Council Policy

Developing Surplus School Sites



Program Impacted	Social Support Edmontonians have what they need to succeed
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Statement

Recognizing that housing is critical social infrastructure and plays a role in contributing to a sense of individual well-being and overall quality of life, the City will use the following principles to develop the surplus school sites:

Guiding Principles

- Access to affordable housing: Surplus school sites provide a valuable opportunity for increasing Edmontonians access to affordable housing, while utilizing existing infrastructure in established neighbourhoods.
- **Increase housing choice:** Development on the surplus school sites will align with the City Plan objective to establish housing for a range of household types and sizes, excluding single detached housing, and provide access to affordable housing in neighbourhoods where it may be limited.
- Integrate housing, services and amenities: Ensure housing services and amenities are available to support the needs of residents and the community, where possible. 72 avenue

Applicability

"Surplus school sites" mean the following sites:

- 1. Belmont;
- 2. Blue Quill;
- Caernarvon (north);
- Dunluce;

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- 5. Leger;
- 6. Keheewin
- 7. Kiniski Gardens (North site);
- 8. La Perle (west);
- 9. Lymburn;
- 10. Miller;
- 11. Ogilvie Ridge;
- 12. Overlanders;
- 13. Summerlea;
- 14. Wedgewood Heights;

and, any additional future sites declared surplus by school boards identified for affordable housing uses.

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