

POSA Synthetic Turf Workshop

NOVEMBER 10, 2011, CIVIC RECREATION COMPLEX, OSHAWA, ONTARIO



Continued Learning & Networking...

FOLLOWING UP ON LAST YEAR'S HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL professional development opportunity, this repeat workshop was offered under the leadership and co-ordination of the Parks and Open Space Alliance (POSA). More than 50 sports turf, facilities and parks professionals participated in sessions with leading industry speakers on the topic of synthetic turf. Our appreciation is extended to speakers Dru Chillingworth/City of Oshawa, Mario Pecchia/City of Toronto, Mark Nicholls/Turf Industry, UBU Sports, Gord Dol/Dol Turf Restoration Ltd., and Cliff Towers and Carmen Roberto/City of Mississauga. They, together with our exhibitors, presented a first-rate educational and networking experience for our delegates.

The City of Oshawa was a gracious host and we were among the first to experience the meeting room facilities at the newly renovated and expanded Civic Recreation Complex. The Complex received government infrastructure funding for the modernization and expansion of the facility. The project included:

- Replacing the Civic Auditorium Arena with an indoor multipurpose field house that has an international size artificial turf playing surface.
- A reconstructed parking lot.
- A new lit outdoor artificial turf playing field.
- Replacing the natural grass turf on Civic Fields Stadium field with an artificial turf playing surface.
- Replacing the existing running track with a higher quality rubberized track surface.
- Replacing the Stadium's field lighting, fencing, sound system and expanding parking.
- Upgrading the Stadium.

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