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INTER-MUNICIPAL AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

City of Beaumont/City of Edmonton
Town of Devon/City of Edmonton

Intermunicipal Collaboration Frameworks (CR_7913)

Edmonton

BACKGROUND



- In February 2019, as required under the Municipal Government Act (MGA), the City initiated a project to create Intermunicipal Collaboration Frameworks (ICF) with its eight adjacent municipal neighbours.
- The purpose of the ICF is to explore collaborative recreation services, primarily through joint planning.
- On November 28, 2019, Bill 25 was passed, which amended the MGA and made establishing ICFs voluntary instead of mandatory.
- As confirmed at the November 22, 2019 IRDC meeting, Administration has continued to develop Recreation ICFs as per the plan of record.

BACKGROUND



- Key components of an ICF include:
 - Recreation services and facility terms and definitions
 - Goals, objectives, scope, and future commitments of the partnership
 - A governance structure with communication and information sharing protocols
 - A dispute resolution process
 - A commitment to collect and share data
- Today, we present to you for your approval, an ICF with the City of Beaumont and the Town of Devon.

AGREEMENT



- We have completed ICFs with:
 - City of St. Albert (January 20, 2020 City Council meeting)
 - City of Beaumont
 - Town of Devon
- Because of the now voluntary nature of the agreements, we have not completed ICFs with:
 - Fort Saskatchewan
 - Leduc County
 - Parkland County
 - Strathcona County
 - Sturgeon County
- In each case, our partners decided not to complete ICFs with the City of Edmonton.

RECOMMENDATION

That Inter-municipal and Regional Development Committee recommend to City Council:

- That the City of Beaumont/City of Edmonton Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework, as set out in Attachment 1 of the October 9, 2020, Urban Form and Corporate Strategic Development report CR_7913, be approved.
- That the Town of Devon/City of Edmonton Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework, as set out in Attachment 2 of the October 9, 2020, Urban Form and Corporate Strategic Development report CR_7913, be approved.

An aerial photograph showing a wide river curving through a landscape. In the background, a dense urban area with many houses is visible. The middle ground features a large, dark green forested area. The foreground shows a grassy bank with some small ponds and a path. A semi-transparent blue rectangle is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing text.

Thank you

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