



MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER SCA CA BOARD MEETING

Date: October 18th, 2023,

Time: 7:00pm

Meeting called to order by: George Diwan – President of Board

IN ATTENDANCE

President – George Diwan

Treasurer – Geoff Kalyniuk

Director of Traffic & Development – Carrie Stewart

Vice President – Pascal Siewe

Ward 6 - Ralph Smith

REGRETS

Secretary, Community Engagement – Nina Rehill

Neighborhood Partnership Coordinator, Recreation, Sport & Community Partnerships - James Runge,

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

George Diwan called the meeting to order at 7:00pm, Agenda was reviewed for concurrence and additions. No further additions have been presented to the agenda. Minutes from the September board meeting was reviewed and approved. Motion was made by Carrie Stewart and Second by Pascal Siewe.

ITEM #1- EXPLORING COMMUNITIES – PROGRAM

The SCA CA has been selected as one of 4 communities to participate in the Exploring Communities Program. The program focuses on placemaking students to create a unique project through identifying demographics, needs and amenities unique to the community.

The group conducted a focus group in which was determined that safety, community engagements and beautification were the top 3 needs for the community as a whole. Items are to be presented in 3 options at the next meeting addressing the needs. A budgeted amount will be set between \$500-\$1000 for the award if successful and will be granted through the Federation of Calgary Communities.

ITEM #2 – CIRCULATION OF ANNOYMOUS LETTER

A letter has been circulated to tenants, programs, board members, and the City of Calgary representatives that have allegations of ethics breaches. President – George Diwan has put out a media statement understanding severity of the allegations and that a further investigation will be completed. It was decided that a 3rd party consultant will be engaged to complete a detailed report of fact finding. The motion was made by Pascal to proceed and was second by Geoff Kalyniuk. Updates will be made available once the report has been received.

ITEM #2 – BUDGET AND FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Geoff Kalyniuk shared the financial statements ahead of the meeting via email. CFEP and CCG Grants have been awarded and exposure analysis will be completed as CCG Grant is a reimbursement once projects are complete.

ITEM #3 –TRAFFIC & DEVELOPMENT

No updates currently from residents or community members.

ITEM #4 –COMMUNITY & WARD 6 REPORTS

Both the Neighborhood Partnership Coordinator Board Report and the Ward 6 Community Ward Report for October can be found at the end of these minutes.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:05PM

Next board meeting on November 15th, 2023, at 7:00pm

Next Gazette write up is due November 9th, 2023, for the month of December 2023.

SCA
Ward 6 Community Ward Report – October 2023
Councillor Richard Pootmans

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City of Calgary Info you should know

- Just a reminder about the Ward Community Event Fund. WCEF assists community associations or community-based groups hosting events. You can find more information here:
<https://www.calgary.ca/citycouncil/wardcommunityeventfund.html>
- Please submit your application to clward6@calgary.ca and ProgramsOOTC@calgary.ca

Ward 6 Office you should know

- On **Wednesday, October 4th, 2023** from **6:00-8:00 PM** I will be hosting our **Ward 6 Open House** at the Rundle College (7379 17 Avenue SW). The Ward 6 Office Staff and I have asked expert representatives from various City departments to be on hand to address any questions or concerns that you may have. City of Calgary attendees will include representatives from Mobility, Parks, Waste & Recycling, Transit, Neighbourhoods, the Calgary Police Service and many more. We look forward to seeing you there!
- Save the date Presidents! We will be holding our CA President Meeting in October 26 at 7:00 pm at Glamorgan CA Seminar Room 4207 41 Avenue S.W.
- Remembrance Day- Please join the Ward 6 office and the King's Own Calgary Regiment on Saturday, November 11, 2023, at 10:45 AM for our annual Remembrance Day ceremony at Battalion Park. Originally named Camp Sarcee in 1915, Battalion Park commemorates the soldiers who trained in Calgary for the trench warfare of World War I. Your attendance at this solemn ceremony is appreciated as we come together in a community moment of silence to reflect on the sacrifices made by the brave Canadian Armed Forces.

- Latest Ward 6 newsletter- <https://www.calgary.ca/council/ward-6/articles/September-2023-newsletter.html>
- Sign up for Ward 6 monthly newsletter here <https://cocooc.microsoftcrmportals.com/subscription/>
or view it on our website <https://www.calgary.ca/council/ward-6/wardarticles.html>
- If you have upcoming events, please provide them to us and we will promote in our monthly newsletter and social media platforms.

Ongoing Community Initiatives

Roads:

Alberta Transportation Announcement

UPCOMING: Bow Trail interchange and Stoney Trail traffic changes

In early October, eastbound and westbound Bow Trail will open to public traffic from 85 Street S.W. to 101 Street S.W. At the same time, Stoney Trail will open to traffic between Bow Trail and the Trans-Canada Highway.

In response the City has gone out to market with a proposal for the Sarcee and Bow Trail Functional Planning Study has gone out to market. The team is currently reviewing submissions from consultant companies and the preferred proponent will be selected by the end of this month or early October.

We do anticipate traffic volume changes when the Calgary West Ring Road opens to traffic. Specifically, Bow Trail SW currently handles a significant volume of traffic, and with the opening of the Calgary West Ring Road (CWRR), we do anticipate an increase in traffic volume in the future. For Sarcee Trail SW, we anticipate that traffic volumes will decrease in the future.

The Sarcee and Bow Trail Functional Planning Study will incorporate the above changing traffic patterns and demands. Specifically, the scope of work includes additional data collection once the CWRR opens. Multi-modal traffic data will be collected along several critical routes, including Bow Trail SW, Old Banff Coach Road, Sarcee Trail SW, 45 Street SW, 37 Street SW, and the intersection of Sarcee Trail/17 Avenue SW. If necessary, we will supplement this data with additional counts to ensure the accuracy of our analysis. Various traffic scenarios will also be analyzed using The City's EMME modeling platform to assess the impacts of the CWRR on the entire transportation network in the area. Finally, land use assumptions will be reviewed and updated to include planned developments not only in West Calgary but also in Rocky View County to ensure that our analysis reflects the evolving landscape.

For more information [WCRR Project Update](#)

Parks & Rec:

- **Griffith Woods Trail Closures**

Starting the first week of October, undesignated Griffith Woods Park trails adjacent to the boundary with Tsuut'ina Nation will be permanently closed and repaired. This is intended to encourage park users to stick to City of Calgary designated trails, as well as restoring natural areas that have been damaged by frequent use.

In recent months **Parks and Open Spaces** have been working closely with our neighbours at the Nation, who have observed an increase in trespassing onto Nation land. We continue to work closely with the Nation on their plans to install additional boundary fencing and signage in 2024.

A longer-term effort is also underway in Griffith Woods Park to audit, replace and add additional signage for all parks users.

The locations of the trail closures can be found on the following link: <https://www.calgary.ca/parks/griffith-woods-park.html?redirect=/griffithwoods>

- **Connect: Calgary's Parks Plan**

Oct 13, 2023 - Oct 26, 2023 | -

Status: Confirmed | **Audience:** Public

Location: Edworthy Park

Event type: Sounding Board

Business Unit: Calgary Parks

Project summary: Parks and Open Spaces wants to connect with Calgarians on a 20-year Parks Plan for the future development and management of the City's parks network.

Session details: A sounding board with information about the Connect: Calgary's Parks Plan and the second phase of engagement.

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[Visit Engage Page](#)

Transit:

You can view all the Transit Safety Snapshot weekly [Transit Public Safety \(calgary.ca\)](#).

Water, Waste & Recycling:

- Stage 1 Outdoor Water Restrictions have been declared citywide by The City of Calgary effective today, August 15, 2023, until further notice. For the most recent updates, watering schedule information and full outdoor water restriction details, visit calgary.ca/restrictions or call 311.

Development:

Community	Address	Applicant	Description	File Manager	File #	Project Name	Job #
ASPEN WOODS	1700 73 ST SW	MKL DESIGN STUDIO	New: Townhouses (14 Phases, 9 buildings)	JENNIFER I. MILLER	DP2022-08709	1700 at Aspen Estates	
ASPEN WOODS	1700 73 ST SW	MKL DESIGN STUDIO	Temporary Use: Residential Sales Centre (1 building)	JENNIFER I. MILLER	DP2023-05656		
ASPEN WOODS	45 ASPEN ACRES MR SW	THIRD ROCK GEOMATICS	Tentative Plan - Residential - Inner City - ASPEN WOODS - Section 16W Trocan Construction Management	MONIQUE PAHUD	SB2023-0306		
ASPEN WOODS	15 ASPEN SUMMIT DR SW	IBI GROUP	Changes to Site Plan: Sign - Class A, Multi-Residential Development, Assisted Living (retaining wall)	SHIMIN WU	DP2023-03878		
CHRISTIE PARK	5615 14 AV SW	ZOOM SURVEYS	Road Closure with Land Use Redesignation	MLADEN KUKIC	LOC2023-0210	Road Closure with Land Use Redesignation	
CHRISTIE PARK	55 CHRISTIE PT SW	SALEM, RONDA	Pre-Application for: Gate, Fence at parkade	QUADRI ADEBAYO	PE2023-01459	Gate, Fence at parkade	
STRATHCONA PARK	1010 STRATHCONA DR SW	SUNCOR ENERGY	New: Sign - Class C, Sign - Class B, Gas Bar, Drive Through, Convenience Food Store, Restaurant: Food Service Only	SARAH NIELSEN	DP2023-03354	Gas Bar Redev. + A&W Addition	

- Did you know that Planning and Development have a newsletter with all the updates you need to know. Subscribe here <https://calgary.us5.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=717a7bc01b3dda74bd2c04b44&id=8cf6717ac8>

Community Standards (Bylaw)/Calgary Police Service:

<https://mycalgary.com/crime-statistics/aspen-woods-crime-activity-update/>

<https://mycalgary.com/crime-statistics/christie-park-crime-activity-update/>

<https://mycalgary.com/crime-statistics/strathcona-crime-activity-update/>

311 Service Request Summary

ASPEN WOODS*Service Requests Created between Sep 1, 2023 and Sep 30, 2023*

Top 10 SR Types for ASPEN WOODS	SR Count	% of Total Community
Bus Route or Bus Schedule	20	10.6%
Cart Management	12	6.3%
Property Tax Account Inquiry	12	6.3%
TIPP Agreement Request	9	4.8%
Blue Cart	8	4.2%
Bus Stops	7	3.7%
Electrical-Bldgs Insp	6	3.2%
Streetlight Maintenance	6	3.2%
Traffic and Roadmarking Signs	6	3.2%
Debris on Street/Sidewalk/Boulevard	5	2.6%
Maintenance-Parks	5	2.6%
Total Top 10 SR Types	96	50.8%
Total Other SRs	93	49.2%
Total SRs for ASPEN WOODS	189	100%
Total SRs for Ward 6	2,594	
% of Total Ward 6	7%	

Top 10 Roads SR Types for ASPEN WOODS	SR Count	% of Total Community
Streetlight Maintenance	6	3.2%
Traffic and Roadmarking Signs	6	3.2%
Debris on Street/Sidewalk/Boulevard	5	2.6%
New Signal, Left Turn or Pedestrian Light Request	3	1.6%
Roadway Maintenance	2	1.1%
Traffic Signal Timing Inquiry	2	1.1%
Detour Inquiry	1	0.5%
Fence/Noise Barrier/Retaining Wall Repair	1	0.5%
Missing/Damaged Signs	1	0.5%
Pothole Maintenance	1	0.5%
Roads Permits Requests/Inquiries	1	0.5%
Speed Education	1	0.5%
Traffic or Pedestrian Light Repair	1	0.5%
Total Top 10 SR Types	31	16.4%
Total Other SRs	158	83.6%
Total SRs for ASPEN WOODS	189	100%
Total SRs for Ward 6	2,594	
% of Total Ward 6	7%	

CHRISTIE PARK*Service Requests Created between Sep 1, 2023 and Sep 30, 2023*

Top 10 SR Types for CHRISTIE PARK	SR Count	% of Total Community
Cart Management	7	14.0%
Encampment Concerns	5	10.0%
Dump/Encroach on City Property	3	6.0%
Traffic Signal Timing Inquiry	3	6.0%
Tree Concern	3	6.0%
Business Licence-Fire Insp	2	4.0%
Commercial or Multi-Family-Bldg Insp	2	4.0%
Heating & Ventilation-Bldgs Insp	2	4.0%
Property Tax Account Inquiry	2	4.0%
Spills Entering Storm System	2	4.0%
TIPP Agreement Request	2	4.0%
Total Top 10 SR Types	33	66.0%
Total Other SRs	17	34.0%
Total SRs for CHRISTIE PARK	50	100%
Total SRs for Ward 6	2,594	
% of Total Ward 6	2%	

Top 10 Roads SR Types for CHRISTIE PARK	SR Count	% of Total Community
Traffic Signal Timing Inquiry	3	6.0%
Fence/Noise Barrier/Retaining Wall Repair	1	2.0%
Roadway Maintenance	1	2.0%
Total Top 10 SR Types	5	10.0%
Total Other SRs	45	90.0%
Total SRs for CHRISTIE PARK	50	100%
Total SRs for Ward 6	2,594	
% of Total Ward 6	2%	

Top 10 SR Types for STRATHCONA PARK	SR Count	% of Total Community
Bus Route or Bus Schedule	18	12.4%
Cart Management	12	8.3%
Property Tax Account Inquiry	11	7.6%
Tree Concern	9	6.2%
Blue Cart	8	5.5%
Black Cart	6	4.1%
Traffic Signal Timing Inquiry	6	4.1%
Green Cart	5	3.4%
Streetlight Maintenance	5	3.4%
TIPP Agreement Request	5	3.4%
Total Top 10 SR Types	85	58.6%
Total Other SRs	60	41.4%
Total SRs for STRATHCONA PARK	145	100%
Total SRs for Ward 6	2,594	
% of Total Ward 6	6%	

Top 10 Roads SR Types for STRATHCONA PARK	SR Count	% of Total Community
Traffic Signal Timing Inquiry	6	4.1%
Streetlight Maintenance	5	3.4%
Sidewalk/Curb/Gutter Repair	4	2.8%
Fence/Noise Barrier/Retaining Wall Repair	3	2.1%
Boulevard Maintenance	2	1.4%
New Signal, Left Turn or Pedestrian Light Request	2	1.4%
Traffic and Roadmarking Signs	2	1.4%
Dead Animal Pick-Up	1	0.7%
Debris on Street/Sidewalk/Boulevard	1	0.7%
Roadway Maintenance	1	0.7%
Total Top 10 SR Types	27	18.6%
Total Other SRs	118	81.4%
Total SRs for STRATHCONA PARK	145	100%
Total SRs for Ward 6	2,594	
% of Total Ward 6	6%	

City Hall Information

Have you been curious how City Council members vote on certain items? Now you can view Council voting records [here](#). There are multiple filters on the left side where you can select one or more council member, as well as meeting type and keyword searches.

You can also view [Legislative Services \(calgary.ca\)](#) to see “how to get involved”, Council agendas, City bylaw library, Council records and much more.

City Council	<p data-bbox="683 109 1393 142">Home is Here- The Calgary Housing Strategy: My Thoughts</p> <p data-bbox="526 189 1552 382">After two days of public hearings and listening to the concerns of numerous Calgarians at the Community Development Committee, and then discussing the issues with my Council colleagues, I voted to support the Home is Here -The Calgary Housing Strategy. Knowing that some of you agree with my decision, and some of you don't, I would like to clarify why I chose to vote as I did.</p> <p data-bbox="526 428 1552 705">Council heard compelling reasons from many residents why the task force's recommendations were the right action for moving forward on the housing crisis in Calgary. I feel this comprehensive plan is crucial for addressing housing related challenges in our city and improving the quality of life for residents. I put forward an amendment to the Strategy recommendations which passed unanimously. It will commit to infrastructure upgrades, services and amenities related to increased housing opportunities by:</p> <ol data-bbox="574 751 1552 1398" style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Using existing tracking systems to identify which communities city-wide are receiving applications for land use change, development permits, and building permits to facilitate more housing; 2. Using the data from the tracking systems to understand the additional funding needed for these communities to have appropriate infrastructure, services and amenities to accommodate housing and population growth; 3. Seeking opportunities to equitably share the costs and benefits of housing-enabling infrastructure, services and amenities amongst impacted groups, including the public, the private sector, and the Provincial and Federal governments; and 4. Building upon Council approved investments in the amount of \$259 million made through the Citywide Growth Strategy, leverage the standing item on budget at Executive Committee to provide projected investment amounts reflective of anticipated acceleration of housing development and population growth, facilitating the need to deliver infrastructure, services, and amenities in growing communities. <p data-bbox="526 1444 1552 1600">We have all seen the statistics on why the situation that many Calgarians are facing is unacceptable, and why the City must move quickly to provide safe, stable, and affordable housing options for all Calgary residents. They are compelling reasons, as you can see below:</p> <ul data-bbox="574 1646 1552 1957" style="list-style-type: none"> • One in five households are unable to afford their current living situation, and 75 per cent of households are unable to purchase a single-family home. • Calgary housing rental rose as high as 28% from February 2022 to 2023, which is the highest in all Canadian cities. • 5,500+ households are on the Calgary Housing Company Waitlist as of September 2023. • The total number of people experiencing homelessness in 2022 in Calgary was 2,782.

- Calgary’s population has grown by over 42,160 since April 2022. This means we require the construction of more than 138,000 additional housing units, with an additional 110,000 units expected to be needed by 2027.

As an elected official, and seeing these alarming numbers, I feel it is prudent that we provide solutions for Calgarians by acting now. I understand that change is challenging for many people, but it is inevitable that our communities will change. Many of our established communities have experienced population declines from their peaks. The Strategy will encourage renewed growth in neighbourhoods experiencing declines.

Council has ongoing conversations on how we diversify our economy and attract talent to our City. The key to attract labour and increase capital is to prioritize varied affordable development. As a municipality we cannot solely rely on taxpayer money for financing, but must turn to higher orders of government for funding to help us in this time of need. The City applied for the Federal Housing Accelerator Fund. Federal Minister of Housing, Infrastructure and Communities Sean Fraser sent a letter to the City with his conditions on our application. He stated, “in order to receive a positive decision from me on your application – you must end exclusionary zoning in your city”. Granted this is a radical departure from what many of us are familiar with, I could not in good conscience allow funding that will help accelerate development construction to slip through our fingers.

I have heard concerns from the Ward 6 communities which are under the Westbrook Local Area Plan and I want to address what the implementation of R-CG would look like, including the timeline.

If Council moves forward with the proposed action to proceed with a base zoning district of R-CG, the following steps would be taken by Administration, commencing this fall, toward consideration of a city-wide land use bylaw change:

- Preparation: mapping the land parcels subject to change; preparation of notifications; and communication.
- Notification: Affected landowner mail-out; plain language communication and legal letters; broad public communication on how to participate in public hearing, and advertising.
- Recommendation: Administration prepares recommendation and report to Council considering public input during the Notification stage.
- Public Hearing of Council: The public can make their views known to Council, and Council makes the final decision.
 - Timeline: Administration can complete this work by Q2 2024

Several Actions that may impact the Local Area Plans, such as Actions 1.C.1, 1.C.6, and 1.C.7, will require additional approvals at Public Hearing of Council. These Actions could result in future amendments to the Westbrook Communities LAP, as well as other local area plans. These actions relate to enabling more non-market housing across the city as well as implementing the Residential – Ground Oriented (R-CG) district, which permits R-1 and semi-detached housing as well as row houses as the base residential district across Calgary, and Housing-Ground Oriented (H-GO) district in specific locations. Any policy amendments to implement these actions in the Westbrook

<p>Audit (Chair)</p>	<p>Communities LAP would be brought forth for Council’s consideration later following legislated requirements around public notification.</p> <p>Regarding the lifting of minimum residential parking restrictions, Administration’s recommendation is to focus on the desired outcome of the recommendation, which is to ensure that parking minimums do not negatively impact affordability. Administration wants to evaluate the best approach to achieve this goal; it may look different depending on the location and land use district, including for R-CG. We expect the new Land Use Bylaw to come for Council’s consideration by the end of 2024.</p> <p>I want to thank all Calgarians who engaged in the public engagement process and who provided compelling and thoughtful comments, whether they spoke in Council, sent emails, or called my office. The amount of input surpassed my expectations. To all the members of the taskforce and Administration who tirelessly worked on the Home is Here - The Calgary Housing Strategy, your hard work is truly appreciated. Lastly, thank you to my Council Colleagues for a robust discussion and ultimate approval of the strategy. I look forward to helping make Calgary a better place to live.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report at this time.
<p>Executive Committee</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report at this time
<p>Community Development Committee</p> <p>Emergency Management Committee</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report at this time • Nothing to report at this time.
<p>Nominations Committee</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report at this time.
<p>Intergovernmental Affairs Committee</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report at this time.
<p>Inter-Municipal Committee- Rocky View</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nothing to report at this time.
<p>Councillor Pootmans- Boards, Commissions and Committees 2023</p>	
<p>AUDIT COMMITTEE (CHAIR)</p> <p>EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE</p> <p>COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE</p> <p>EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE</p> <p>NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE</p> <p>INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE</p> <p>INTER-MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE- ROCKY VIEW</p>	

Strathcona Christie Aspen Community Association
Neighbourhood Partnership Coordinator Board Report
 October 2023

PRIORITY ITEMS	
Organizational Development	
Board Orientation Reschedule	When would be the best time for a Board Orientation session?
Financial Management	
Grants	
Community-Run Public Art Microgrant DEADLINE: NOV. 3, 2023 AMOUNT: Up to \$10,000 to support eligible projects. Total funding available for this program is \$300,000.	<p>This opportunity is open to community-run organizations, including informal groups that define themselves in terms of distinct communities, neighbourhood associations and non-profit organizations or charitable organizations.</p> <p>Community-run organizations in Calgary are invited to apply for funding to hire local artists and create public art in their neighbourhoods. Communities are required to team up with local artists at any level of experience to explore any form of public art in any part of the city.</p> <p><u>Guidelines</u> September 11, 2023: Full guidelines published September 25, 2023: Applications open November 3, 2023: Application deadline (no applications accepted after 4:30pm MT) Mid to Late November 2023: Evaluation of applications Early December 2023: Notification of results</p>
Centralized Climate Fund Amount: Unknown Contact Info: climate@calgary.ca Grant Website: Centralized Climate Fund (calgary.ca) Due Date: The application period for the 2023-2026 Centralized Climate Fund (CCF) is September 13 to November 13, 2023. Eligible projects MUST apply during this period to be considered for funding for the next three years (2024, 2025 and 2026). If funds are remaining following the initial intake period, intake for future years funding will be re-opened in each subsequent year during the same timeframe.	<p>Applicable To: Civic Partners A Civic Partner is an independent organization that has either been created by The City or with whom The City partners:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to deliver a Council-approved strategy or mandate through an operating grant or other form of investment over \$500,000; or • to deliver programs and services, operate major City-owned facilities or steward land, artifacts or other assets through the management or use of a Regional Recreation Centre, a nominal lease, or an operating or capital grant over \$500,000 <p>Open House: Thursday, September 28 at 11:00 a.m. There's a link on the website to download a calendar reminder.</p> <p>Eligible Projects: The CCF provides additional funding to City-owned and Civic Partner new and retrofit infrastructure projects, including natural infrastructure, to integrate GHG reduction and climate risk reduction into capital projects. This funding opportunity prioritizes the implementation of on-the-ground projects, including piloting innovative technologies and solutions, and improvements to existing or baseline conditions in capital assets that also advance climate actions (i.e. renewable energy and low carbon technologies, climate resilient affordable housing, district energy decarbonization) and enhance community climate resilience (i.e., climate resilient natural infrastructure, flood reduction projects, and climate adaptive restoration programs).</p>

	<p>The following criteria must be met to be eligible for CCF funding:</p> <p>Projects must result in improvements to capital assets which are owned, managed, or a majority owned by the City of Calgary or a Civic Partner.</p> <p>Funding requests must demonstrate a clear connection with one or more of the following streams:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low Carbon Built Infrastructure • Climate Resilient Built Infrastructure
<p>Federated Co-op Community Investment Fund</p> <p>Amount: Unknown</p> <p>Website: Community Investment Fund (fcl.crs)</p> <p>Contact info: employeeegiving@fcl.crs</p> <p>Grant deadlines: December 31</p>	<p>Eligible projects: FCL's Community Investment Fund supports community programs and organizations that matter to our employees.</p> <p>Projects ineligible for funding include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Religious or politically affiliated organizations • Sports-related events (e.g., golf tournaments) • Marketing sponsorship requests • Projects located outside of Calgary, Edmonton, Regina, Saskatoon, and Winnipeg • Capital funding requests (see <u>Co-op Community Spaces Program</u>) • Third party fundraising requests <p>Eligible groups: To apply for funding, projects must meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be a registered non-profit or charitable organization - Support charitable programs and initiatives that are making an impact in the communities of Calgary, Edmonton, Regina, Saskatoon, and Winnipeg
<p>Calgary Flames Foundation – Community Grant</p> <p>Grant Website: Community Grant Program - Calgary Flames Foundation</p> <p>Contact Info: customerservice@calgaryflames.com</p> <p>Due Date: October 30, 2023</p>	<p>Please Note: Please consult the eligibility requirements or contact a member of the Foundation staff to discuss eligibility.</p> <p>Amount: Variable with the scope and scale of the project or program</p> <p>Eligible Groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRA registered charities <p>Eligible Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Projects must fall under the three main pillars of health and wellness, education, and grassroots sports with an emphasis on youth. <p>Priority will be given to applications that are using sport, movement, activity and play to benefit the lives of the population the charity works with</p>
<p>ATB Sponsorships and Community Investment</p> <p>Website: Sponsorship Criteria & Guidelines ATB Financial</p> <p>Contact Info: 1-800-332-8383</p>	<p>Sponsorship or Donation: Donations are financial contributions to a charitable organization based on the benefit to the community, and without expectation of a return on investment.</p> <p>Sponsorships are strategic partnerships negotiated with an event or organization that returns specific and measurable value back to ATB's business and brand,</p> <p>Eligibility Criteria:</p>

<p>Grant Deadline: 90 days or three months before the start of the event or initiative</p>	<p>To be eligible for a sponsorship from ATB, events, initiatives, or organizations must meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applications must be submitted a minimum of 90 days or three months before the start of the event or initiative. • Applications must clearly connect to one of our focus areas (Arts & Culture, Community & Social Development, Sports & Wellness, and Business Markets). • Applications must clearly benefit Albertans and Alberta's communities. • Events and organizations must be able to communicate results and impact from funding. • Applications must demonstrate an event, initiative or organization's commitment to inclusion, diversity, and equitable representation for all Albertans. • Applications must demonstrate an event, initiative, or organization's commitment to providing safe, secure and respectful event environments for all Albertans. <p>Eligible Events/Projects:</p> <p>Do you support a culture of belonging?</p> <p>ATB recognizes the value in our diversity and is committed to raising the level of inclusion, diversity, and equity in our communities to be representative of all Albertans. We're interested in understanding how your event, initiative or organization is committed to uplifting and making belonging possible for all Albertans. Here are some of the questions you will be asked in your application:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you are requesting funding for an event, have you considered making it accessible for Albertans with physical disabilities or socioeconomic barriers? • Please indicate if the makeup of your vendors, speakers and/or venue selection includes members of historically underrepresented groups such as women, Black persons, Indigenous people, People of colour, persons with disabilities 2SLGBTQIA+ and gender diverse individuals. • Does your organization prioritize the needs of historically underserved communities? For example, rural communities, communities with disabilities, racialized Albertans (People of Colour), etc. • Does your organization keep up with knowledge on diversity, equity and inclusion? <p>Do you support safer spaces?</p> <p>ATB recognizes that not all places can be safe 100% of the time for 100% of the people., However, we remain committed to ensuring Albertans feel safe, secure, and respected in our sponsored event environments, whether they are participating as spectators, volunteers, vendors, or organizers. We're interested in understanding how your event, initiative or organization is committed to uplifting and making safety possible for all Albertans. Should your event or organization be considered for an ATB sponsorship, here are the questions you will be asked.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does your event or organization have a code of conduct? • How will people participating in your event or initiative be kept safer?
<p>Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant</p>	<p>Calgary Neighbourhoods is pleased to announce the opening of the Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant (ING) for 2022. Developed out of the This Is My</p>

<p><u>Purpose</u> The Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant supports community-led projects and initiatives.</p> <p>Application portal NOW OPEN</p> <p>Grant Website: Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant (calgary.ca)</p> <p>NOTE: Connect with your NPC to discuss project eligibility before submitting an application.</p>	<p>Neighbourhood (TIMN) program, ING is a matching grant, intended to support communities in creating a city of safe and inspiring neighbourhoods.</p> <p><u>Objectives</u> The Inspiring Neighbourhoods Grant aims to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support communities in becoming more socially cohesive with safe, inclusive spaces and programs that respond to residents' needs • Help residents feel an increased sense of belonging and contribute meaningfully to their neighbourhood • Develop community groups that are resilient and working towards achieving greater sustainability <p><u>Funding Streams</u> The grant supports projects under the following five streams. Amounts granted must be matched by the community association applicant:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Beautification and Placemaking</td><td>Maximum funding \$12,000</td></tr> <tr> <td>Communication and Engagement</td><td>Maximum funding \$10,000</td></tr> <tr> <td>Community Education and Safety</td><td>Maximum funding \$5,000</td></tr> <tr> <td>Social and Recreation Programs</td><td>Maximum funding \$2,500</td></tr> <tr> <td>Technology</td><td>Maximum funding \$5,000</td></tr> </table>	Beautification and Placemaking	Maximum funding \$12,000	Communication and Engagement	Maximum funding \$10,000	Community Education and Safety	Maximum funding \$5,000	Social and Recreation Programs	Maximum funding \$2,500	Technology	Maximum funding \$5,000
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<p>Calgary Park's Development Plan – Engagement</p> <p>Virtual Workshop: Thursday, November 9, from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm via Microsoft Teams. Click this link to register</p>	<p>We invite you to join us at the following workshop to provide this feedback as we work towards developing a Parks Plan that will allow us to deliver inclusive and sustainable parks for Calgarians, now and for the future.</p> <p>If you are unable to attend this workshop, you can find more information and leave your feedback at our webpage: Connect: Calgary's Parks Plan Engage.</p>										
<p>Energy Poverty Engagement Recruitment</p> <p>NOTE: We are offering payment for participants time, food, childcare and transportation. Join the conversation. Contact Brittany.Tran@calgary.ca</p>	<p>The City of Calgary wants to learn from community members' lived experiences and challenges with heating and powering their home –and paying the bills – to keep their home comfortable, safe, and healthy. The city is starting the conversation through a community advisory committee and four focus groups to gain an understanding of solutions that will help people with their home energy costs and comfort.</p> <p>The members for the advisory committee and focus groups will go through an application screening that takes about 10 minutes over the phone. We will ask some demographic questions to ensure we are getting a range of perspectives and can determine which group is the best fit for each person. The first meetings are anticipated to start in early November.</p>										
Public Relations											
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<p>Federation of Calgary Communities Workshops</p> <p>To register and view all online/virtual workshops and sessions visit: calgarycommunities.com/our-events/</p>	<p>Bylaws, Policies & Procedures Nov. 7, 7-9 p.m. I'm the New Treasurer: Now What? Nov. 8, 7-9 p.m. Bylaws, Policies and Procedures (Short Version) Nov. 9, 12-1 p.m. Drop-In Wednesdays: Community Connect Nov. 15, 12 – 1 p.m. Toole Peet Action Grants (In Person) Nov. 15, 7-9 p.m. Communal, Grow membership, Revenue and volunteers Nov. 18, 12-1 p.m. PIP- Transportation Planning Nov. 18, 9 a.m.-12 p.m.</p>										

	Letter Writing & Public Hearing Nov. 23, 12 – 1 p.m. Hall Rentals: Generating rentals, Best Practice, Risk Nov. 28, 12:30-3:00 p.m. Demystifying Financial Statements Nov. 29, 7 – 9 p.m.
Government of Alberta – Community Development – Workshops & Trainings Contact: communitydevelopment@gov.ab.ca or call 310-0000 then dial 780-963-2281.	Organizational Purpose & Planning – Oct 25, 1:30pm Financial Responsibilities – Nov 1, 1:30pm Risk Management Webinar – Nov 8, 1:30 p.m. Committees and Meetings Webinar – Nov 15, 1:30 p.m. Building Strong Teams & Effective Relationships – Nov 22, 1:30 p.m. Grant Writing 101 – Nov 28, 1:30 p.m. For more information or to register visit: Government of Alberta - Community Development Unit Events Eventbrite

Did You Know...? (ex., City-wide Events & External Opportunities, etc.)

Check out these important updates from The City of Calgary:

Celebrate Geography Awareness Week through Maps of Calgary

Start exploring the City of Calgary Map Gallery during Geography Awareness Week. From history to real-time updates, discover the richness of our communities at mapgallery.calgary.ca.

Ground breaks on the first Green Line LRT Public Garden – George Moss Redevelopment

The [redevelopment](#) of George Moss Park is partnering with the Green Line LRT and the Youth Centres of Calgary (YCC) to create a gathering space for the community of Ogden to safely enjoy.

Partners in Planning

The Partners in Planning program (PIP) is a free, award-winning certificate program offered by the Federation of Calgary Communities in partnership with The City of Calgary. Learn more at calgarycommunities.com/partners-in-planning.

Winter is coming!

Are you ready for winter weather? Prepare for winter storms this year. [Learn the risks](#) ahead of time.

Keeping youth safe during Green Line construction

[Green Line](#) is working with local schools to keep children safe and educated during construction in their communities through school information presentations and engaging signage.

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