



Parks and Road Services

**CR_8380 Options to Increase
Mowing Cycles**

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City Council Meeting
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Background

- **COVID-19 Impacts**
- **2020 Supplementary Operating Budget**
- **Redeployment and Workforce Strategies**



Adjusted Service Level - starting July

Turf / Amenity Type	Adjusted Service Level (within approved SOBA budget)
Premier sports fields and parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 7-day mow cycle - 1 cycle of weed whacking, push mowing around objects / trees per year
Regular sports fields District parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Up to 14-day mow cycle - 1 cycle of weed whacking, push mowing around objects / trees - Weed control continues to regular standards.
Multi-use pathways Boulevards Utility Corridors Stormwater Mgmt Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Up to 14-day mow cycle - 1 cycle of weed whacking, push mowing around objects / trees - Weed control continues to regular standards.
Pocket parks (<0.5 ha, no play structures) Berms / Hills Neighbourhood walkways	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Up to 14-day mow cycle - 1 cycle of weed whacking, push mowing around objects / trees - Weed control continues to regular standards.

Option: Return to Full Service Level

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Multi-use pathways Boulevards Utility Corridors Stormwater Mgmt Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- 10-14 day mow cycle- Regular weed control
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Questions?

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