

### Edmonton

# **NRC Updates**

- Licensing for family fun day is nearly complete, facility passes for giveaway provided.
- Future meeting guests: Community Building Social Worker.
- NRC will be away on vacation February 29-March 9, 2020.

### **Contact Info**

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## **GRANTS & FUNDING**

#### **Community League Operating Grant**

The deadline to apply for the 2020 Community League Operating Grant is April 30, 2020.

### **Scotts Gro for Good Grant**

*Gro for good* grants are valued at \$2500 (cash plus in-kind product donation) and will be awarded to selected projects across Canada based on community impact, youth involvement and sustainability. The applicants will need to demonstrate one or more of the following benefits to the community: addressing health & wellness needs, enhancing the environment &/or engaging with youth. **Apply by February 28.** 

### **CITY EVENTS & UPDATES**

Family Day Events throughout the City

#### **<u>311 Hours of Operations Change</u>**

**Effective February 2, 2020** the hours of 311 are being reduced from 24 to 12 hours a day. The new hours are from 7am to 7pm, seven days a week (closed on statutory holidays).

The changes to 311 hours are an effort by Council to deal with reduced revenues and to keep tax increases down for citizens. The compressed schedule will result in a slight increase in wait times.

Support for essential public safety and urgent bylaw calls will continue to be available after hours. Examples include; down trees, manhole cover off on arterial road, sinkholes, dog attack, parking related concerns, etc.

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### Come out and Play - New Play Streets Video Launched

Neighbourhood Services and Child Friendly Edmonton is excited to release a new <u>video</u> to raise awareness and promote the Play Streets initiative, building upon the launch of their <u>Neighbourhood Play</u> <u>Street: A How-To Guide</u> in 2019. <u>Read More.</u>

# **PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT**

Call for Story Contributors about Edmonton's History or Cultural Heritage: Read more.

Assessment Customer Satisfaction Survey 2020: The City of Edmonton's property assessment team strives to deliver timely, accurate & understandable assessment services. As part of that ongoing commitment, we ask property owners to take about five minutes of your time to provide your thoughts & opinions on the services and information you receive about property assessment. Open til March 17.

<u>Online Recreation Comment Cards</u>: Did you recently visit a City of Edmonton Recreation Centre or City attraction? We'd like to hear about your experience. These online comment forms provide a convenient way for our visitors to submit feedback online and/or your mobile device. Your comments help us improve by telling us what you loved and what you'd like to see changed. If you prefer paper comment forms, they're still available at the facilities' admissions desk. Thank you for taking the time to provide feedback.

### Join a City of Edmonton Advisory Board

- SafeCityYEG (until Mar 1)
- Property assessments (until Mar 15)
- Safe snow/ice travels (until Mar 31)
- Sidewalk clearing (until Mar 31)

# **CITY RUN PROJECTS & PLANS**

Visit the above link to learn more about City run projects and plans. Included are updates on Blatchford, The Yellowhead Trail Freeway Conversion, Queen Elizabeth II Planetarium Restoration, and Groat Road Bridges and Road Renewal Project, among others.

# **BUILDING EDMONTON**

This <u>web-based guide</u> was developed to help inform residents and businesses about planned infrastructure projects across the city. It is a snapshot of current major infrastructure projects in concept, design or being built by the City.

# RESOURCES

- <u>Events on Parkland- General Information</u>
- Parkland Event Application
- Event Equipment Loaning
- <u>Approved Vendors</u>
- Grants & Funding