# Update on The Way Ahead

### **Recommendation:**

That the October 26, 2011, Financial Services report 2011CF4893 be received for information.

# **Report Summary**

This report provides an updated version of *The Way Ahead - City of Edmonton Strategic Plan*, 2009-2018.

#### Report

- Council approved The Way Ahead in 2008 as a strategic plan for Edmonton.
- The plan is based on a 30 year vision and was developed with input from citizens.
- The plan forms the foundation for the work of the City by establishing six 10-year strategic goals to guide the actions of the City.
- Since The Way Ahead was established, Council and Administration have developed additional detail and direction to focus City actions toward achieving the vision and goals. These include:
  - Developing directional plans for four of the six strategic goals: The Way We Grow, The Way We Move, The Way We Live, and The Way We Green.
  - 2. Identifying specific corporate outcomes for each strategic goal.
  - Identifying and linking corporate performance measures to the outcomes for five of the six strategic goals.

- 4. Developing targets for the performance measures for three of the six strategic goals.
- The updated Way Ahead document captures these changes.
- The remaining directional plans, performance measures and targets are to be developed over 2012.
- No changes have been made to the vision and six 10-year strategic goals.

#### **Corporate Outcomes**

The report supports all of the goals outlined in The Way Ahead.

#### **Attachments**

 The Way Ahead - City of Edmonton Strategic Plan, 2009-2018 (Updated in 2011)

## Others Reviewing this Report

Corporate Leadership Team