Como Regional Park Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes August 14, 2012

Visual Communications met with the committee to discuss the following items:

- Review of incoming traffic flow/patterns
- Review of key:"Gateway Entrance Points"
- Proposed 'pathfinder" sign locations
- Electronic parking signage systems

The notes from this discussion are attached.

Feedback was provided by committee members who visited the Putt'er There facility. Generally, the committee feels it is an asset that should remain in the park. There are recommendations (written surveys) for some improvements to the space, but most felt it was a good value at \$3-5/player and fits in with other park amenities.

As follow-up to the request that we discuss some sort of trail marking system to make it easier for EMS and Fire personnel to locate an ill or injured party in case of an emergency, committee member Randy Quale provided an example from Gwinnett County, GA. The committee is supportive, will encourage the signage and wayfinding vendor to include in plans and will work with SPPD as they develop their new CAD system.

Project updates were provided for Como Pool and Como Play Area.

Other: Polar bears are visiting from the flooded zoo in Duluth. Christina Morrison from the City's Department of Planning and Economic Development (who has taken the place of Jess Rosenfeld) will provide an update on Metro Transit at the September or October meeting.

Next meeting is scheduled for September 11 at 6:30.