

Ed Robson Arena at Colorado College**Robson Arena Design / Planning
Community Meetings****REMINDER****Community Meeting #2:**

10:30 a.m. – 12 noon
Saturday, Feb. 16, 2019
Cornerstone Arts Center
825 N. Cascade Ave.

Workshop #2:

10:30 a.m. – 12 noon
Saturday, Mar. 2, 2019
Colorado College Tutt Library
1021 N. Cascade Ave.

Community Meeting #3:

late-March,
date/time yet to be determined

For updates and more information about the Robson Arena design and planning process and to receive email notices of the times/dates of future community meetings and workshops, send an email asking to be added to the project database to:

RobsonArenaDesign@coloradocollege.edu

Project Contact

For questions or to submit a comment, please send an email to:

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Project Schedule

- Activities on the site in 2019 include demolition, utility relocations, and other activities necessary to prepare the site for construction.
- Completion of schematic design: Spring 2019
- Selection of construction manager/general contractor (CMGC): Summer 2019
- Groundbreaking: Late 2019
- Projected opening: 2021

**Robson Arena and City for
Champions History**

The Colorado College campus arena, named for Edward J. Robson, a 1954 CC graduate and former member of the hockey team, is the multi-purpose indoor on-campus competition arena

**REMINDER****Robson Arena Community Meeting #2
Focus: Arena Building and Architecture**

Colorado College continues work on planning and design of a multi-purpose, best-in-class sustainable sporting event venue as the new home of the CC Tigers Hockey Team and a venue for City for Champions events.

10:30 a.m. – noon, Saturday, Feb. 16, 2019

Cornerstone Arts Center
825 N. Cascade Ave.

Information for those arriving to the meeting:**By Car:**

Parking is available behind the Cornerstone Arts Center as well as along the street.

[MEETING PARKING LOCATION MAP](#)

Additional parking lots include: Armstrong Hall, Southeast Tejon, Wooglin's, Central Services, 3D Arts, Dale Street and Numismatic (north side).

By Bike: Bike facilities are available. PikeRide bike share stations are at Tutt Library, Mathias Hall northeast of Tutt Library, and at the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center at Colorado College. [Colorado Springs Bike Map](#)

By Public Transit: Mountain Metro bus/transit stops along Nevada Ave. include: Nevada/Monument St; Nevada/Cache La Poudre St; and Uintah St/Nevada.

[Click here for a route planner](#)

Note: For ADA-specific accommodations call (719) 389-6607 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

**Summary of Workshop #1 - January 19**

Approximately 120 citizens attended Workshop #1 for the planning and design of Robson Arena on the Colorado College campus, one of the venues associated with the City for Champions initiative. [READ MORE](#)

that will also serve as a venue for City for Champions.

The City for Champions initiative also includes an outdoor stadium, in collaboration with the professional Colorado Springs Switchbacks Soccer Team, a member of the United Soccer League. The stadium is proposed for the south end of downtown Colorado Springs.

Sustainable Design

As with Colorado College's recently renovated Tutt Library, the largest academic library in the United States built to be carbon-neutral and using net-zero energy, the new arena will further CC's commitment to sustainable design.

Project Team

The college has contracted with the local land planning and urban design firm N.E.S, Inc. and its team of specialists to lead the planning process for the Robson Arena:

Consultant Project Manager:
Chris Lieber, *N.E.S., Inc.*

Public Engagement:
Lisa Bachman, *Bachman pr*

Architect:
Adam Davidson, *JLG Architects*

Architect:
Bob Binder, *DLR Group*

Traffic Engineer and Parking
Consultant:
Todd Frisbie, *Felsburg Holt & Ullevig*

Civil Engineer:
Kyle Campbell, *Classic Engineering*

Colorado College Liaisons:
Chris Coulter, Facilities Services
Zak Kroger, Student Life

The project team provided an overview of the project and the workshop exercise for the day. [CLICK HERE](#) to view documents from the Jan. 19 workshop.

- Workshop summary
- Presentation
- Forms
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Chris Lieber, N.E.S. Inc. explained the consultant team's role in the project is to capture the vision of Colorado College and the City of Colorado Springs, and to communicate and implement the best possible plan that works for the college, the city and the adjacent neighborhoods. He described the exercise scenario and gave attendees instructions for the workshop tasks, encouraging attendees to work together in the small groups to form their recommendations, taking into account all variables noted in the workshop handouts.



Public Engagement Process

To assist in the planning and design process for the Robson Arena, the college has engaged a multi-disciplinary team of architects, planners, civil and traffic engineers, public engagement facilitators, and landscape architects.

The public process will assure the team receives input and feedback from the community on topics such as traffic, parking, the fan experience, building specifics, season ticket program, and other important aspects of the arena's implementation. A series of community meetings and workshops will take place on Saturdays to enable maximum participation.

To sign up for notices of the public meetings, send an email to:

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