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**Restaurant Committee Study Session**

**Architect Test Fits**

**6-13-24**

**Members Present: Gwen Alexander, Bob Bankirer, Crystal Guise, Tom Merges, Vicki Spillane, Mike Thoma, and Robin O'Meara**

**Guest: Daniel Taylor**

**Tom Merges: One fit or two?**

**We agreed to contract for one test fit for $7,500, not to exceed $10,000.**

1. **Move the bar?**

**All but Vicki S. voted YES**

**Vickie - no, too much to move**

**Rationale: Increase revenue to access for outside customers**

**Re-design and renovate access to the current dining room, entry way for the golf course, pickle ball/tennis courts, a lounge area near the bar, etc.**

1. **Larger Kitchen - don’t move into the banquet room**

**OPTIONS**

* move the kitchen into the former bar area
* expand the kitchen into the alley on the wall where the prep table is

1. **Banquet Room - KEEP THAT SPACE**

* Optimize the seating in both the dining room and banquet rooms by using smaller tables
* Flooring is needed to promote safe dancing

1. **Grab and Go - inexpensive drinks/beverages**

* Cormac’s Office - put a window facing the outside

1. **Outdoor Space**

* Covered part of patio
* Add an additional stone column
* Sign - Rendezvous Bar and Grill
* Craftsman Style archway to lead folks to the restaurant
* Wrought iron fence guide rail

**6. New Dining Area**

* Keep in mind folks with mobility issues, difficulty getting in and out of booths
* Keep in mind folks that are vertically challenged
* Flexible Seating
* Furniture needs to be adjustable, movable, but stable and sturdy

**Other Notes and Comments:**

* Noise abatement solutions
* Lots of echoing due to the industrial look of the ceiling
* Paint color
* Flooring needs to be safe for all with sound proofing and dancing

**Décor**

* Craftsman Style, National Park lodge feel - timber and stone
* Wall hangings, decorations, plants, lighting, etc.
* Fit our theme of a gathering place -not too formal - “business casual” “Gap! “ LOL

Gwen will make a drawing of all ideas shared, especially Daniel’s idea - increasing the size of the kitchen by pushing into the alley and the grassy area at the end of the banquet room - bringing the outdoor freezer inside.