

Krista Preston

From: Mark Sylvestre
Sent: Friday, April 9, 2021 10:08 AM
To: Laurie Shalley; Janine Daradich; Emmaline Hill
Cc: Emma Morris; Bradley Bellegarde; Wayne Gibson; Mike Powell; Brent Krahenbil; tgall@reginapolice.ca
Subject: Sir John A Macdonald Statue Removal

Hello,

As per Council approval the COR will be removing the statue from Victoria Park on Tuesday April 13th at 6:30 am. We have contracted Wilco to do the work and anticipate the removal will take between 1.5-2 hours. The statue will be lifted with a boom truck, the pins will be cut, and it will be laid on a flatbed truck and secured with ratchet straps and the appendages will be wrapped with gallery steri-foam by the public art collection curator. The statue will be moved to the Chrysler Building in the Parks Yard, 14(1)(m) until an appropriate location has been identified. Two Special Duty RPS officers will be on-site for the duration of the removal. Brad Bellegarde has confirmed 16(1)(b) that no ceremony will be required for removal of the statue.

Once the statue has been removed, City staff will secure the location with tape and pylons, and it will have a 3-inch layer of concrete poured over top of the plinth to ensure it is safe.

Media Lines will be ready for approval on Monday and updated Q's and A's will be ready for Council by Wednesday, Aril 14.

The budget is as follows:

WILCO removal: \$2,000.00
Facilities Site Repair: \$1,050.00
2 RPS Officers On-Site, 3 hours: \$840.00

Total: \$3,890.00

Thanks....Mark

Mark Sylvestre
Coordinator , Cultural Development
Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Department
(W) 306 535-2758
msylvest@regina.ca

