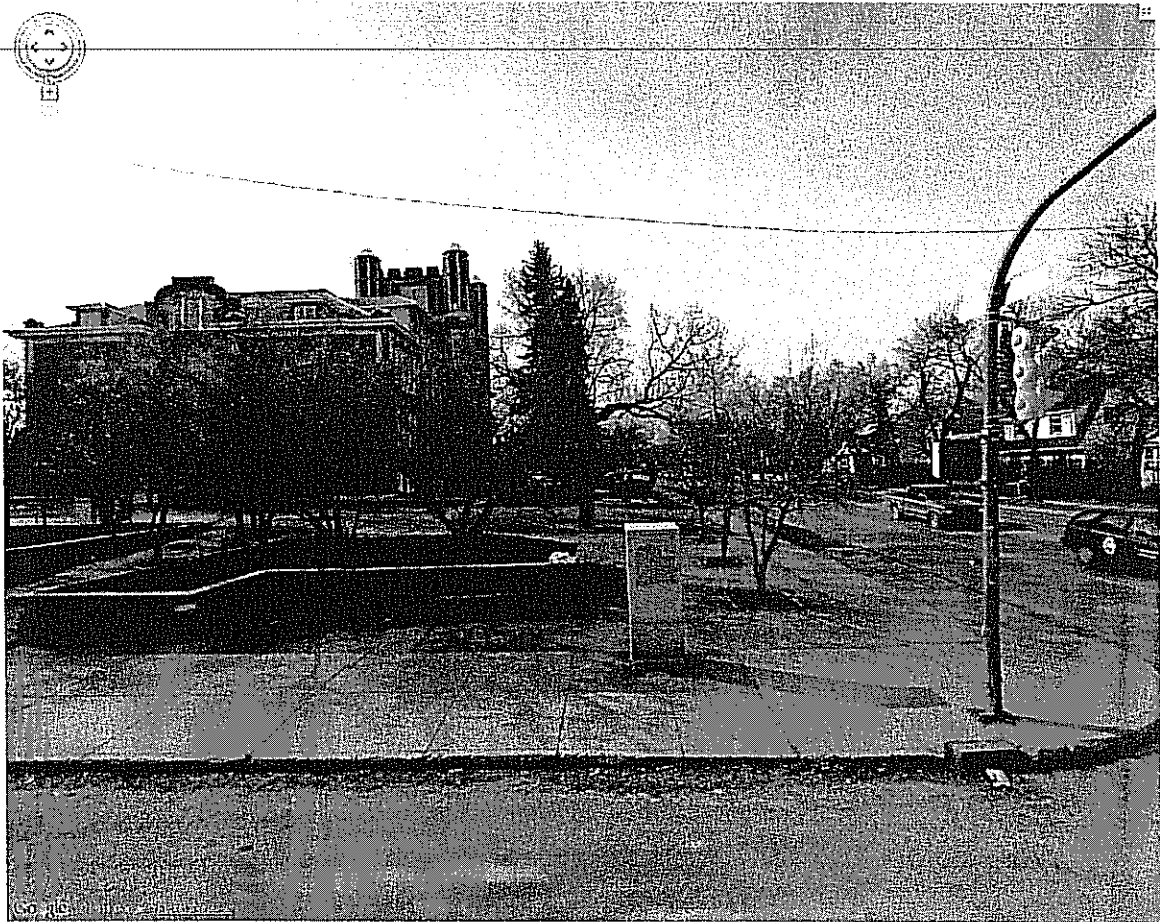
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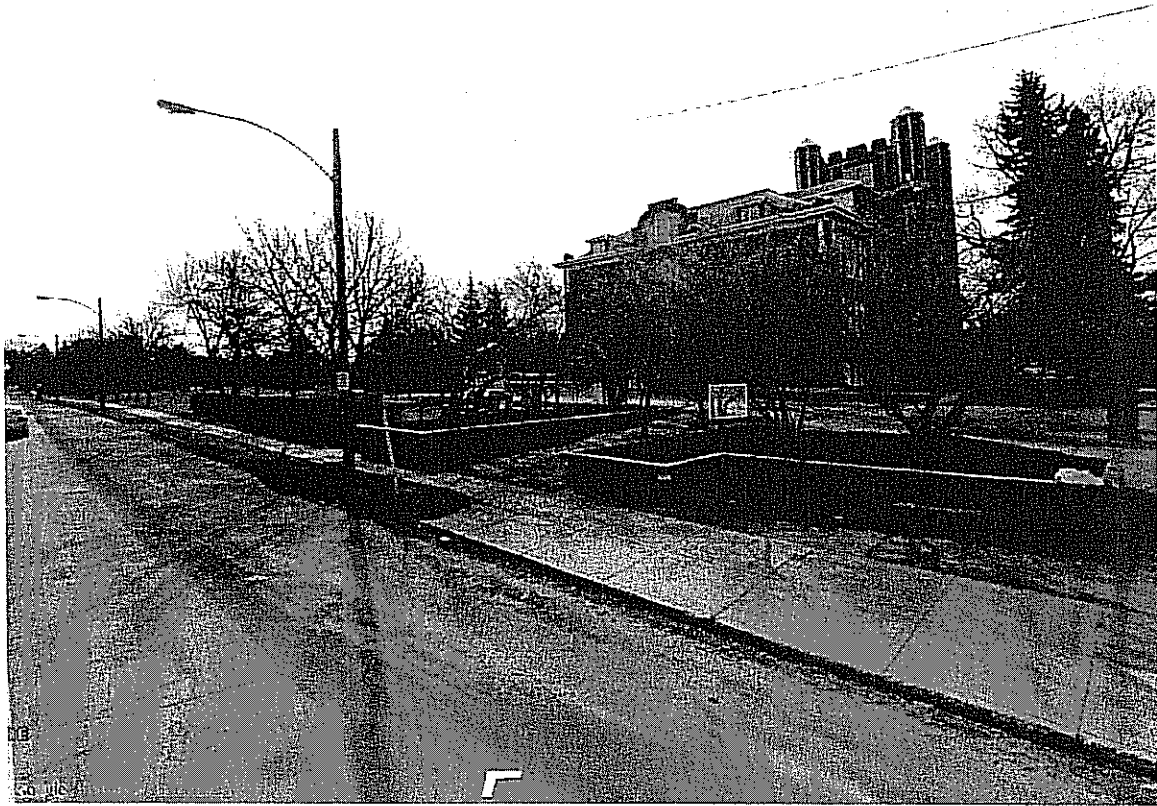
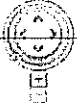
















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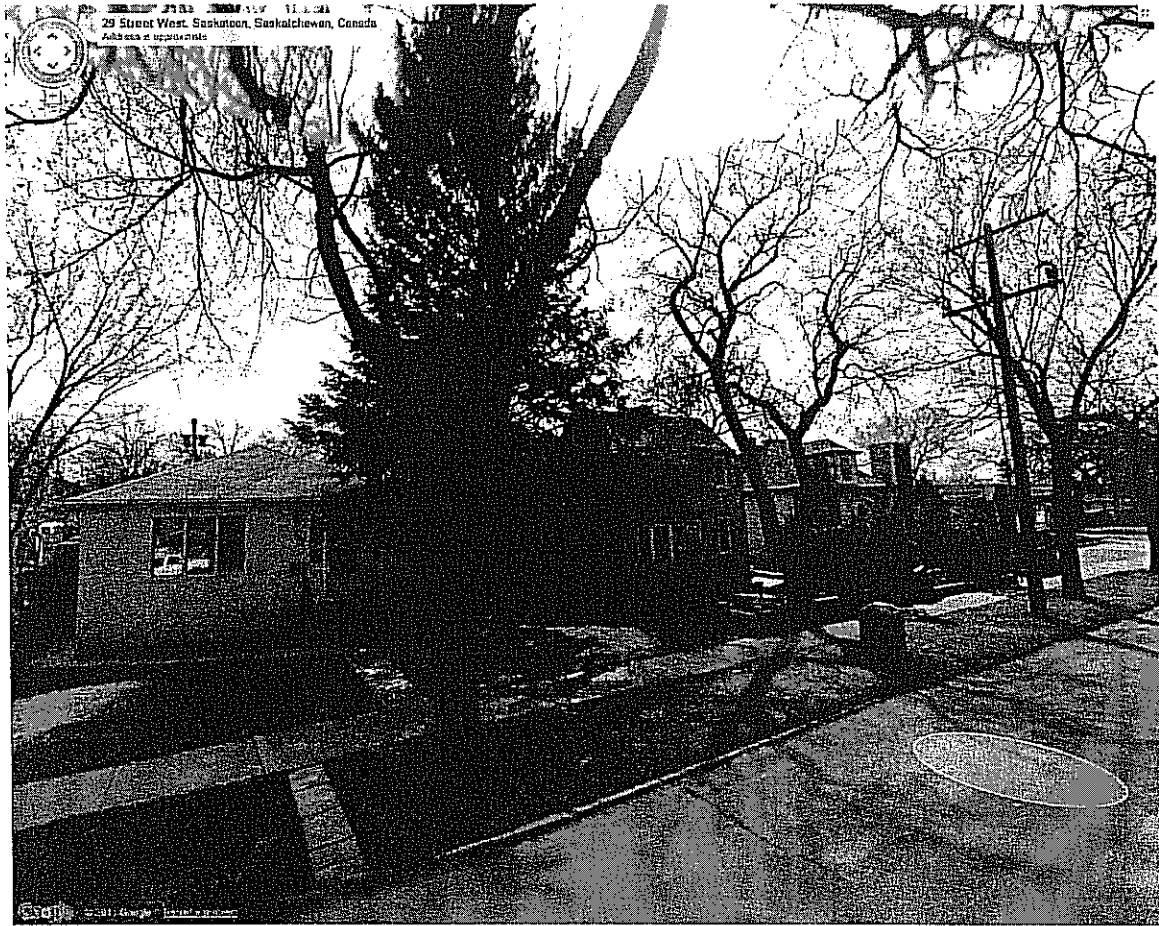
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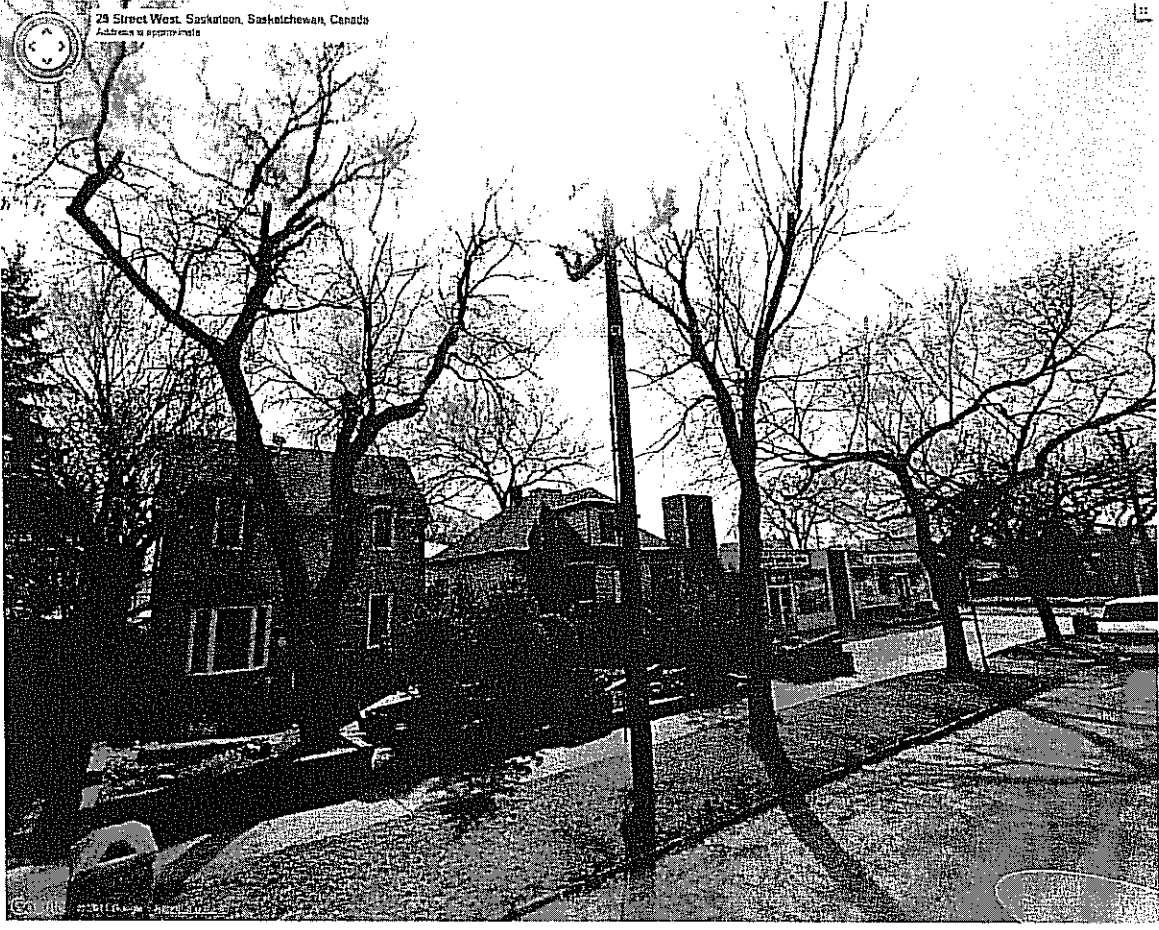
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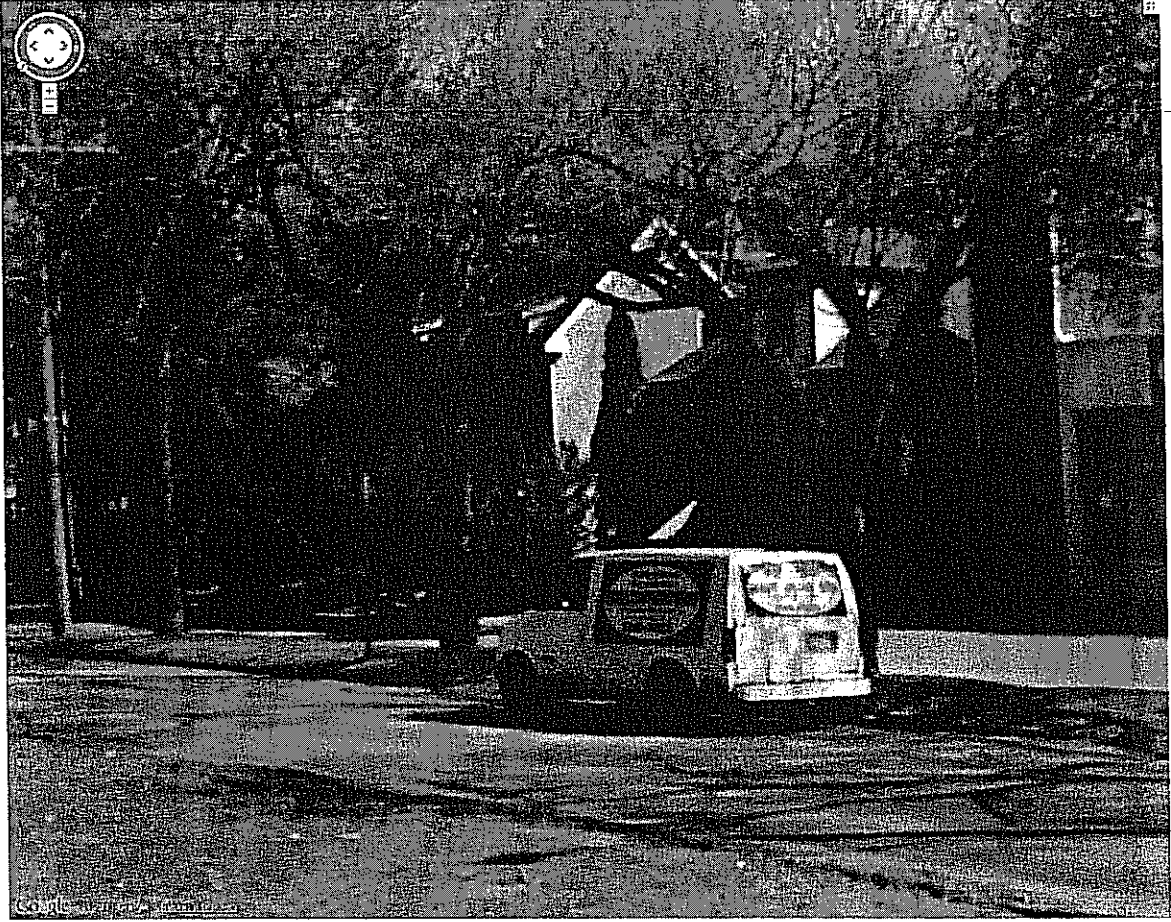


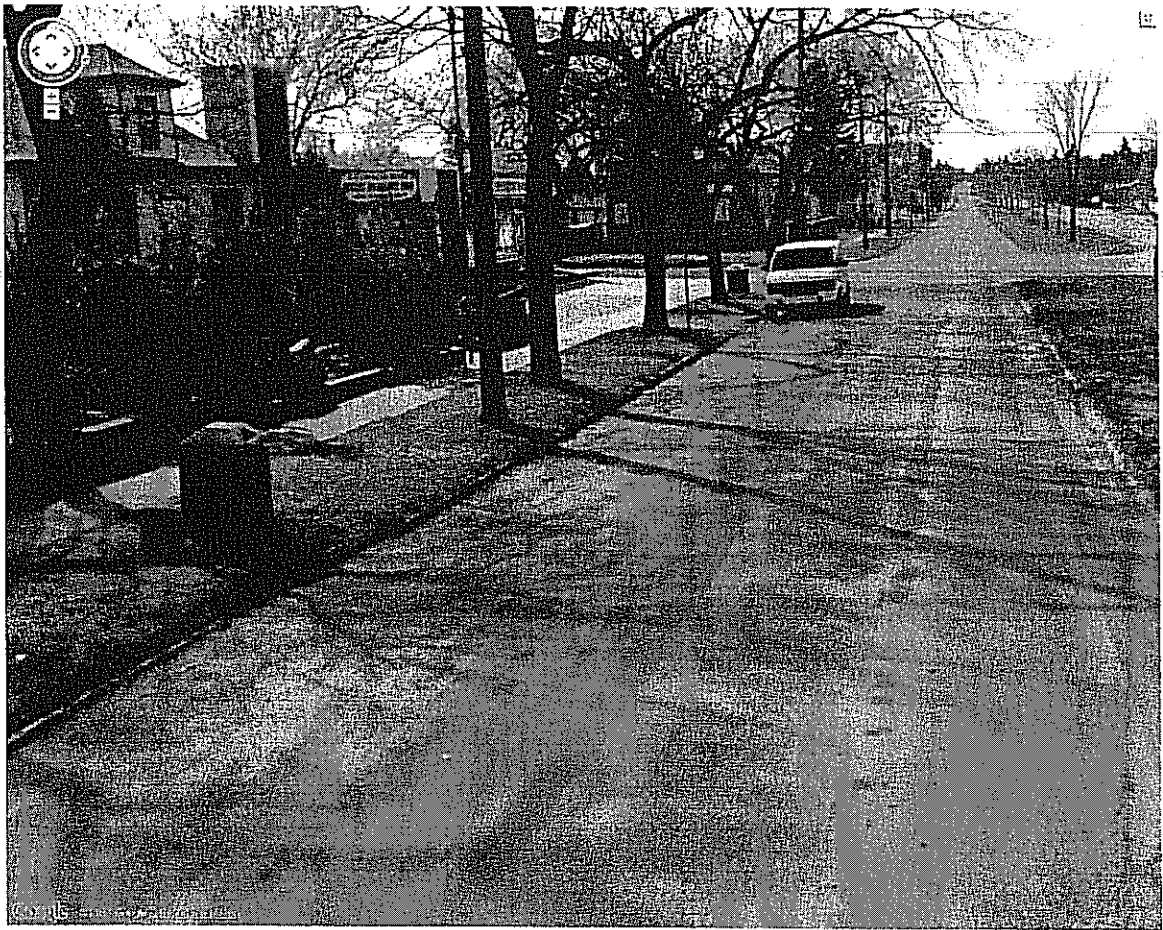


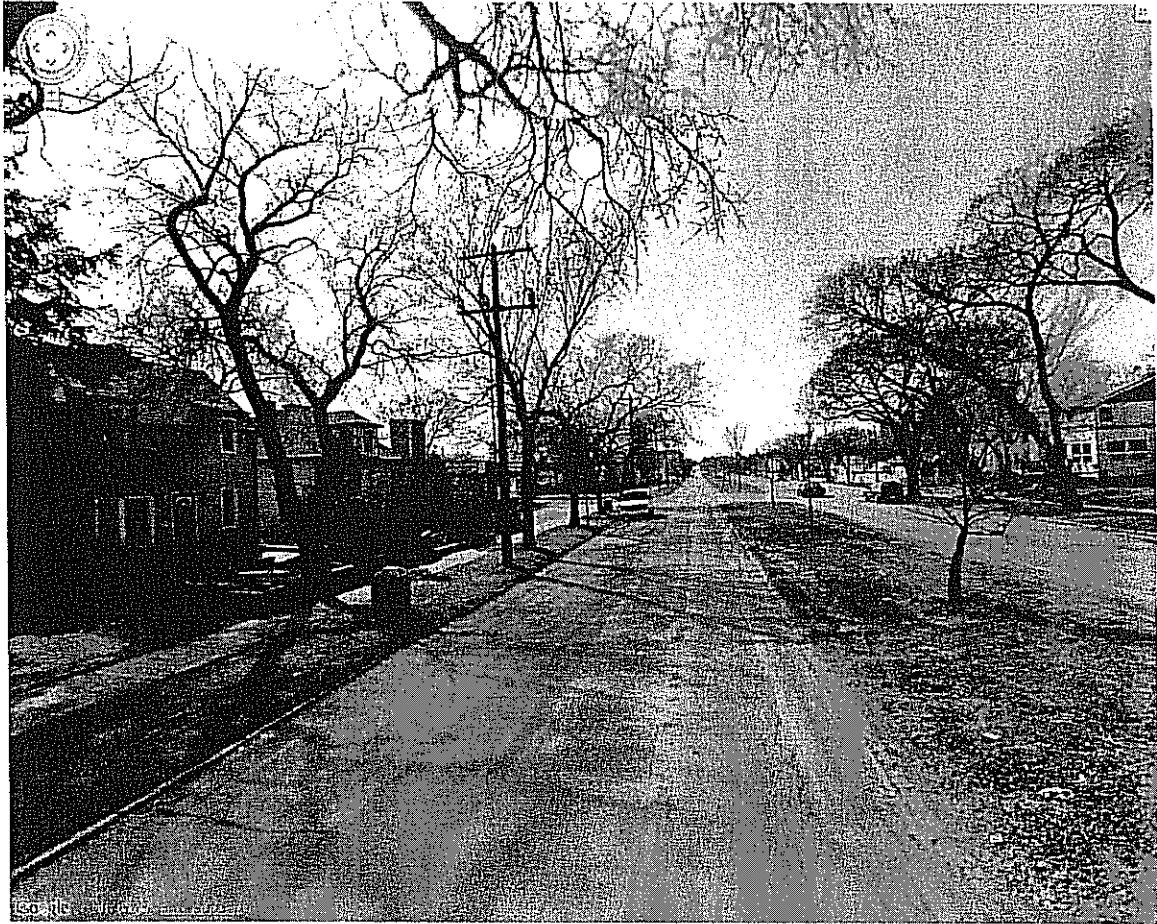














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THE PARTNERSHIP

Saskatoon Downtown Business Improvement District

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE  
SASKATOON

December 2, 2011

His Worship Mayor Atchison  
and Members of City Council  
City Clerk's Office  
222 Third Avenue North,  
Saskatoon, SK S7K 0J5

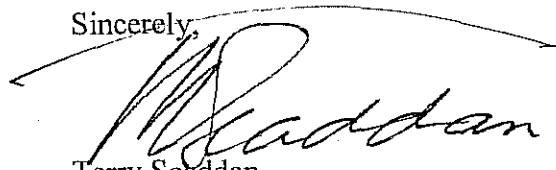
Dear Mayor Atchison and Members of City Council:

RE: **Administrative Report No. 22-2011**

*The Partnership Board of Management* at its meeting on Thursday, December 1, 2011 made the decision to support the use of funding as recommended in the **City of Saskatoon, Administrative Report No. 22-2011** for Community Support Officer's (CSO's), with the expectation that *The Partnership* has direct and ongoing involvement in the definition of roles and responsibilities of the CSO's.

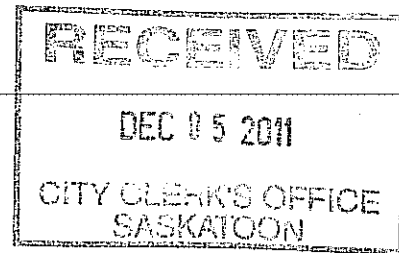
If you have any questions, or you would like to discuss this further, please do not hesitate to contact me directly by calling our office at 664-0709.

Sincerely,



Terry Scaddan  
Executive Director

TS/dlm



Friday, December 2, 2011

His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council  
c/o City Clerk's Office  
City Hall, Saskatoon, SK S7K 0J5

**RE: Request for BBID support of Panhandling Report & Recommendations, as submitted by the Panhandling Task Force**

Having canvassed our board regarding support for the Panhandling Report & Recommendations, the Broadway Business Improvement District Board is in support of the stated recommendations being further explored.

With the caveat of further consultation, the BBID looks forward to providing feedback throughout this phase of detail. Understanding the next step is for the Panhandling Task Force to outline Community Support Officer job descriptions, the BBID will appreciate the inclusion of details such as concrete and useful metrics, training, and parameters.

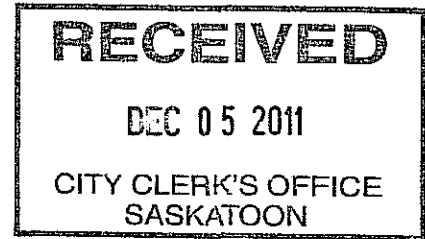
Thanks kindly for a longer time period to consider this decision more effectively.

Sarah Marchildon  
Executive Director, Broadway Business Improvement District

**Get the Goods... on Broadway.**



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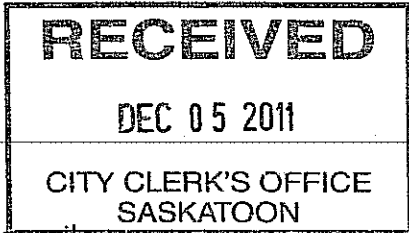
FROM:

Bonnie Heilman  
33 455 Pinehouse Drive  
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EMAIL ADDRESS:

COMMENTS:

I would like to learn more about the proposal for how to use parking meter profits to improve downtown, 20th, and Broadway. I'm concerned that the "panhandling patrol" will turn out to be one more way of sweeping these issues under the rug, further marginalizing the already marginalized people in our community. I would like to share ideas at city council for how a group of engaged citizens would like to take this issue on by partnering with the people that the patrol would be targeting to explore ways to to address the root causes of panhandling - homelessness, mental health, addictions - in a way that finds meaningful roles for the group that is being targeted. Community engagement applies to everyone! Even those with mental health and addictions issues!



4 December 2011

His Worship the Mayor and Members of City Council  
City of Saskatoon



Saskatoon  
Community Youth  
Arts Programming  
(SCYAP) Inc.

Your Worship, Respected Councillors,

**RE: Panhandlers in Downtown Saskatoon**

I am speaking for SCYAP, a charitable organization for at-risk youth that has been active in the city for over 10 years. Last week I met with representatives of the Quint Development Corporation and the Saskatoon Health Region's Mental Health and Addiction Services to discuss the issue of dealing with panhandlers in downtown Saskatoon.

First, I believe I can speak for the group in thanking the City's Community Development Department for addressing this issue and taking a multi-step approach to resolving it. As social service workers concerned about the welfare of the City's less fortunate citizens, we appreciate the effort to involve stakeholders and explore different models and methods for assisting these individuals. We also appreciate the City's commitment of \$500,000 to the solution.

We understand that there are two proposed models before Council, and we would like to have it registered that, in our common opinion, greater consideration must be given to the question before a selection is made.

The first model proposed, the Outreach Model, was outlined at a meeting of stakeholders facilitated by Elizabeth Miller of the City's Community Development Department. It has met with significant success in the City of Calgary. It involves hiring and training outreach workers who would approach panhandlers on the street, conduct informal interviews, determine what kind or kinds of assistance they might need, and put them directly in contact with the appropriate social service agency, whether a homeless shelter, detox centre or other organization.

The second proposed model, the Bylaw Officer Model, implies expanding the existing force of Bylaw Enforcement Officers, identifiable by their uniform, who would then engage in similar intervention.

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"Project paints future for at-risk youth" - (Saskatoon StarPhoenix)  
"Saskatoon is definitely benefiting." - (Keri Ferguson, Global News)

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**"Building our Youth and Beautifying our Community"**

To: The Mayor and City Council, City of Saskatoon

4 December, 2011

Regarding the Bylaw Officer model, our experience in dealing with socially marginalized individuals speaks against this method. For one thing, such officers are not usually selected for their human service abilities and might lack the required personal orientation. For another, the very fact that they wear a uniform and are visually identified with civic authority would be counter-productive, since it works against establishing rapport with individuals who are most often distrustful and easily alarmed.

Both models, especially the Outreach Model, assume the presence of an existing infrastructure of services and agencies that would be able to perform the necessary intake and deliver services immediately. This is an infrastructure that our city currently lacks.

The lack of adequate support in this area considerably reduces the potential effectiveness of the proposed models in the short and long term, and we fear that the City would not be making the best use of its investment of financial and human resources if a premature decision is made.

We therefore ask the Mayor and Council to assign more time to studying the situation. This would allow the Community Development Department and the stakeholders to ensure that an adequate base of support is in place and identify an appropriate cost-effective method, thus increasing the potential for success.

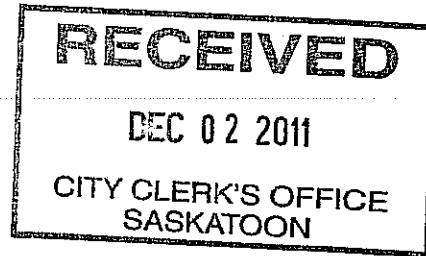
Yours sincerely,

Darrell Lechman  
Executive Director

cc Elizabeth Miller, Community Development, City of Saskatoon

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From: Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
Sent: December 02, 2011 12:39 PM  
To: City Council  
Subject: FW: bathrooms for skiers



-----Original Message-----

From: Kirstin Bett [<mailto:kbett@sasktel.net>]  
Sent: November 28, 2011 7:59 PM  
To: Atchison, Don (Mayor's Office)  
Subject: bathrooms for skiers

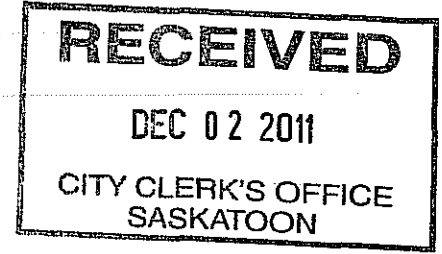
Dear Mr Mayor,  
This is Zoë Kindrachuk. I am 7 years old. I am a Jackrabbit skier. I love to ski in Kinsmen Park in the winter. I don't like having to run to the Mendel to go to the bathroom. I would like bathrooms in Kinsmen Park and somewhere warm to have hot chocolate after skiing! Please fund winter bathrooms and maintain them.

Yours truly,  
Zoë

1314 Elliott St.  
Saskatoon SK  
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**From:** Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
**Sent:** December 02, 2011 12:40 PM  
**To:** City Council  
**Subject:** FW: A Letter to the Mayor of Saskatoon



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**From:** [brucesimms2003@yahoo.ca](mailto:brucesimms2003@yahoo.ca) [<mailto:brucesimms2003@yahoo.ca>]  
**Sent:** November 29, 2011 2:30 PM  
**To:** Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
**Subject:** A Letter to the Mayor of Saskatoon

**First Name:** Bruce  
**Last Name:** Simms  
**Organization:** Saskatoon Nordic Ski Club  
**Address:** 202 Spruce Dr.  
**City:** Saskatoon  
**Province:** SK  
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**Phone:** 384-9375  
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**Comments:** Kinsmen Park is the only lit ski trail in the city. As such, it is essential for teaching and recreational skiing during our long winter. Most of our kids program is run during darkness!

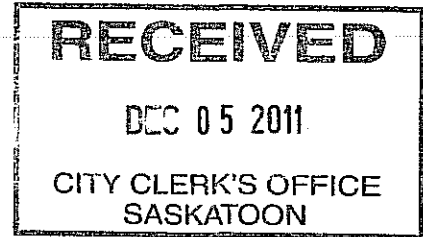
The facilities here are very marginal. There are no washrooms available during the winter, which is a real hardship for all ages.

The sport has grown rapidly in recent years. Our teaching programs were oversubscribed last season. Good mental and physical health during our long winters includes outdoor recreation and sport. Participants in our sport enjoy winter!

I urge the City to include the needs of cross country skiing in the re-development plans for Kinsmen Park.

Thank you, Bruce Simms

From: Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
Sent: December 05, 2011 9:33 AM  
To: City Council  
Subject: FW: A Letter to the Mayor of Saskatoon



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From: [cswall@sasktel.net](mailto:cswall@sasktel.net) [mailto:[cswall@sasktel.net](mailto:cswall@sasktel.net)]  
Sent: December 04, 2011 3:22 PM  
To: Web E-mail - Mayor's Office  
Subject: A Letter to the Mayor of Saskatoon

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Last Name: Wall  
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Postal Code: S7K 2Y8  
Phone: 306-978-4377  
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Email: [cswall@sasktel.net](mailto:cswall@sasktel.net)  
Comments: Your Honour,

We are active members of the ski club and parents of two small children, one of whom is in her third season of Ski bunnies. We love Kinsmen Park, as it is our neighbourhood park and we spend much of our outdoor time there.

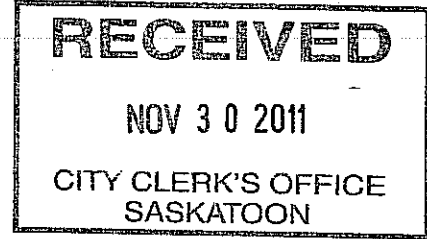
It is my request that the winterized washroom and teaching facility proposed in the Kinsmen Park and Area Master Plan be included in the 5-year or sooner plan, rather than much further down the road. The facility would greatly encourage families to remain outdoors and active even in cold winter months, and provide a haven for building a sense of community amongst neighbours and fellow skiers.

Thank-you for your time and consideration of this request.  
Sincerely,  
Susan Wall, City Park resident

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**Sent:** November 30, 2011 2:07 PM  
**To:** City Council  
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FROM:

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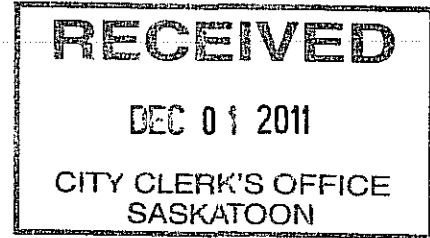
COMMENTS:

Mr. Alan Thomarar, CEO of the Saskatoon & Region Home Builders' Association would like to speak at the City Council Meeting on December 5 regarding the proposed increase to building permit fees.

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**From:** CityCouncilWebForm  
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FROM:

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COMMENTS:

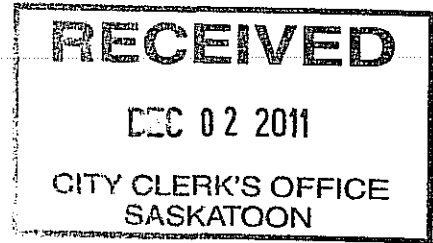
I can't believe I just heard that council is even considering shortening the time the paddling pools will be open. They are hardly open as it is. And for what? To save \$25,000. Basically a rounding error in the city's budget. To save this amount on the backs of toddlers. You should all be ashamed of yourselves. If you really have to save \$25,000 you should look at the compensation of the mayor and council. We are constantly being told how great we are doing, yet our infrastructure crumbles around us and now parents have to tell their kids they can't even go and play in the paddling pools. To top it all off everyone is complaining how fat the kids are. Maybe you should stop giving everyone a tax holiday and then some people can at least enjoy a holiday here since they can't afford to go anywhere.

Yeah, we are doing really good when we have to penalize our most vulnerable citizens.



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From: CityCouncilWebForm  
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To: City Council  
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TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

FROM:

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COMMENTS:

Dear Mayor Atchison and Members of City Council,

We are a group of grade four students from St. Marguerite Elementary School. In class, we read an article about closing and decreasing the hours for paddling pools and spray parks. While this may not affect our neighbourhood we want to make sure other neighbourhoods do not lose these privileges. This email is to tell you why we want you to keep open the paddling pools and spray parks.

These are the reasons why we want to keep the schedule for the paddling pools and spray parks the same. First, we want to keep the pools open on the weekend because weekends are our only family time. Second, it is a fun activity we can do with our family and friends. Third, it keeps us fit and active. Finally, when it's hot we like to go to paddling pools and spray parks.

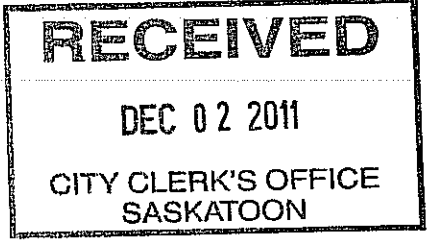
Please don't close or change the hours for the paddling pools and spray parks. We hope that you agree with us. Thank you for reading our email.

Best Regards,

Ms. Ritchie's Grade Four Class

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FROM:

Kim Fraser-Saddleback  
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[fraserk@siit.sk.ca](mailto:fraserk@siit.sk.ca)

COMMENTS:

Good Afternoon,  
I would like to speak at the City Council meeting on Monday, December 5, 2011, in support of the U-Pass Agreement between the City of Saskatoon and Saskatchewan Indian Institute of Technologies (File No. CK. 7312-1).

The proposed recommendation will assist students to access education by addressing the barrier to transportation that is experienced by many of our students who attend classes at learning sites in Saskatoon.

Regards,  
Kim Fraser-Saddleback  
VP, Student Services & Academics