

NEIGHBOURHOOD DESCRIPTION

The Greenfield neighbourhood was developed in the years that followed World War II, when Edmonton experienced considerable growth due to returning veterans and the booming oil fields. Greenfield was typical of neighbourhoods developed during this time, with larger lots arranged in crescents and cul-de-sacs, and easy access to schools and recreational facilities.

Single-detached homes are the major land use in Greenfield. The school and recreation sites are centrally located and a neighbourhood shopping plaza serves the needs of convenience shoppers. Additional retail and service businesses are located at nearby Southgate shopping centre. Greenfield is bounded on the north by a collector road and on the remaining three sides by arterial roadways. The road network and public transit connections allow residents good access to destinations on Edmonton's south side.

The neighbourhood was named in honour of Herbert Greenfield, leader of the United Farmers Party and Premier of Alberta from 1921 to 1925.