Attachment #2





March 12, 2021

To: Chris Hodgson Branch Manager, Real Estate Finance & Corporate Services Department

Re: City owned buildings in the Edmonton Research Park

Thank you for reaching out to learn more about Innovate Edmonton's direction relative to the Edmonton Research Park properties that the City owns and manages.

At the moment, Innovate Edmonton is working to finalize our organization strategy and business plans. We hope to begin to map innovation activities occurring across Edmonton to inform our strategies and plans and intend to broadly support innovation across the City and across sectors.

With regard to the City owned buildings located in the Edmonton Research Park, I can confirm that Innovate Edmonton's envisioned priorities do not include the provision of building operations or property management activities for these specific properties at this time.

I hope that this information is helpful, and I appreciate your interest in Innovate Edmonton. Should you have further questions related to this matter, I may be contacted at cwarren@innovateedmonton.com.

Sincerely,

Catherine Warran

Catherine Warren Chief Executive Officer

