

BUILDING GREAT NEIGHBOURHOODS

Hairsine Community Newsletter – January 2022

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Neighbourhood and Alley Renewal is coming to Hairsine!

Through the Building Great Neighbourhoods Branch, the Neighbourhood and Alley Renewal Program rehabilitates residential roads, replaces street lights, repairs sidewalks and, where possible, connects missing sidewalk links. Alley Renewal will also be included as part of this project and involves alley reconstruction and repaving, improvements to surface drainage where possible and upgrading existing lighting to LED fixtures. Other opportunities to improve parks and public spaces will also be explored. Construction is scheduled to begin in 2024.

Translation Services

Un changement arrive dans votre quartier. Découvrez comment vous pouvez vous impliquer. Envoyez un courriel à Trudy pour les documents traduits à Trudy.Raadik@edmonton.ca

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Hairsine Neighbourhood and Alley Renewal Schedule

OCTOBER–DECEMBER 2021

Starting the conversation

WE ARE HERE

JANUARY–MARCH 2022

Building a Vision Together and Exploring Opportunities

FALL 2022

Exploring Options and Tradeoffs

SPRING 2023

Community Feedback on Draft Design

FALL 2023

Community Feedback on Final Design

WINTER 2024

Preparing for Construction

SPRING 2024

Construction Starts

Public engagement for Neighbourhood Renewal

The Hairsine Neighbourhood Renewal project team members are genuinely interested in the future of Hairsine. We want to learn and appreciate what you value and need in your neighbourhood. We seek to involve you in decision making to shape the vision for engagement and neighbourhood improvements.

We have created a road map to share the steps of the renewal process and how you can participate. At each step, we will tell you what input we need and how it will be used to help the City make decisions. We commit to reporting back to you on how we used your input.

Road Map to Building Great Neighbourhoods



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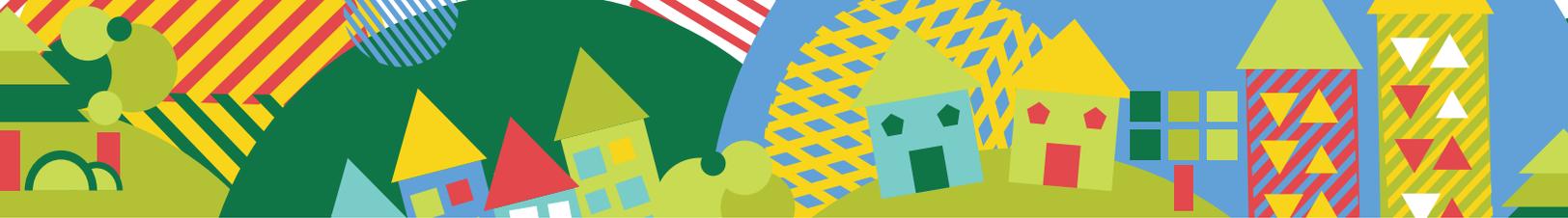
Public Engagement and Communications Opportunities

Concept Phase

Design Phase

Build Phase

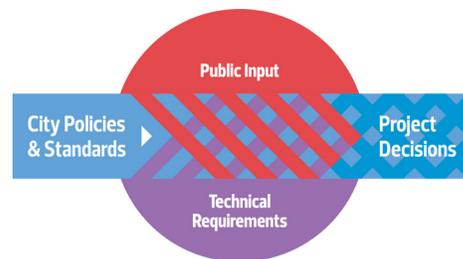
Operate Phase



How decisions are made

For Neighbourhood Renewal projects, the City of Edmonton makes decisions using a combination of policy and program information, public input, technical requirements and available funding. This process helps to ensure that the decisions we make are fiscally responsible, align with best practices, consider the existing public and private infrastructure, land uses and activities in the neighbourhood, and result in the best outcomes for your neighbourhood and our city.

City policies and programs such as the Complete Streets Design and Construction Standards, Safe Mobility Strategy and Winter City Strategy provide the overall direction for Neighbourhood Renewal designs. As each neighbourhood is unique, the project team asks for input from residents who live, work and play in the neighbourhood and considers technical aspects such as roadway widths and conflicts with utilities and trees to determine what will fit in the neighbourhood.



Starting the Conversation

In November 2021, we met with the Community League Board of Directors and held a virtual meeting with organizations and business owners in the area to share project information, as well as to ask for their input on ways to best involve and engage the community.

Visioning and Exploring Opportunities

From January to March 2022, the project team invites you to help **CREATE** the **Vision and Guiding Principles** for the Hairsine Neighbourhood Renewal project. Through various engagement opportunities, you will be able to share your ideas and explore potential opportunities for your community.

Stay tuned for more details on the **Visioning and Exploring Opportunities** stage of the project.

Volunteer to join the Hairsine Communications Committee

The Hairsine Communications Committee is a partnership between residents and the City. This committee is a collaborative group formed to ensure transparency and effective communication during the Neighbourhood Renewal project. The group is also responsible for developing new ways of engaging and communicating with residents, businesses and other community stakeholders, and to help shape the Vision for the Hairsine Neighbourhood and Alley Renewal Project.

This committee is not involved with decision making, or influencing the neighbourhood design; it is focused on ensuring effective public engagement and communications. Membership to this committee is not limited to those who live in Hairsine. To volunteer for this opportunity or to get more information on it, please contact the Project Manager, Sherry Ibrahim at 780-886-3101 or sherry.ibrahim@edmonton.ca.

About the project team

The Hairsine Neighbourhood Renewal project team is led by the Project Manager, Sherry Ibrahim, and includes transportation engineers, urban planners and a team of consultants supporting urban design, engineering and community engagement.

Meet your Project Manager: Sherry Ibrahim

Hello, my name is Sherry Ibrahim, your Project Manager for the Planning and Design of the Hairsine Neighbourhood and Alley Renewal Project. I have worked on numerous construction projects over the past 11 years and am proud to serve Edmontonians in my current role with the City of Edmonton.

I will listen to understand your needs and work with the Project Team for opportunities to align the design to the Vision we create together for the neighbourhood.

Please contact me if you have questions, concerns or just want to chat about Hairsine. I can be reached at 780-886-3101 or sherry.ibrahim@edmonton.ca.

Together we can make the most out of your Neighbourhood!



Stay Informed and Engaged

To receive reminders about upcoming engagement opportunities and to sign up for the e-updates, please visit: edmonton.ca/buildinghairsine

BUILDING GREAT NEIGHBOURHOODS: OUR COMMITMENT TO YOU

This is your city and your neighbourhood. We want to understand how you experience your neighbourhood and ask for your input on what we might do to make it better. We will engage and work with you to enhance how people live and interact in your neighbourhood. We commit to being open and transparent about how your input is used.

Let's make the most out of your neighbourhood.

