

## Possible Amendments to **The Way We Live: Edmonton's People Plan**

Note: Proposed text amendments are indicated in “bold” type face.

The Table of Contents and numbering will be corrected as necessary, once all amendments to *The Way We Live: Edmonton's People Plan* have been made.

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1	13	They also include services that add to our quality of life and to our national and international reputation, such as:	They also include services that add to our quality of life and to our national and international reputation, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Libraries</li> <li>• Recreation centres</li> <li>• Parks</li> <li>• Welcoming new residents</li> <li>• Arts, culture and sporting events</li> <li>• Preventive social services</li> <li>• Crisis supports</li> <li>• Celebration of historic, civic and cultural milestones</li> <li>• Caring for vulnerable populations</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Protection of natural spaces and the North Saskatchewan River Valley</li> <li>• Welcoming new residents</li> <li>• Arts, culture and sporting events</li> <li>• Preventive social services</li> <li>• Crisis supports</li> <li>• Celebrations of historic, civic and cultural milestones</li> <li>• Caring for vulnerable populations</li> </ul>
2	16	Integrates existing plans that currently guide decision making of many specific people services such as the Recreation Facilities Master Plan, the Neighbourhood Park Development Plan and the Edmonton Public Library Strategic Plan.	Integrates existing plans that currently guide decision making of many specific people services such as the Recreation Facilities Master Plan, the <b>Urban Parks Management Plan</b> , the Edmonton Public Library Strategic Plan, the <b>Art of Living and the REACH Report</b> .
3	16	Builds upon, integrates with, complements, and adds to, the individuals and communities who contribute to Edmonton's quality of life.	Builds upon, integrates with, complements, and adds to, the individuals and communities who contribute to Edmonton's quality of life, such as the <b>Arts Council, Heritage Council, Sports Council and the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues</b> .

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4	17	Examples of Corporate-wide initiatives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Great Neighbourhoods Initiative</li> <li>• Next Generation Office</li> <li>• Racism-Free Edmonton</li> <li>• Smart Choices</li> <li>• Active Transportation Policy</li> <li>• Citizen-driven Edmonton Expo 2017 Bid</li> </ul>	Examples of Corporate-wide initiatives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Great Neighbourhoods Initiative</li> <li>• Next Generation Office</li> <li>• Racism-Free Edmonton</li> <li>• Smart Choices</li> <li>• Active Transportation Policy</li> <li>• Citizen-driven Edmonton Expo 2017 Bid</li> <li>• <b>Art of Living</b></li> <li>• REACH</li> </ul>
5	32	1.2.1 Builds, partners and promotes the use of an integrated, accessible pedestrian and bicycle network.  1.2.2 Provides, partners and advocates for <i>accessible public transit</i> and <i>active transportation</i> to increase mobility and interaction within the city and across the region.  1.2.3 Provides and encourages people to explore and enjoy their connection to the natural environment.  1.2.4 Uses innovative methods to increase connections among citizens.  1.2.5 Advocates for integrated road, air and rail connections to the city, region and world.	1.2.1 Builds, partners and promotes the use of an integrated, accessible pedestrian and bicycle network.  1.2.2 Provides, partners and advocates for <i>accessible public transit</i> and <i>active transportation</i> to increase mobility and interaction within the city and across the region.  1.2.3 Provides and encourages people to explore and enjoy their connection to the natural environment.  <b>1.2.4 Provides infrastructure to enhance interaction among Edmontonians.</b>  1.2.5 Uses innovative methods to increase connections among citizens.  1.2.6 Advocates for integrated road, air and rail connections to the city, region and world.
6	34	1.4.4 Partners with the not-for-profit sector and regional municipalities to collaborate on the delivery of services.	1.4.4 Partners with the not-for-profit sector, <b>the private sector</b> and regional municipalities to collaborate on the delivery of services.

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7	35	1.5 The City of Edmonton connects Edmontonians to their history, heritage and unique role as Alberta's capital city.	1.5 The City of Edmonton connects Edmontonians <b>and Albertans</b> to their history, heritage and unique role as Alberta's capital city.
8	35	1.5.1 Promotes the history and contributions of Edmonton's Aboriginal population.	<b>1.5.1 Promotes the history and contributions of all Edmontonians.</b>
9	35	1.5.2 Promotes the history and contributions of Edmonton's seniors.	<i>Deleted</i>
10	35	1.5.3 Promotes its role as Alberta's link to the north and its global and social connections. <i>(See amendment No. 37)</i>	1.5.3 Promotes its role as Alberta's link to <i>the North</i> and its global and social connections. <i>(See amendment No. 37)</i>
11	35	1.5.1 Promotes the history and contribution of Edmonton's Aboriginal population. 1.5.2 Promotes the history and contribution of Edmonton's seniors.	<b>1.5.1 Partners with other orders of government to leverage its role as Alberta's capital city.</b> <b>1.5.2 Maintains and preserves Edmonton's historic resources.</b>
		1.5.3 Promotes its role as Alberta's link to the north and its global and social connections. 1.5.4 Promotes its rich history and diverse cultural heritage. 1.5.5 Promotes its role as Alberta's capital city.	1.5.3 Promotes the history and contribution of Edmonton's Aboriginal population. 1.5.4 Promotes the history and contribution of Edmonton's seniors. 1.5.5 Promotes its role as Alberta's link to the north and its global and social connections. 1.5.6 Promotes its rich history and diverse cultural heritage. 1.5.7 Promotes its role as Alberta's capital city.

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12	38	<b><i>Edmontonians love to celebrate!</i></b> Edmonton is a fun city, bustling with arts, theatre and sporting events. Whether participant or spectator, amateur or professional, Edmontonians celebrate the full spectrum of choices when it comes to enjoying life to the fullest!	<b><i>Edmontonians love to celebrate!</i></b> Edmonton is a fun city, bustling with arts, theatre, <b>retail</b> and entertainment districts and sporting events. Whether participant or spectator, amateur or professional, Edmontonians celebrate the full spectrum of choices when it comes to enjoying life to the fullest!
13	38	From the everyday enjoyment of Edmonton's outstanding parks, natural and green spaces to our local arts, cultural, sports and local celebrations, Edmontonians live large. They value active, healthy lifestyles and want their municipal government to work with them to create invigorating leisure, social and recreational opportunities accessible to the widest range of abilities, ages and incomes.	From the everyday enjoyment of Edmonton's outstanding parks, <b>natural, green and public spaces</b> , to our local arts, cultural, sports and local celebrations, Edmontonians live large. They value active, healthy lifestyles and want their municipal government to work with them to create invigorating leisure, social and recreational opportunities accessible to the widest range of abilities, ages and incomes.
14	39	2.1.3 Provides indoor and outdoor facilities to promote and encourage active living.	2.1.3 Provides <b>infrastructure and public spaces</b> to promote and encourage healthy and active living.
15	40	2.2 The City of Edmonton provides for the well-being of its citizens through outstanding parks, green and natural areas.	2.2 The City of Edmonton provides for the well-being of its citizens through outstanding parks, <b>natural, green and public spaces</b> .
16	40	2.2.3 Promotes and maintains the river valley as the centerpiece of an integrated regional parks system.	2.2.3 Promotes, <b>protects</b> and maintains the <b>North Saskatchewan</b> River Valley as the centerpiece of an integrated regional parks system.
17	40	2.2.1 Provides access to its parks, <b>natural areas</b> and green spaces for the enjoyment of Edmontonians.  2.2.2 Builds and maintains a connected system of shared use trails, green and natural spaces.	2.2.1 Provides access to its parks, <b>natural areas</b> and green spaces for the enjoyment of Edmontonians.  <b>2.2.2 Provides, maintains and promotes public spaces for the enjoyment of Edmontonians</b>

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		2.3.3 Promotes and maintains the river valley as the centerpiece of an integrated regional parks system.	2.2.3 Builds and maintains a connected system of shared use trails, green and natural spaces.
		2.2.4 Partners with community organizations to enliven, enhance, maintain and protect parks and green spaces.	2.2.4 Promotes and maintains the river valley as the centerpiece of an integrated regional parks system.
		2.2.5 Promotes the use of its parks, green spaces and natural areas.	2.2.5 Partners with community organizations to enliven, enhance, maintain and protect parks and green spaces.
			2.2.6 Promotes the use of its parks, green spaces and natural areas.
18	43	2.6 The City of Edmonton hosts world class arts, cultural, sports and entertainment events at venues that attract a local, regional and global audience.	2.6 The City of Edmonton hosts <b>world leading</b> arts, cultural, sports and entertainment events at venues that attract a local, regional and global audience.
19	43	2.6.1 Uses its infrastructure to host events and performances.	2.6.1 Uses its infrastructure and <b>public spaces</b> to host events and performances.
20	46	Edmontonians understand their city is changing and evolving and look to their local government to join them in providing opportunities to promote intercultural awareness and eliminate racism.	<b>Edmontonians understand their city is changing and evolving. They look to their local government to create opportunities to promote intercultural awareness and eliminate racism.</b>
		Edmonton is home to Canada's second largest urban Aboriginal population. The Edmonton Urban Aboriginal Accord was the first in Canada to respond to the needs and aspirations of Aboriginal Peoples residing in Edmonton. Edmontonians express a desire to work with Aboriginal organizations to recognize and support Aboriginal participation in all aspects of urban life.	Edmontonians expect their local government to help create a diverse and inclusive society. The Edmonton Urban Aboriginal Accord is an example of this. <b>The Accord is the first in Canada to respond to the needs and aspirations of urban Aboriginal Peoples.</b>
			Through this Accord, Edmontonians express a desire to work with Aboriginal organizations to recognize and support

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		Aboriginal participation in all aspects of urban life.	
21	48	3.2.5 Engages stakeholders, other orders of government and community organizations to reduce the effects of poverty.	3.2.5 Engages stakeholders, other orders of government and community organizations to <b>reduce poverty</b> .
22	48	3.2.6 Advocates to reduce the effects of poverty.	3.2.6 Advocates to <b>reduce poverty and its effects</b> .
23	53	4.1.8 Promotes a coordinated approach at the city and regional level for crime prevention.	4.1.8 Promotes a coordinated approach <b>with a variety of partners</b> at the city and regional level for crime prevention.
24	54	4.2.1 Provides public education to raise Edmontonians' awareness of their contribution to personal, community and neighbourhood safety.	4.2.1 Provides public education <b>with a variety of partners</b> to raise Edmontonians' awareness of their contribution to personal, community and neighbourhood safety.
25	54	4.2.1 Provides public education to raise Edmontonians' awareness of their contribution to personal, community and neighbourhood safety.	4.2.1 Provides public education to raise Edmontonians' awareness of their contribution to personal, community and neighbourhood safety.
		4.2.2 Partners with Edmontonians to ensure their safety at public events.	4.2.2 Partners with Edmontonians to ensure their safety at public events.
		4.2.3 Partners with Edmontonians to foster and maintain social order.	4.2.3 Partners with Edmontonians to foster and maintain social order.
		4.2.4 Engages Edmontonians in developing citizen-oriented public-safety programs.	4.2.4 <b>Partners with Edmontonians to keep Edmonton clean and attractive.</b>
26	59	5.1.2 Builds attractive civic buildings.	5.1.2 Builds attractive civic buildings, <b>public gathering places and streets</b> .

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27	59	5.2.1 Provides, partners and advocates for the downtown core as a showcase for civic pride.	5.2.1 Provides, partners and advocates for the downtown core and <b>business revitalization zones</b> as a showcase for civic pride.
28	59	5.2.3 Promotes its spaces and buildings are venues for <i>public art</i> and artists.	5.2.3 Promotes its spaces and buildings as venues for <i>public art</i> and artists.
29	60	5.3 The City of Edmonton showcases its green spaces and natural places.	5.3 The City of Edmonton <b>takes pride in</b> and showcases its green spaces and natural places.
30	60	5.3.1 Designs, builds and partners to maintain city boulevards and green spaces and the river valley as an integral part of an attractive city.	5.3.1 Designs, builds and partners to <b>protect</b> and maintain city boulevards and green spaces and the <b>North Saskatchewan</b> River Valley as an integral part of an attractive city.
31	61	5.4.3 Partners to protect and maintain heritage buildings and other historical elements.	5.4.3 Partners to <b>promote</b> , protect and maintain heritage buildings and other historical elements.
32	64	Edmontonians want to create strong, resilient communities and individuals that are able to draw on their resources to readily seize opportunity or bounce back from adversity.	Edmontonians want to create strong, resilient communities and individuals that are able to draw on their resources to readily seize opportunity or bounce back from adversity.  <b>Edmontonians look to their local government to work with other orders of government, school boards, post secondary institutions, the business community and the volunteer sector to build a socially sustainable society.</b>
33	64	Edmontonians are proud of their parks, green spaces and natural areas and urge their municipal government to protect and restore the biodiversity of Edmonton's natural environment. They look to their municipal government to enforce municipal bylaws for environmental best practices.	Edmontonians are proud of their <b>parks, natural, green and public spaces</b> and urge their municipal government to protect and restore the biodiversity of Edmonton's natural environment. They look to their municipal government to enforce municipal bylaws for environmental best practices.

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		They appreciate the importance of local food networks and promote the importance individual contributions make to environmental sustainability.	They appreciate the importance of local food networks and promote the importance individual contributions make to environmental sustainability.
34	65	6.1.8 Advocates for the moderate and balanced concentration of social agencies, housing and businesses in mature neighbourhoods.	6.1.8 Advocates for the moderate and balanced concentration of social agencies, housing and businesses in <b>all</b> neighbourhoods.
35	66	<p>6.2.1 Provides and promotes facilities for active transportation modes.</p> <p>6.2.2 Protects, maintains, conserves and restores the biodiversity of Edmonton's natural environment.</p> <p>6.2.3 Protects, preserves and expands its parks, green and natural areas.</p> <p>6.2.4 Builds on the City's leadership role in environmental best practices.</p> <p>6.2.5 Provides programs and education to businesses and residents about the importance of individual environmental responsibilities.</p> <p>6.2.6 Enforces community standards through municipal by-laws for environmental best practice.</p> <p>6.2.7 Partners to educate Edmontonians about the importance of a <i>community food network</i>.</p> <p>6.2.8 Promotes sustainable <i>urban agricultural</i> practices.</p>	<p>6.2.1 Provides and promotes facilities for active transportation modes.</p> <p>6.2.2 Protects, maintains, conserves and restores the biodiversity of Edmonton's natural environment.</p> <p>6.2.3 Protects, preserves and expands its parks, green and natural areas.</p> <p>6.2.4 Builds on the City's leadership role in environmental best practices.</p> <p>6.2.5 Provides programs and education to businesses and residents about the importance of individual environmental responsibilities.</p> <p><b>6.2.6 Maintains and conserves natural spaces and ecological connectivity in the North Saskatchewan River Valley.</b></p> <p>6.2.7 Enforces community standards through municipal by-laws for environmental best practice.</p> <p>6.2.8 Partners to educate Edmontonians about the</p>

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		6.2.9 Promotes environmental best practices in urban design, construction and re-use of materials.	importance of a <i>community food network</i> .
		6.2.10 Promotes the use of the highest environmental standards through a civic culture of environmental planning, conservation, preservation and protection.	6.2.9 Promotes sustainable <i>urban agricultural</i> practices.
			6.2.10 Promotes environmental best practices in urban design, construction and re-use of materials.
			6.2.11 Promotes the use of the highest environmental standards through a civic culture of environmental planning, conservation, preservation and protection.
36	68	6.4.3 Maintains a balance between operating expenditures and operating revenues.	6.4.3 Maintains a balance between operating expenditures, operating <b>revenues and accessibility</b> .
37	73		19. <i>North</i> : Refers to communities, organizations, orders of government and businesses located north of Edmonton that link to Edmonton as a northern service centre.