

NEIGHBOURHOOD DESCRIPTION

The Baranow neighbourhood is a long and narrow neighbourhood located in the southwest corner of the Castle Downs area. Baranow is a unique neighbourhood in that it is almost entirely non-residential in character. Commercial and business/industrial land uses predominate and residential land uses are clustered in two distinct areas, one in the north and one in the south central area of the community.

Baranow is a high density neighbourhood, with many low rise apartments buildings. A few original homes from the 1960s remain along the eastern neighbourhood edge, but the majority of buildings were constructed in the late 1990s and early 2000s.

Like all neighbourhoods located within the Castle Downs area, Baranow takes its name from a famous castle. The Baranow Castle, built between 1591 and 1606, is located in Poland and was formerly the residence of Prince Lubomirski.