



Office of the City Manager

Edmonton

# Temporary Mandatory Face Coverings Bylaw Amendment

Friday, November 13, 2020

# Today's Discussion

## Mandatory Face Coverings

- Current COVID-19 case numbers
- Compliance to date
- Proposed extension to May 31, 2021



# COVID-19 Comparison

## Edmonton Zone Health Data

**November 12, 2020**

Indicator	Trend
<b>Total to Date</b>	13590
<b>Active cases</b>	3387
<b>New cases</b>	372
<b>Hospitalizations</b>	124
<b>Infection Rate per 100,000</b>	265.6
<b>Deaths</b>	149
<b>Outbreak Locations</b>	45

**July 28, 2020**

Indicator	Trend
<b>Total to Date</b>	1575
<b>Active cases</b>	276
<b>New cases</b>	19
<b>Hospitalizations</b>	25
<b>Infection Rate per 100,000</b>	24.1
<b>Deaths</b>	39
<b>Outbreak Locations</b>	6

## Public Health Recommendations

- Masks help prevent respiratory droplets from contaminating others
- Face coverings are an effective means of preventing the transmission of COVID-19 by symptomatic and asymptomatic carriers
- Wear a non-medical mask or face covering when spending time indoors with people from outside of your immediate household.



# Implementation

- Temporary bylaw - proposed extension to May 31, 2021
- Continued education and awareness campaign
- Seeking voluntary compliance - 97% compliance to date
- Warnings and enforcement, if required
- \$100 fine

# QUESTIONS?

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# Face Coverings - Decision-Making Model

