

## **Quotes: Winner of the Layton Ferry Terminal and Harbour Square Park Design Competition**

"All five design teams, comprising of some of the best design talent from Canada and the world presented excellent and compelling proposals that would transform the Ferry Terminal and surrounding area. The design from KPMB Architects + West 8 + Greenberg Consultants team offered a unique and unifying vision for revitalizing this important piece of Toronto's central waterfront."

#### John Campbell, President and CEO, Waterfront Toronto

"On behalf of City Council, I would like to congratulate KPMB Architects + West 8 + Greenberg Consultants on their winning design that will create a beautiful gateway to the Islands for residents and visitors. The transformation of the Jack Layton Ferry Terminal and Harbour Square Park will play an important role in the larger revitalization of the waterfront."

## Deputy Mayor Pam McConnell, City Councillor, Ward 28

"We were extremely pleased with the incredible level of engagement that the design competition garnered, involving the entire City in a dialogue about this critical waterfront asset."

#### Christopher Glaisek, Vice President, Planning and Design, Waterfront Toronto

"The Jury was impressed by the design balance achieved between a new heavily landscaped Civic Park, an elegant, iconic Ferry Terminal whose naturalistic form echoes the landscape topography and an overarching plan which makes strong connections to the emerging public realm of the waterfront."

Donald Schmitt, Chair, Design Competition Jury

"The Community Stakeholder Advisory Committee was especially delighted to be a part of this process. While many of us have been involved in other Waterfront Toronto projects, the Ferry Terminal and Harbour Square Park was the missing piece in the overall vision for the revitalization of the waterfront. We saw wonderful, imaginative and creative possibilities in the five design proposals and now we look forward with great anticipation to seeing KPMB Architects + West 8 + Greenberg Consultants winning design become a reality."

# Pam Mazza, Chair, Community Stakeholder Advisory Committee

"We are honoured to be chosen for the Jack Layton Ferry Terminal and Harbour Square Park project. The renewal of this key site at the foot of Yonge and Bay Streets is the missing link. It presents the chance to complete decades of work on making the Toronto waterfront truly inviting and accessible. By fusing the design of the new Ferry Terminal and Park into one special place on the waterfront, Harbour Landing speaks to what it means to be inviting and public in a rapidly evolving, highly diverse, open society that is expanding and celebrating its common ground."

Ken Greenberg, Principal, Greenberg Consultants Inc.