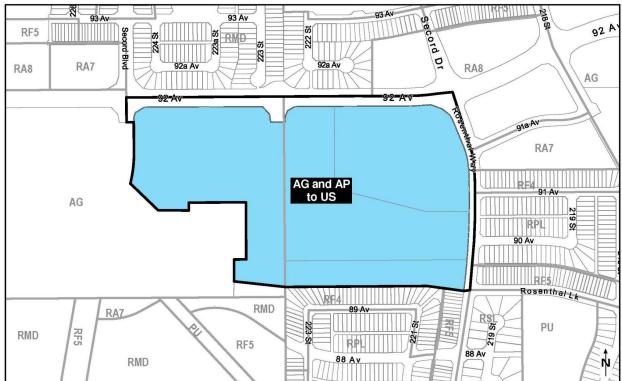


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To allow for the future development of the Lewis Farms Recreation Facility and District Park.



**Recommendation:** That Charter Bylaw 19748 to amend the Zoning Bylaw from (AG) Agricultural Zone and (AP) Public Parks Zone to (US) Urban Services Zone be APPROVED.

Administration is in **SUPPORT** of this application because the proposed rezoning will:

- facilitate the future development of the Lewis Farms Recreation Facility and District Park;
- conforms to the Rosenthal NSP; and
- is compatible with surrounding planned development.

## **Report Summary**

This land development application made by Civic Property Services, City of Edmonton, was accepted on February 24, 2021. The proposed rezoning is to change the designation of four parcels of land from (AG) Agricultural Zone and (AP) Public Parks Zone to (US) Urban Services Zone to allow for the future development of the Lewis Farms Recreation Facility and District Park. Consolidation of the parcels will follow upon removal of the Municipal Reserve designation from Lot 66MR, Block 14, Plan 2020718, the Resolution for which accompanies Charter Bylaw 19748.

This proposal is in alignment with the City Plan (MDP) to support the direction and intention for providing opportunities for active living and gathering spaces for culture, sports, recreation and entertainment opportunities to support both formal and informal uses.

The proposed rezoning is in conformance with the Rosenthal Neighbourhood Structure Plan (NSP) which identifies the rezoning area as "Park / School" and "Separate High School / Recreation Centre".

The Municipal Reserve (MR) designation has to be removed for every district park that is going to accommodate a recreation centre. Municipal Reserve, as defined in the Municipal Government Act, does not allow for libraries or leasing, and most modern recreation centres include a library and leased concessions/equipment repair and rental.

City Council has not approved funding for construction of either the district park or recreation facility. Detailed design for the project, Lewis Farms Facility & Park, has been completed and is awaiting funding approval for construction.

# **The Application**

- 1. CHARTER BYLAW 19748 to amend the Zoning Bylaw to (US) Urban Services Zone
- 2. RESOLUTION for Municipal Reserve Removal from Lot 66MR, Block 14, Plan 2020718.

## **Site and Surrounding Area**

The 18.7 ha site is located on the south side of 92 Avenue, west of Rosenthal Way. 92 Avenue is the northern boundary of the Rosenthal neighbourhood. The Second neighbourhood is to the north.



AERIAL VIEW OF APPLICATION AREA

	<b>EXISTING ZONING</b>	<b>CURRENT USE</b>
SUBJECT	(AG) Agricultural Zone	Undeveloped
SITE	(AP) Public Parks Zone	Undeveloped
CONTEXT		
North - across	(RMD) Residential Mixed Dwelling Zone	<ul> <li>Developing with low density</li> </ul>
92 Avenue		housing forms
	(RA8) Medium Rise Apartment Zone	Undeveloped
East - across	(RA8) Medium Rise Apartment Zone	Undeveloped
Rosenthal Way	(RA7) Low Rise Apartment Zone	Undeveloped
	(RF4) Semi-detached Residential Zone	<ul> <li>Semi-detached housing</li> </ul>
	(RPL) Planned Lot Residential Zone	Single family housing
	(RF5) Row Housing Zone	Row housing
South	(RF4) Semi-detached Residential Zone	Semi-detached housing
West	(AG) Agricultural Zone	Undeveloped

## **Planning Analysis**

### **PLANS IN EFFECT**

The Rosenthal Neighbourhood Area Structure Plan designates the rezoning area as a "School / Park" and "Separate High School / Recreation Centre". Plan policy includes

• the provision of a District Park site that can accommodate a high school, recreation centre and associated playing fields; and

• to ensure public safety of the District Park and School, and Community Park Sites through the use of appropriate risk mitigation measures, which requires removal of all abandoned pipeline infrastructure within the site prior to the construction of facilities. Plan objectives to promote pedestrian connectivity and limiting visible frontage of parking from public and private roadways will be expected at the site design stage.

The proposed District Park is compatible with surrounding planned land uses.

#### **CITY PLAN**

The Rosenthal neighbourhood is centrally located in the West Henday District, south of 92 Avenue NW and west of Rosenthal Way NW. The proposed rezoning aligns with the City Plan by supporting directions and intention to:

- 1.1.1.4 Encourage healthy and active living by supporting community focused recreational, leisure, social and cultural programs;
- 1.2.1.2 Design and integrate formal and informal play spaces into the built environment;
- 1.2.2.2 Design open space and play space to accommodate intergenerational use;
- 1.3.2.2 Increase opportunities for Edmontonians to be physically active throughout all seasons; and
- 2.3.3 Promote gathering spaces for culture, sports, recreation and entertainment opportunities to support both formal and informal uses.

## **Technical Review**

### **Transportation**

Administration is committed to working with the area developers with a goal of completing the construction of the area arterial network before the completion of the Rosenthal District Park. Construction of 231 Street NW and 92 Avenue NW will be conditioned with future subdivisions/developments in the area.

#### **Drainage**

Permanent sanitary and stormwater servicing is available by connecting to the existing sewers along Rosenthal Way.

#### **EPCOR Water**

Extensive infrastructure, looping and hydrants may be required, subject to the review and approval of a Hydraulic Network Analysis. Water service is available from water mains located adjacent to the site on 92 Avenue and Rosenthal Way. Due to the depth of the site, on-street fire protection will be unable to provide coverage over the complete site area. The applicant must contact Fire Rescue Services for additional on-site fire protection requirements.

# **Community Engagement**

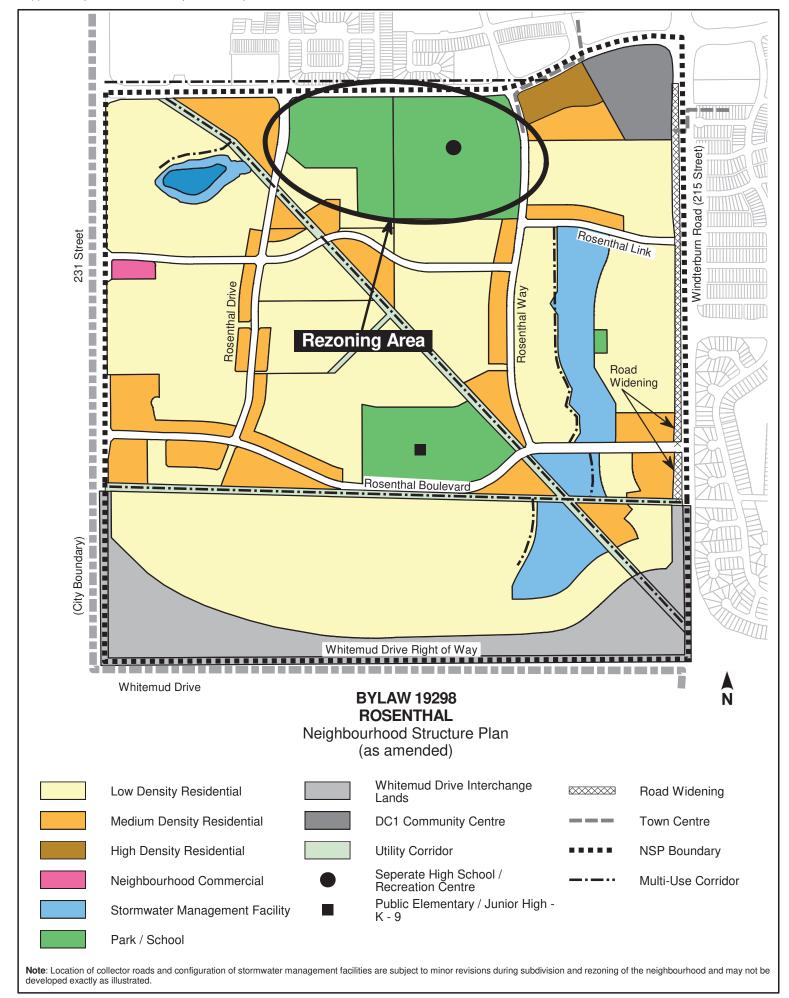
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# **Conclusion**

Administration recommends that City Council  $\ensuremath{\mathbf{APPROVE}}$  this application.

# **APPENDICES**

- 1 Context Plan Map
- 2 Application Summary



## **APPLICATION SUMMARY**

### **INFORMATION**

Application Type:	Rezoning, Resolution
Charter Bylaw:	19748
Location:	South of 92 Avenue NW
	West of Rosenthal Way NW
Addresses:	22303 - 92 Avenue NW
	6160 Rosenthal Way NW
	6180 Rosenthal Way NW
	6210 Rosenthal Way NW
Legal Descriptions:	Lot 1, Block 2, Plan 1923408
	Lot 65, Block 14, Plan 2020718
	Lot 66MR, Block 14, Plan 2020718
	Lot 67, Block 14, Plan 2020718
Site Area:	18.7 ha
Neighbourhood:	Rosenthal
Notified Community Organizations:	Secord Community League
	Rosenthal Community League
Applicant:	Civic Property Services

### **PLANNING FRAMEWORK**

Current Zones:	(AG) Agricultural Zone (AP) Public Parks Zone
Proposed Zone:	(US) Urban Services Zone
Plan in Effect:	Rosenthal Neighbourhood Structure Plan
Historic Status:	N/A

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