



**This evening, the Board of Trustees of the Over-the-Rhine Community Council supported the decision of President Maurice Wagoner to CANCEL the special meeting scheduled for Tuesday February 12,** which was called pursuant to the bylaws requirement of a seven day notice to members and in anticipation of a mutually satisfactory agreement which has not yet been reached.

The document sent Friday evening was not an agreement endorsed by the ad-hoc committee, but a copy of FCC's draft proposal. This draft rejected every recommendation made by our ad-hoc committee and Neighbors United (the association of Over-the-Rhine residents living in close proximity to the stadium) during negotiations, and if executed would have resulted in an agreement with insufficient assurances and protections for OTR Stakeholders.

As always, the board will continue to support efforts to reach an agreement between Over-the-Rhine stakeholders, including the Community Council, that will fulfill the goal of securing a meaningful and binding legal agreement between FCC, the Developer, and OTR Stakeholders, to address Quality of Life issues such as stadium design, construction impact, noise and light abatement, traffic and parking impact, and security during stadium construction and operation.