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# **LINES OF SERVICE**

Business & Technical Support
CTrain & Bus Service
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Major Transportation Capital Projects
Optimizing & Improving Transportation Choice
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Snow & Ice Control & Street Sweeping
Specialized Transit for Persons with Disabilities
Traffic Control & Lighting
Transportation Monitoring, Forecasting & Reporting
Transportation Planning Policy

# **Transportation - Overview**

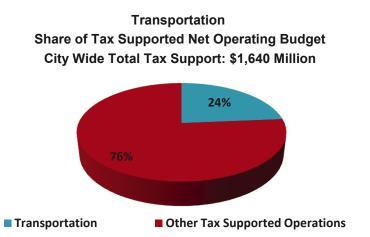
Transportation provides a safe, customer-focused and efficient system that provides a variety of transportation choices to move people and goods in an economically and environmentally sustainable manner. Together the department plans, designs, builds, operates and maintains local transportation networks and services that support all modes of travel. This includes pedestrian, cycling and transit facilities, major roads, expressways and interchanges with the future in mind. Transportation monitors and forecasts travel demand, promotes sustainable urban development and promotes transit, carpooling, working from home, walking and cycling to ease traffic volume growth.

Transportation capital projects are prioritized through the collection and analysis of travel information, citizen engagement and collaboration with partners (including the Calgary Parking Authority and the Government of Alberta). Project management excellence is demonstrated by delivering

projects on time, on budget and with high quality standards.

Calgary Transit delivers and maintains a safe, reliable public transit network providing 2.8 million hours of service per year using community shuttles, bus, Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) and CTrain. This includes providing specialized transportation services for people with disabilities in partnership with service providers.

Roads optimizes traffic operations and designs roadway upgrades to enhance traffic flow. They build, maintain and repair roadways (approximately 16,000 lane km), streetlights, sidewalks, bikeways, medians, curbs and gutters. This includes snow and ice control, spring clean-up/street cleaning and pavement markings. They also manage detours, monitor traffic, and adjust traffic signal timing balancing traffic flow with construction needs and safety.



(City wide tax support amount is the average common revenues less corporate costs & debt servicing)

# **Transportation - Overview**

#### **Trends**

Calgary continues to experience a sustained period of prosperity. Investment in transportation infrastructure continues although at a slower pace than the previous budget cycle. Growth in the economy and population has increased the use of our networks. The increase in demand for transportation services creates a challenge of balancing funding for increased service and new capacity with the priority of maintaining the quality and reliability of existing infrastructure. This business plan has the highest level of commitment to maintaining the health of our existing systems.

Calgarians ask for more than just a system, they wish to see their city as a good steward for their natural environment as well as an innovator seeking out application of the latest technology to improve customer convenience. A customer's experience is influenced by what and how the service is delivered and how the customer interfaces with the service. Access to data via wireless devices has shaped customers' expectations of getting real-time information in a convenient, easy-to-use way. Transportation continues to look for ways to improve service through customer feedback (e.g. Calgary Transit's Customer Advisory Committee) and provision of information via technology.

Calgary's senior and immigrant population is growing and have unique needs. A portion of these older adults live alone and/or have a disability. This will have implications to how Transportation plans, designs, builds, operates and maintains transportation facilities and services. Transportation-related accessibility will be an important consideration for The City's Age Friendly Strategy. Calgary continues to be a top immigration destination in Canada which challenges communications with customers. Adapting to the diverse language and cultural needs of customers will be critical. There are similar demographic shifts among our workforce and strategic workforce plans

will help address these changing needs.

#### **Long-Term Plans**

Together with imagineCALGARY, the Municipal Development Plan (MDP) and the Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP) provide a 60-year strategy for the kind of city Calgarians have said they want.

Transportation stewards the CTP which aims to make it easier and more inclusive to travel around Calgary as population grows. Key areas of focus (safe, customer-focused, efficient and sustainable) and actions identified support all CTP goals. Transportation is a member of the Directors' Integrated Growth Committee (DIGC) who identified five key 2015-2018 projects that align with MDP, CTP and growth management. A major focus of this business plan period will be the implementation of the Green Line Transitway. This will include leading and supporting the transit facilities as well as the evolution of urban corridors.

Work continues toward 2020 Sustainability Direction (2020 SD) goals by enabling greenhouse gas emission reductions through increased transportation choice, supporting complete communities and strategic redevelopment in priority areas, and providing a safe, reliable and affordable public transit, focusing on developing the Primary Transit Network (frequent, reliable and convenient service). By facilitating goods movement and emergency service response times, optimizing the existing transportation system and working to secure sustainable sources of funding, Transportation continues to support 2020 SD.

RouteAhead provides strategic direction for public transit in Calgary for the next 30 years and is aligned with MDP, CTP and 2020 SD. Key actions and performance measures identified in Action Plan 2015-2018 aim to deliver on RouteAhead's core principles: customer experience, network planning and financing public transit.

# **Transportation - Overview**

Keeping Calgarians on the move, whether by foot, bicycle, public transit or vehicles, requires long-term planning and investments in a variety of infrastructure, from new construction to maintenance of existing systems. Investing in Mobility defines the strategic priority and timing of transportation-related capital projects over the next 10 years. This plan has informed the 2015-2018 capital project list.

#### Citizen Engagement

An efficient and reliable public transit network was identified as the top priority consistently across the Action Plan engagement results. Citizens are looking for more affordable ways to commute to work and realize the important role public transit plays for increasing accessibility to services and amenities across the city's growing footprint. Projects that will address this priority include the Green Line Transitway and investments in refurbishing and buying new Light Rail Vehicles (LRVs) to enable four-car train service. Calgarians have told us that transit fares need to recognize their varied means and the importance of the mobility which transit provides them. Other transportation-related priorities identified by citizens included a well-managed road network, improved pedestrian networks to access local amenities, and expanded cycling infrastructure. There was distinct preference for pedestrian and bike routes the closer one lived to the core as such the Cycle Track Pilot project and Pedestrian Strategy are key actions for 2015-2018. A new approach to traffic flow improvement projects is included as part of the Investing in Mobility plan.

Maintaining service levels and demonstrating value was a common theme along with making information easy to understand and accessible. Transportation has adopted more citizen-facing performance measures and identified actions to provide more real-time data to customers. Citizens indicated a desire for an integrated approach to planning, land development and transportation. Actions outlined

demonstrate better collaboration in accommodating growth as well as jointly communicating and explaining strategic goals.

#### **Council Priorities**

CTP/MTP plans outline an integrated transportation system that supports land use, provides increased mobility choices for citizens, promotes vibrant, connects communities, protects the natural environment, and supports a prosperous and competitive economy. This aligns well with all Council Priorities, most prominently contained in a city that moves.

Transportation leads four Council Strategic Actions under a city that moves and supports twenty-four across all five of the Council Priorities. Three of four of these Council Strategic Actions acknowledge funding availability as a critical ingredient for success. Significant contributions to both a city of inspiring neighbourhoods (closely aligned with MDP/CTP goals) and a well-run city are evident. A focus on safe, customer-focused, efficient and sustainable internal practices will translate to better transportation service for citizens.

For Council Approval

# Transportation Commitment:

Transportation facilitates the efficient movement of people and goods which contributes to creating a great place to live and work.

Strategy Related to Council Outcome	Accountable BU
P1 Strengthen Calgary's position as a global energy centre and location of choice for international talent, investment and innovation through enhanced business development, marketing and place-making initiatives.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
P3 Support civic, business and community partners, as well as business revitalization zones, to collaborate and attract local and global investment.	RDS, TP
P8 Respond to the needs of an aging population.	CT, TI
P10 Enhance access to technology and information.	CT, RDS, TP

Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
P.PM1 Travel time reliability on major transportation corridors and primary goods movement routes.	NA	NA	NA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
P.PM2 Per cent of new and existing development within 400m of transit service.	NA	NA	NA	88%	89%	90%	91%

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#### Alignment of Strategies and Performance Measures to Long-Term Plans

Identified strategies that support community well-being and a prosperous community which are reflected in the 2020 Sustainability Direction. Transportation accessibility needs of the aging population and the importance mobility contributes to their quality of life. imagineCALGARY's vision of a great place to live and work includes providing an efficient, accessible and affordable transportation system for people and goods which allows businesses and citizens thrive.

Both performance measures align with the Municipal Development Plan (MDP) and Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP). Travel time reliability (P.PM1) is an MDP/CTP supplementary indicator which can help businesses predict movement of goods and thus expected delivery times critical to their operations. The Calgary Economic Development (CED) 10-year strategy specifically cites intensification and Transit Oriented Development (P.PM2) as City goals.

These are both new performance measures without historical data. Targets have been established where appropriate, others will be determined once a baseline is established in 2015.

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Strategy Related to Council Outcome	Accountable BU
N1 Keep communities safe by meeting and maintaining standards for crime prevention, fire response, and enforcement.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
N2 Build resiliency to flooding.	RDS, TI
N3 Enhance The City's capacity and resiliency to prepare for and respond to pandemics, natural disasters and emergency situations.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
N5 Systematically invest in established neighbourhoods as they evolve to accommodate changing community needs.	CT, RDS, TP
N6 Manage and promote growth to achieve the best possible social, environmental and economic outcomes within financial capacities.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
N7 Develop a new funding framework to provide for infrastructure in new and redeveloping neighbourhoods.	TP
N8 Make it easier to build developments that meet our Municipal Development Plan and Calgary Transportation Plan objectives.	CT, RDS, TI
N9 Provide great public spaces and public realm improvements across the city to foster opportunity for well used public spaces and places for citizen connections and urban vitality.	CT, RDS, TI, TP

Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
N.PM1 Average safety ratings of Calgary Transit services.	7.8	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.3
N.PM2 Per cent of population that live within 400m of the Primary Transit Network (PTN).	12%	14%	14%	14%	14%	15%	15%

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Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
N.PM3 Per cent of jobs that are located within 400m of the Primary Transit Network (PTN).	40%	40%	41%	41%	41%	42%	42%
N.PM4 Per cent of the roads swept during Spring Clean-Up program that achieve quality standards.	NA	99%	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%
N.PM5 Number of days to repair residential streetlights.	40	30	28	30	30	30	30
N.PM6 Kilometres of streets that meet Complete Streets Standards for arterial streets, urban and neighbourhood boulevards and parkways.	NA	NA	14	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
N.PM7 Per cent of development permit applications that are aligned with the Calgary Transportation Plan.	NA	NA	NA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
N.PM8 Per cent of development permit applications reviewed by Transportation within the corporate time frame.	83%	82%	82%	85%	85%	87%	87%
N.PM9 Per cent of development permit applications located within activity centers and corridors.	NA	NA	NA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

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#### Alignment of Strategies and Performance Measures to Long-Term Plans

Transportation supports eight strategies which focusing on safety (N1), resiliency (N2 and N3), growth, changing community needs (N5 which supports the Redevelopment Implementation Plan and Centre City Implementation) and urban vitality. N8 specifically references MDP/CTP and supports the Corridor Program, Centre City Implementation and Watershed Protection and Land Use Planning corporate growth priority projects.

Most of these performance measures are aligned with CTP. Per cent of population (N.PM2) and jobs (N.PM3) located within 400m of the Primary Transit Network (PTN), are MDP/CTP core indicators and 2015-2018 targets are more aggressive than those outlined identified in 2020 Sustainability Direction. The implementation of Complete Streets (N.PM6) is an MDP/CTP supplementary indicator. All performance measures related to development permit applications (N.PM7, N.PM8 and N.PM9) will help monitor processes that support CTP and growth management goals.

Transit service safety ratings (N.PM1) supports safety as a key area of focus. Customer service measures such as quality of spring clean-up (N.PM4) and days to repair streetlights (N.PM5) help monitor services important to citizens.

Some new performance measures do not have historical data. Targets will be determined once a baseline is established in 2015.

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Strategy Related to Council Outcome	Accountable BU
M1. Implement and accelerate RouteAhead as transit funding becomes available.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
M2 Maximize the flow of traffic on the existing transportation network through the application of technology.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.	CT, RDS, TI, TP
M4 Invest in active transportation infrastructure, including cycling and pedestrian networks as funding becomes available.	CT, RDS, TI, TP

Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
M.PM1 Number of CTrain delays greater than five minutes per 1,000 hours of service.	5.1	6.9	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
M.PM2 Average distance (km) between bus breakdowns.	7,180	6,361	6,500	7,000	7,300	7,800	8,000
M.PM3 Transit service hours per capita.	2.36	2.36	2.34	2.28	2.30	2.31	2.31
M.PM4 Passenger trips per transit service hour.	38.5	39.6	39.9	40.6	40.5	40.5	40.3
M.PM5 Annual Calgary Transit Ridership (millions of riders).	102.0	107.5	111.5	113.2	116.0	118.6	120.5
M.PM6 Per cent of roadway pavement that is in good or very good condition.	78%	84%	84%	84%	84%	83%	83%
M.PM7 Per cent of concrete sidewalks that are in good or very good condition.	98%	97%	97%	97%	97%	97%	97%

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# People and goods can move well and safely throughout the city, using a variety of convenient, affordable, accessible and efficient transportation choices.

# **Transportation Commitment:**

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Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
M.PM8 Per cent of bridges that are in good or very good condition.	NA	NA	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%
M.PM9 Per cent of time that reasonable winter driving conditions are achieved following a snow event on major routes within 48 hours.	100%	100%	90%	92%	95%	95%	95%
M.PM10 Per cent of citizens that are not limited from being able to travel due to road conditions.	85%	NA	85%	88%	90%	91%	92%
M.PM11 Per cent of gravel lanes receiving at least one surface treatment during the Summer Roads program.	100%	100%	90%	92%	95%	95%	95%
M.PM12 Overall annual casualty collision rate per 100,000 population.	224	220	216	213	209	206	203
M.PM13 Vulnerable road user annual casualty collision rate per 100,000 population.	51	NA	NA	48	47	46	45
M.PM14 Per cent of Transportation Infrastructure projects delivered on time.	65%	70%	75%	80%	84%	87%	90%
M.PM15 Per cent of all day, all purpose trips made by walking, cycling, or transit.	22%	NA	NA	22.6%	22.8%	23.0%	23.2%
M.PM16 Per cent of trips going to the Centre City made by transit in the AM peak period.	48.4%	49.5%	NA	50.2%	50.6%	50.9%	51.3%

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#### Alignment of Strategies and Performance Measures to Long-Term Plans

Transportation leads four of the five the strategies under a city that moves, this is the department's core business and closely aligns to Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP) goals. The Green Line Transitway project is a key priority.

The majority of Transportation's performance measures are captured under this Council Priority and all align with aspects of MDP, CTP, RouteAhead, 2020 Sustainability Direction (2020 SD) and growth management. Transit service hours per capita (M.PM3) and all day, all purpose active mode trips (M.PM15) are both MDP/CTP core indicators. Supplementary MDP/CTP indicators include CTrain delays (M.PM1), annual transit ridership (M.PM5), roadway pavement and sidewalk condition (M.PM6 and M.PM7), winter driving conditions (M.PM9), annual collision rate (M.PM12 also an 2020 SD 2020 indicator) and transit trips to centre city (M.PM16). The condition of bridges (M.PM8) provides an broader perspective on the state of our road network assets. Delivering projects on time (M.PM14) and measuring mobility constraints due to road conditions (M.PM10) offers a citizen and customer-focused perspective on performance.

Some new performance measures do not have historical data. Targets have been established where appropriate and may be adjusted once a baseline is established in 2015.

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Transportation evaluates innovative ways to affordably reduce our environmental impact when delivering transportation projects and services.

Strategy Related to Council Outcome	Accountable BU
H2 Encourage a broader range of innovative and clean energy technologies.	CT, RDS, TI
H3 Manage the interrelationships between flood protection, water quality and quantity, and land use.	RDS, TI
H9 Optimize the existing parks network to ensure Calgarians have access to nature and healthy and active lifestyles.	TP

Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome		2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
H.PM1 Average energy usage (Watts) per streetlight.		187	187	170	150	130	110
H.PM2 Per cent of construction waste from Transportation Infrastructure projects diverted from landfills.		90%	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%
H.PM3 Per cent of Transportation Infrastructure projects requiring environmental plans that have approved plans in place prior to the start of construction.	NA	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
H.PM4 Fleet greenhouse gas emissions (Kg) per 1,000 kilometres.	1,333	1,340	1,345	1,345	1,345	1,345	1,345

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# Alignment of Strategies and Performance Measures to Long-Term Plans

All strategies and performance measures support the Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP) and 2020 Sustainability Direction (2020 SD) by maintaining a focus on improving the efficiency of transportation initiatives and operations. Construction waste diversion (H.PM2) is an MDP/CTP supplementary indicator. The fleet greenhouse gas emissions measure (H.PM4) aligns with 2020 SD targets. Reducing energy consumption contributes to a department-wide goal of providing a more efficient, affordable and sustainable transportation system.

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Strategy Related to Council Outcome	Accountable BU		
W2 Be as efficient and effective as possible, reducing costs and focusing on value-for-money.	CT, RDS, TI, TP		
W3 Examine opportunities for alternative service delivery for competitiveness.	CT, RDS, TI, TP		
W4 Balance demand for quality City services with affordable taxes.	RDS		
W5 Regularly collaborate and engage citizens to encourage participation in City decision-making, and better communicate the reasons for the decisions.	CT, RDS, TI		
W6 Effectively manage The City's inventory of public assets, optimizing limited resources to balance growth and maintenance requirements.	CT, RDS, TI, TP		
W7 Continue to transform the organization to be more citizen-focused in its approach and delivery of service.	CT, RDS, TI, TP		
W8 Increase collaboration across the organization, including alignment of budgets with service delivery to achieve City priorities.	CT, RDS, TI		
W9 Strive to be an employer of choice with a focus on addressing The City's aging workforce.	CT, RDS, TI, TP		

Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
W.PM1 Transportation's 311 service requests on-time completion rate.	85%	88%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%
W.PM2 Per cent of Transportation capital budget spent.	65%	53%	65%	70%	72%	74%	76%
W.PM3 Transportation employee satisfaction index score.	114.6	111.6	112.0	112.0	113.0	114.0	115.0

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Performance Measures Related to Council Outcome	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Estimated	2015 Target	2016 Target	2017 Target	2018 Target
W.PM4 Per cent of permanent new hires in Transportation retained after one year.	77%	70%	70%	71%	72%	73%	75%
W.PM5 Total Recordable Injury Frequency (TRIF) throughout Transportation.	NA	8.7	NA	9.3	8.9	8.6	8.2
W.PM6 Average number of days lost per accepted WCB claims across Transportation.	NA	NA	28	27	26	25	24
W.PM7 Number of assigned departmental workstations decreased.	NA	NA	NA	0	0	0	46
W.PM8 Per cent of employees that know what is expected of them in providing excellent customer service.	82%	82%	82%	84%	86%	88%	90%
W.PM9 Per cent of Transportation employees that feel their working conditions are safe.	65%	60%	60%	62%	64%	67%	70%
W.PM10 Per cent of Calgary Transit customers that rated services as good or excellent.	70%	75%	77%	78%	80%	80%	80%
W.PM11 Number of transit routes that perform below minimum expectations.	16	16	13	11	8	7	5
W.PM12 Per cent of Transportation Infrastructure projects delivered within budget.	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%
W.PM13 Cost per transit trip.	\$3.16	\$3.32	\$3.33	\$3.31	\$3.42	\$3.52	\$3.63
W.PM14 Calgary Transit operating cost per hour.	\$122	\$131	\$133	\$134	\$138	\$142	\$146
W.PM15 Roads maintenance cost per lane kilometre of road.	\$9,128	\$9,493	\$9,818	\$9,500	\$9,500	\$9,500	\$9,500

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#### Alignment of Strategies and Performance Measures to Long-Term Plans

Transportation is committed to improving how transportation projects and services are delivered to Calgarians. Strategies align with corporate direction and shared actions require collaboration with enabling services partners to develop and implement successfully.

These performance measures look to how services are delivered more effectively and efficiently to customers. Success in these areas will help achieve CTP, MDP and 2020 SD goals. Transportation's key areas of focus are well-represented. Employee safety frequency (W.PM5) and duration (W.PM6) measures will help monitor safety-related workplace performance. Timely 311 service request completion (W.PM1), employees' understanding of customer service (W.PM8) and Transit customer service ratings (W.PM10) will drive improvements to customer-focused service. Capital budget expenditure (W.PM2), project budget management (W.PM12) and other cost-related measures for transit trips (W.PM13), hourly transit operating (W.PM14) and road maintenance (W.PM15) help monitor operational efficiencies. This also includes reduced assigned workstations (W.PM7) and route performance (W.PM11). Employee satisfaction (W.PM3) and retention rates (W.PM4) help monitor Transportation's ability to deliver affordable, accessible transportation networks and services.

Targets have been established where appropriate and may be adjusted once a baseline is established in 2015.

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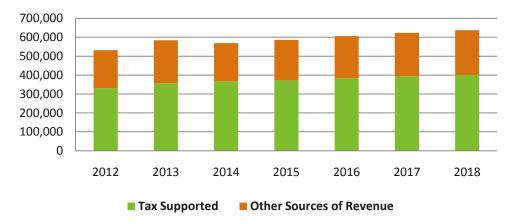
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# **Transportation** - Operating Budget Overview

Transportation Total Operating Budget (\$000s) (Totals may not add due to rounding)										
	2012 Actual	2013 Actual	2014 Total Budget 2015 2016 2017 2 13 (as of Budget Budget Budget B							
Expenditures	598,237	652,839	626,250	641,817	662,262	680,176	694,935			
Recoveries	(66,537)	(68,507)	(57,208)	(56,077)	(56,395)	(56,718)	(56,993)			
Revenue	(200,409)	(227,577)	(201,888)	(213,502)	(221,966)	(229,181)	(237,265)			
Net	331,291	356,756	367,154	372,237	383,900	394,276	400,676			
FTEs	3,823.8	3,877.8	3,943.3	3,946.8	4,044.8	4,106.8	4,167.3			

# Transportation Funding of Operating Expenditures (Net of Recoveries) (\$000s)



#### **Operating Budget Highlights**

A slight increase in expenditures year-over-year (averaging approximately 2.7 per cent annually) can be partly attributed to 190,000 additional transit service hours and 98,000 Access Calgary specialized service trips over 2015-2018. Approximately 224 full-time equivalents have been added in order to deliver increased front-line service. Significant cost increases for inflation (e.g. diesel, insurance, utilities and contractual services) account for 57 per cent of the expenditure increase over the next four years. Demand for services continues to exceed available funding. Additional growth (approximately 29 per cent of the expenditure increase) is partially offset by efficiency gains. The operating impact of capital accounts for 14 per cent of the expenditure increase. Modest fare increases over the four years will help Calgary Transit fund additional growth and inflationary costs.

# **Transportation** - Capital Budget Overview

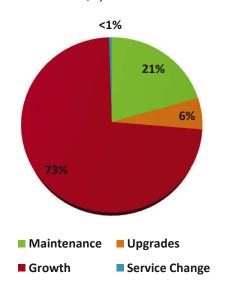
Transportation  Total Capital Budget (\$000s) (Totals may not add due to rounding)										
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	Total (2015-*2019+)			
Previously-Approved Budget (as at 2014 June 30)		555,687	111,945	6,810	0		674,442			
Breakdown of New Budget Requests	Breakdown of New Budget Requests									
Maintenance/Replacement		77,315	91,925	84,368	83,992	0	337,600			
Upgrades		29,300	30,375	17,925	17,925	0	95,525			
Growth		169,675	241,355	262,355	184,545	343,840	1,201,770			
Service Change		2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	0	8,000			
Total New Budget Requests		278,290	365,655	366,648	288,462	343,840	1,642,895			
Total Capital Budget	612,855	833,977	477,600	373,458	288,462	343,840	2,317,337			

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015 - 2018 cycle and which are completed in years beyond 2018.

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New Capital Budget Requests by Project Type
(2015-\*2019+)

Total \$1,643 Million



<u>Maintenance/Replacement</u> - Key Calgary Transit projects include refurbishment of bus and Light Rail Vehicles as well as system and technology maintenance. Roads is investing in increased maintenance for streetlights, traffic signals, pavement and bridges while introducing additional maintenance for activity centres and corridors. Transportation Infrastructure (TI) will be overseeing the replacement of two bridges as well as several major road reconstructions.

<u>Upgrades</u> - Roads will continue to invest in technology and street improvements to improve traffic flow. TI will invest in operational improvements and noise attenuation improvements to reduce impacts and delays. Calgary Transit will undertake many upgrades to the transit system, including power systems, garage facilities and fare collection equipment to improve customer service and reliability.

<u>Growth</u> - Transit will lead the Green Line Transitway program, implement multiple bus rapid transit routes and expand the LRT fleet to enable four-car trains. Roads will continue to implement new signals, upgrade technology and safety improvements. TI projects include three interchanges, connecting roads to new communities and the integration with the ring road.

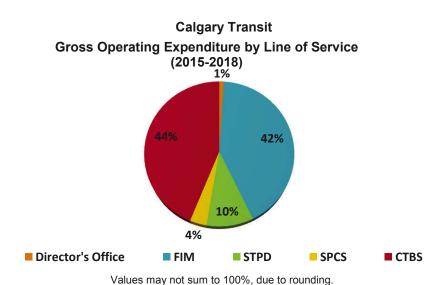
Service Change - TI will conduct pre-engineering studies for major capital projects.

# Calgary Transit

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# TRAN: Calgary Transit - Overview

Calgary Transit delivers safe, clean, and reliable public transit, providing more than 2.8 million hours of service each year. In 2013, Transit's fleet of buses and trains travelled more than 59 million kilometres and carried over 107 million customers, a 12 per cent increase over 2011 figures. Transit provides service on over 150 routes using community shuttles, bus, Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) and Light Rail Transit (LRT). In 2014, Transit has over 1,000 buses and shuttles, over 190 Light Rail Vehicles, 45 CTrain stations and four maintenance facilities. In partnership with several service providers, Access Calgary provides specialized transportation services for approximately 15,000 people with disabilities who cannot use regular bus and train service. Almost 3,000 employees work together to make sure customers receive friendly and high quality service each and every day.



#### CTrain & Bus Service (CTBS)

Provide frequent, safe, convenient and affordable access to buses and trains that Calgarians can depend on.

#### Fleet & Infrastructure Management (FIM)

Provide a safe, clean and reliable transit fleet and infrastructure through effective lifecycle management and regular maintenance.

#### Specialized Transit for Persons with Disabilities (STPD)

Make sure that Calgarians with disabilities who cannot use regular buses and trains, have an affordable and convenient travel option they can depend on.

#### Service Planning & Customer Service (SPCS)

Develop routes, schedules and location of stops and stations in response to customer needs. Work with the community and customers to develop long-term plans for public transit.

# TRAN: Calgary Transit - Overview

#### **Trends**

Calgary continues to grow and Calgarians are seeking better travel alternatives to access activities and employment throughout the city. Expectations are high for a great transit service (as demonstrated during discussions on RouteAhead). Customers have asked for additional capacity, better frequency, more direct routes and access to better information about the system. Demographics are also changing with an aging population making more use of Access Calgary, and younger customers are waiting to obtain drivers licenses increasing their reliance on public transit.

Events occur that are both planned and unplanned, which affect transit system operation. These events place demands on Calgary Transit to respond quickly and effectively to ensure customers reach their destination and are informed of the situation along the way.

There continues to be volatility in key elements of providing transit service. Diesel fuel prices remain high and volatile. A similar situation exists with electricity prices. Unpredictable weather can have an effect on natural gas prices as well as transit service provision (e.g. snow clearing, bus movements on hills during snow events).

While some of Transit's infrastructure has been refurbished, there remains a large portion that is reaching an age where major refurbishments or replacement is required. Appropriate investment and effective lifecycle management will help improve the reliability of these assets.

Customer service is key to Transit's success. Combining effective service provision with adequate information and a focus on security is becoming ever more important for customers. Focus on the environment is intensifying in both the public and private sectors. Services offered by Transit contribute to a healthy environment by taking thousands of

vehicles off streets every day. Compared to older fleet vehicles, buses and trains have become efficient and clean, and further improvements are anticipated due to new vehicle purchases and new technology (e.g. natural gas and electric buses). Calgary Transit has a mature workforce and many employees are able to retire within the Action Plan timeframe. This trend is even more acute than the overall workforce and will challenge the organization to retain existing staff while attracting new recruits. In addition to demand growth, the city is also growing geographically. Customers wish to travel further, have more complex trips and require flexible options especially in the suburbs. Park and Ride is seen as a viable option but as demands grow the benefits must be weighed against more productive Transit Oriented Development (TOD).

#### **Long-Term Plans**

RouteAhead is a strategic plan to guide both operations and investment in transit over the next 30 years. It establishes a clear vision for transit in Calgary, and will be used by Council and Calgary Transit to make informed decisions regarding customer-centric improvements, capital and operating budgets, fares, service hours and other major business decisions. RouteAhead is aligned with the policy direction and strategic goals of the Municipal Development Plan (MDP), Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP), 2020 Sustainability Direction (2020 SD) and Council Priorities. Increases in service hours, improving reliability, introducing new technology, and improving accessibility are all examples of how Calgary Transit is working towards RouteAhead objectives. Calgary Transit has a number of sustainability objectives and targets under the 2020 SD goals of smart growth and mobility choice. Some targets involve proximity to the Primary Transit Network, growth management, transit system efficiency and the number of service hours provided. Transit is also updating our bus fleet and expanding its facilities to accommodate natural gas powered vehicles. By meeting

# TRAN: Calgary Transit - Overview

these targets, Transit is helping the City achieve objectives of imagineCALGARY, a long-range urban sustainability plan.

The Green Line Transitway is part of the CTP's Primary Transit Network and is identified as a high priority in RouteAhead. The long-term vision for the Green Line Transitway is to have full build out of LRT service from the North Point station in North Central Calgary to the southeast in Seton. The Southeast Transitway is the first stage of the long-term development of the Green Line. The initial phases of pre-design commenced in 2014. Dedicated bus only lanes on the Southeast Transitway will provide customers with improvements in both travel time and reliability while preparing the CTrain right-of-way. The Southeast Transitway will give Transit customers the improvements they need today, and as population and employment continues to grow, will promote and attract the ridership required to make LRT a cost effective service option in the future.

# **Citizen Engagement**

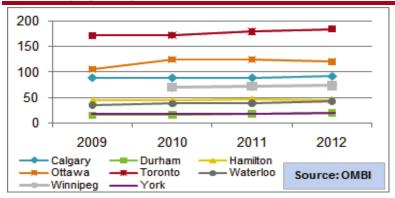
Transit was identified as the top priority in the Action Plan 2015-2018 public engagement campaign. Engagement participants identified reliability, schedules, on-time performance, system expansion, safety, funding, snow and ice control, and longer service hours as most important. The development of RouteAhead also involved significant citizen engagement, the results of which are referred to, and reviewed when planning the future of Calgary Transit. Transit has a number of actions under a city that moves, such as the Green Line Transitway, transit corridors and a new Peace Officer deployment model, that will help address citizen feedback. Finally, the Customer Advisory Group represents Transit's customers and meets regularly with Transit staff to help foster and sustain a culture of customer service and continuous innovation.

#### **Council Priorities**

Calgary Transit will lead, implement and accelerate RouteAhead where Transit funding is available. With Council directed funds, Transit will implement a variety of capital projects (e.g. four-car CTrain, new LRV and bus purchases, and Electronic Fare Payment) to achieve Council Priorities. Introduction of new service hours will be modest during Action Plan, but Transit will continue to monitor service and make adjustments to meet customer expectations. Other programs will continue to improve customer service, help deliver service on-time, keep customers and employees safe, sustain Transit assets, and improve the workforce.

# TRAN: Calgary Transit - Benchmarking

## **Transit Trips per Capita**



This benchmark helps measure public use of conventional transit service (bus & LRT) and serves as a reflection on the effectiveness of the service that Calgary Transit provides to the citizens of our city. This excludes specialized transit service such as that provided by Access Calgary.

# **Learning and Best Practices**

In 2013, Transit reported 91 trips per capita which is a 3.5 per cent increase over 2012 figures. For the purpose of Action Plan, Transit has identified six cities in Ontario, and one in Manitoba that have transit systems similar to Calgary's for benchmarking.

# **Improvement Initiatives & Action Plan 2015-2018**

RouteAhead contains several strategies for increasing use of the transit system including expanding the primary transit network, implementing new transit corridors, system optimization, improving reliability, and matching service with customer demand. During Action Plan, Transit will rely on a natural uptake in usage by customers which will be partially driven the forecasted growth of the city.

Transportation facilitates the efficient movement of people and goods which contributes to creating a great place to live and work.

## Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

P1 Strengthen Calgary's position as a global energy centre and location of choice for international talent, investment and innovation through enhanced business development, marketing and place-making initiatives.

P1.1 Implement new Rapid Transit routes identified in the RouteAhead strategic plan.

SPCS

P1.2 Work with Calgary Regional Partnership on an accessible transportation strategy for people with disabilities across the region.

SPCS

P1.3 Integrate Park and Ride Policies in the development of Transit Oriented Development (TOD) programs.

CTBS, SPCS

P8 Respond to the needs of an aging population.

P8.1 Deliver safe, accessible, efficient and effective Access Calgary service to meet customer demand by managing service provider market share, optimizing fleet mix and schedules to maximize productivity.

STPD

P8.2 Increase accessibility to Transit stations, hubs, stops and services.

FIM, STPD

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# Calgary continues to grow as a magnet for talent, a place where there is opportunity for all, and the best place in Canada to start and grow a business.

# **Transportation Commitment:**

Transportation facilitates the efficient movement of people and goods which contributes to creating a great place to live and work.

P10 Enhance access to technology and information.

P10.1 Provide customers with real-time data and historical statistics on the transit system and service using existing and new technologies.

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# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

N1 Keep communities safe by meeting and maintaining standards for crime prevention, fire response, and enforcement.

N1.1 Implement a Peace Officer deployment strategy to meet Public Safety and Enforcement targets and increase customer/employee perceptions of safety and security.

SPCS

N3 Enhance The City's capacity and resiliency to prepare for and respond to pandemics, natural disasters and emergency situations.

N3.1 Update and implement emergency response and business continuity plans, which will allow Calgary Transit to be more effective in responding to emergency situations and severe weather challenges.

CTBS

N3.2 Implement the new Calgary Transit Operations Control Centre, which will improve Calgary Transit's ability to monitor system safety, efficiency and to manage emergency situations.

CTBS, FIM, SPCS, STPD

N5 Systematically invest in established neighbourhoods as they evolve to accommodate changing community needs.

N5.1 Support programs that increase transit ridership, and reduce traffic congestion, optimise use of the existing transportation network and improve Calgary's environment.

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N5 Systematically invest in established neighbourhoods as they evolve to accommodate changing community needs.

N5.2 Support Transit Oriented Development (TOD) sites on Calgary Transit lands that align with park and ride policies.

SPCS

N5.3 Investigate Centre City transit solutions (e.g. Inner City Loop) to improve urban mobility.

CTBS, SPCS

N6 Manage and promote growth to achieve the best possible social, environmental and economic outcomes within financial capacities.

N6.1 Complete functional plans and support predesign/detailed design for 10-year RouteAhead rapid transit projects.

SPCS

N6.2 Implement service in new communities on a priority basis, as funding is available.

CTBS, SPCS, STPD

N8 Make it easier to build developments that meet our Municipal Development Plan and Calgary Transportation Plan objectives.

N8.1 Review development applications to enable delivery of quality transit service.

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N9 Provide great public spaces and public realm improvements across the city to foster opportunity for well used public spaces and places for citizen connections and urban vitality.

N9.1 Develop guidelines and standards for the design of transitway facilities, including urban design principles, and environmental best practices.

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# Strategy Related to Council Outcome **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy Accountable Service** SPCS M1.1 Implement the Green Line Transitway project plan. M1 Implement and accelerate RouteAhead as transit funding SPCS M1.2 Develop transportation policies, strategies and plans that align becomes available. with RouteAhead and the Corporate Growth Management framework. CTBS M1.3 Invest to expand service on the Primary Transit Network (PTN). SSPCE M1.4 Manage and reallocate service hours to existing routes with high demand for service. M1.5 Complete required improvements to Transit Operations, and FIM Infrastructure to implement for four-car CTrain service. M1.6 Procure vehicles as outlined in the fleet acquisition plan to FIM increase accessibility, replace older vehicles including 20 U2 Light Rail

Vehicles (LRVs), and expand the fleet of community shuttles, buses

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and LRVs.

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M1 Implement and accelerate RouteAhead as transit funding becomes available.

M1.7 Update the plan for expanding fleet maintenance and storage capacity to meet existing demand and plan for future growth.

FIM

M1.8 Review and update station cleaning programs to meet customer expectations and to properly maintain new capital infrastructure (e.g. Transitways, four-car platform extensions).

FIM

M1.9 Develop condition and maintenance standards for bus stops and stations that can be audited in accordance with industry best practices.

FIM

M1.10 Determine the benefits and costs of alternate scheduling strategies (e.g., frequency based) on the Primary Transit Network.

CTBS, SPCS

M1.11 Enhance services on mainline bus corridors to provide for increasing ridership (e.g. 18-metre articulated buses, Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) service).

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

M1 Implement and accelerate RouteAhead as transit funding becomes available.

M1.12 Market and promote transit services to increase ridership, and improve community understanding of the social, economic and environmental benefits of transit.

SPCS

M1.13 Expand community partnership programs (e.g. Canadian Pacific Christmas Train) that result in the use of station areas for community-based activities.

SPCS

M1.14 Through ongoing commitment to Investing in Mobility, continue to advocate for transportation capital and operational funding from the Government of Alberta and the Government of Canada (E.g., Stoney Maintenance Facility, Building Canada Fund).

SPCS

M1.15 Implement the Calgary Transit Fare Strategy as directed by Council.

SPCS

M2 Maximize the flow of traffic on the existing transportation network through the application of technology.

M2.1 Implement Transit Priority Measures to decrease travel time and improve trip time reliability.

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.1 Coordinate Plans with transportation network West and Southwest Ring Road design initiatives.

SPCS

M4 Invest in active transportation infrastructure, including cycling and pedestrian networks as funding becomes available.

M4.1 Improve active mode travel opportunities (bike parking at transit facilities, industrial sidewalks, etc.), continue to install bike racks on buses and facilitate car share programs.

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Transportation evaluates innovative ways to affordably reduce our environmental impact when delivering transportation projects and services.

## Strategy Related to Council Outcome

### **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

H2 Encourage a broader range of innovative and clean energy technologies.

H2.1 Maintain the Calgary Transit Fleet Plan to improve overall fleet fuel efficiency, reduce emissions, improve reliability, increase accessibility, and expand the number of community shuttles, buses and Light Rail Vehicles (LRVs).

FIM

H2.2 Support the Stoney Transit Facility to be a class leader in reduced energy consumption, through emphasis on Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) energy performance criteria, and on-site renewable energy generation.

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Transportation provides affordable transportation options while maintaining (and expanding where funding is available) service levels. This includes providing timely, accurate information to key decision makers and citizens.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

W2 Be as efficient and effective as possible, reducing costs and focusing on value-for-money.

W2.1 Participate in a Zero-Based Review, in an effort to identify potential improvements in service efficiency and effectiveness.

SPCS

W2.2 Plan and implement projects that improve Transit reliability.

FIM, SPCS

W3 Examine opportunities for alternative service delivery for competitiveness.

W3.1 Evaluate contracts for advertising services, and renegotiate with providers to increase revenue and take advantage of system opportunities.

SPCS

W5 Regularly collaborate and engage citizens to encourage participation in City decision-making, and better communicate the reasons for the decisions.

W5.1 Engage members of the public in meaningful discussions about changes or improvements to transit service.

SPCS

W5.2 Communicate the value for money (e.g. cost/benefit) of public transit through promotion and community activities.

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W6 Effectively manage The City's inventory of public assets, optimizing limited resources to balance growth and maintenance requirements.

W6.1 Apply and refine Asset Management plans including Tangible Capital Asset Improvement initiatives.

FIM

W7 Continue to transform the organization to be more citizen-focused in its approach and delivery of service.

W7.1 Implement the Calgary Transit Customer Commitment and Customer Experience Strategy in alignment with the Corporate Customer Service Framework, including support of the Transit Customer Advisory Group.

SPCS, SSPCE

W7.2 Recognize staff who provide excellent customer service.

CTBS, FIM, SPCS, STPD

W8 Increase collaboration across the organization, including alignment of budgets with service delivery to achieve City priorities.

W8.1 Promote and foster business relationships throughout The Corporation that improve services and deliver value to customers.

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W9 Strive to be an employer of choice with a focus on addressing The City's aging workforce.

W9.1 Ensure compliance with safety legislation and corporate policies (e.g. Corporate Safety Strategy).

CTBS, FIM, SPCS, STPD

W9.2 Develop a strategic workforce plan to address changing demographics and retirements.

CTBS, FIM, SPCS, STPD

W9.3 Strengthen health management policies and procedures (e.g. return to work, duty to accommodate, etc.) and encourage wellness initiatives to ensure a healthy, productive workforce and reduce costs of service.

SPCS

W9.4 Lead a departmental health, safety and wellness culture by improving safety reporting and trends analysis to promote shared understanding and responsibility.

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TRAN: Calgary Transit - Lines of Service

		В	reakdow	n of Ope	rating Bu	udget by	Service (	( <b>\$000)</b> (Tot	tals may not	add due to ro	ounding)				
		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs
Director's Office	4,318	(171,936)	6.0	4,322	(181,368)	6.0	4,327	(189,352)	6.0	4,333	(196,087)	6.0	4,333	(203,196)	6.0
Fleet & Infrastructure Management	162,015	154,325	702.0	171,013	163,322	704.0	176,877	169,186	720.0	181,045	173,354	722.0	187,562	179,871	725.0
Specialized Transit for Persons with Disabilities	36,464	34,420	56.5	38,391	36,348	58.0	40,957	38,914	61.0	43,300	41,257	63.0	45,137	43,094	64.0
Service Planning & Customer Service	13,521	13,521	90.3	14,936	14,936	94.3	15,054	15,054	94.3	15,074	15,074	94.3	15,074	15,074	94.3
CTrain & Bus Service	179,895	179,680	2,021.7	179,210	178,996	2,014.7	185,852	185,637	2,084.7	190,720	190,505	2,133.7	195,171	194,956	2,181.2
Total Business Unit	396,212	210,010	2,876.5	407,872	212,233	2,877.0	423,067	219,438	2,966.0	434,472	224,103	3,019.0	447,277	229,799	3,070.5

Calgary Transit is faced with a situation where the costs of operating the transit system are increasing beyond what the current tax base is able to support. Growth of service hours in 2015 will be low, and service hour increases in 2016-2018 will be modest. Transit will continue to support other Business Units within the Transportation Department, and throughout the Corporation, with their projects and initiatives, and Transit will work toward meeting the objectives of the five key corporate initiatives identified by the Administration Leadership Team. There will be moderate increases in FTE's within Calgary Transit to accommodate service level changes, and the increased demands in maintaining a growing and aging transit system.

As was the case in previous business cycles, Transit will continue to seek opportunities for improving efficiencies and effectiveness. A Zero-Based Review will be conducted at Transit in 2015 which may identify some areas for improvements in later years of Action Plan.

The cost of diesel fuel, and the price of utilities (natural gas, electricity, and water) is steadily increasing, and at times can be volatile. Consumption rates also increased across The City mostly due to the colder than average winter in 2014. Electricity and natural gas consumption increased by seven per cent and 19 per cent respectively. As the transit system grows, and more service hours are provided, Transit will experience continued pressure to cover the cost of growth.

TRAN: Calgary Transit - Lines of Service

All \$ values are in Thousands (\$000)

CTrair	n & Bus Service		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
		\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs		\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs										
		179,895	179,680	2,021.7	179,210	178,996	2,014.7	185,852	185,637	2,084.7	190,720	190,505	2,133.7	195,171	194,956	2,181.2

Through effective management of over 2,000 employees, 2.8 million hours of bus and CTrain service is delivered to customers each year. Service optimization is a priority and is achieved by meeting service demand with supply, ensuring that the Transit fleet is being used strategically and low-performing routes are assessed. Transit service packages are designed to meet the strategic objectives outlined by City Council, and to meet the needs of a growing city. A lean operations model has been in place since the last business cycle and has proven to be effective in balancing service quality control and expenditure (e.g.

supervisor ratio of 70 operators per supervisor). Although effective, this model will need to be reviewed and updated in Action Plan to ensure an adequate balance of operators and supervisors is maintained. An increase in operating expenditures is identified in 2016 when the Electronic Fare Collection system comes into service. Transit was allotted Council-directed, one-time funds for the addition of 30,000 additional service hours in 2013 and 2014. In 2015, Transit will need to reduce 30,000 service hours on low-performing routes to make up for the gap that resulted from the one-time funding not being continued.

Fleet & Infrastructure		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Management	\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	162,015	154,325	702.0	171,013	163,322	704.0	176,877	169,186	720.0	181,045	173,354	722.0	187,562	179,871	725.0

Maintaining buses, trains, stations, stops, tracks and power substations is a vital function that helps ensure the transit system is safe, reliable, clean, accessible, and that transit service meets our customers expectations. Transit is working within available funds to balance capital investment in new assets, and investing operating dollars in repair and refurbishment of existing assets. As assets age, Transit experiences higher costs for maintenance, repair and refurbishment. With the opening of Tuscany LRT station in September 2014 and the introduction of four-car train service in December 2015, there will be an increase in

the amount of maintenance required to sustain the transit system.

Costs for diesel fuel, electricity, and natural gas increased significantly in 2014, and there is no indication that the price for these resources will level off, or that price volatility will decrease. Fleet and Infrastructure Management is continually making efforts to ensure that older vehicles are used less frequently as they consume more fuel (diesel and electricity), however this strategy is less desirable than replacing older fleet altogether.

Service Planning &		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Customer Service	Customer Service \$ Exp \$ Net   FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	13,521	13,521	90.3	14,936	14,936	94.3	15,054	15,054	94.3	15,074	15,074	94.3	15,074	15,074	94.3

Strategic, long-range planning is an important function within Transit, as it helps to ensure that the future of Calgary Transit is properly aligned with the objectives of other city departments, our customers needs are understood and included in future plans, and that Council Priorities are properly addressed.

Operational planning helps ensure that existing transit service is easy to use, is efficient, and contributes to an effective transportation system through optimization initiatives. Developments to improve or change the transit system that are within a one to five-year time horizon, including new community plans, are managed through operational planning.

Providing excellent customer service is one of the foundational principles

at Calgary Transit, and staffing is required in order to address customer needs (e.g. Call Centre, Customer Service Centres, etc.).

A Customer Charter will be developed, which aligns with the Corporate Customer Service Framework, and will elevate the already high quality of customer service provided by Calgary Transit.

Transit will continue to develop new innovative long-term plans and make adjustments to service (frequency, routing and schedule) to meet the needs of Calgarians. However, investments in transit priority measures (signal priority, bus lanes), passenger amenities (stops and shelters) and security infrastructure (officers, cameras) will be limited in Action Plan.

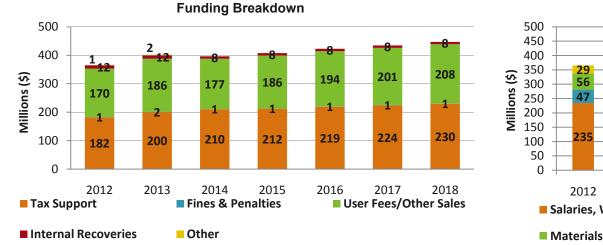
Specialized Transit for	2014				2015			2016			2017			2018	
Persons with	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs												
Disabilities	36,464	34,420	56.5	38,391	36,348	58.0	40,957	38,914	61.0	43,300	41,257	63.0	45,137	43,094	64.0

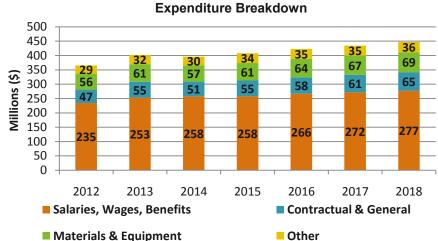
Access Calgary has experienced year-over-year growth, and this trend will continue throughout Action Plan. These services are an important part of the transit system, and help ensure that all customers can move throughout the city, specifically for customers with disabilities for whom regular bus and CTrain service is not an option. Access Calgary has contracts with five transportation companies to deliver shared-ride transportation service to customers. Legitimate additional costs that are

experienced by contractors in the delivery of service are passed on to Access Calgary as per the contract. Furthermore, Access Calgary is subjected to taxi meter rate increases or changes approved by Council. As the population increases and ages and the city boundary grows, the demand for Access Calgary service will also continue to rise. It will be challenging to meet all the demand and manage high customer expectations.

TRAN: Calgary Transit - Breakdown of the Operating Budget







<u>Funding Breakdown</u> - Council direction was received through RouteAhead for Calgary Transit to maintain a 50/50 to 55/45 cost recovery ratio during Action Plan 2015-2018. This means that at least 50 per cent of transit funding must come from revenue (e.g. fares, parking fees, and advertising), and no more than 50 per cent of funding can come from taxes.

**Expenditures** - Approximately two-thirds of Calgary Transit's operating budget will go toward paying the salaries, wages, and benefits of approximately 3,000 employees. 15 per cent of Calgary Transit's operating budget is used for maintaining and operating fleet and

infrastructure, including parts, fuel and materials. Contractual and General expenditures include those related to Access Calgary service providers, Enmax, and City of Calgary Roads contract services (e.g. Snow and Ice Control and CTrain signals).

<u>User Fees / Charges / Utility Rates</u> - User Fees for 2015-2018 are detailed in Attachment 2 and are in accordance with the User Fees and Subsidies Policy (CFO010). To maintain the Long-term Recovery Rate Target of 30 per cent, and to help meet the cost recovery ratio target, Transit is recommending modest increases in User Fees.

TRAN: Calgary Transit - Breakdown of the Net Operating Budget

Totals may not add due to rounding

Breakdown of Net Operating Budget Changes (\$000s)	2015	2016	2017	2018
Previous Year's Budget	210,010	212,233	219,438	224,103
Less: Previous Year One Time	(2,350)	0	0	0
Base	207,660	212,233	219,438	224,103
Efficiency Gains	(2,250)	0	0	0
Inflation	4,031	1,228	1,443	395
Service and Budget Increase	1,082	4,053	2,864	3,001
Operating Impact of Previously Approved Capital	1,758	1,120	0	0
Operating Impact of New Capital (Incremental)	0	805	358	2,300
Re-alignments	(48)	0	0	0
One Time	0	0	0	0
Total Budget Change	4,573	7,206	4,665	5,696
Total Budget	212,233	219,438	224,103	229,799

Calgary Transit will generate \$2.25 million in efficiency gains in 2015 by removing 30,000 service hours from previous one-time funding. Further efficiencies throughout all Lines of Service may be identified as a result of the 2015 Zero-Based Review.

Inflationary increases identified in 2015 are expected to be higher than what is forecasted for 2016-2018. Prices for diesel and utilities are rising consistently, and can be volatile at times. As a result of the 2013 flood, insurance rates went up substantially across all City of Calgary Departments, and rate increases are passed on to the business units.

Modest growth in transit service is expected during Action Plan. Through Council directed funds, Transit Fares and increased ridership Calgary

Transit will add approximately 190,000 service hours over the 2015-2018 period, which is 38 per cent of the target set out in RouteAhead. New service hours will be allocated as follows: 38 per cent for service to add capacity on existing routes, 35 per cent to new communities, 14 per cent for new Rapid Transit Corridors, and 13 per cent for schedule adherence. Access Calgary will add approximately 98,000 trips during 2015-2018, which is 54 per cent of the target for the period. Continued efforts are needed to maximize benefit to customers of all investments.

New capital assets (e.g. Tuscany LRT station, Westbrook Centre, and Stoney Maintenance Facility) will be transferred to Calgary Transit and will result in increased operating cost of capital expenditures.

	TCA Depreciation (\$000	0s) - Calgary Transit	
2015	2016	2017	2018
104,074	113,444	119,202	123,757

TCA Depreciation content is presented for information only.

# TRAN: Calgary Transit - Operating Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

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	Total Operating Budget (\$000s) for Approval (Totals may not match due to rounding)														
	2012	2013	2014	20	15 Budg	et	20	16 Budg	et	20	17 Budg	et	20	18 Budg	et
	Actual	Actual	Total	Base One- Total			Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total
			Budget		Time			Time			Time			Time	
	(as of														
			June												
Expenditures	365 /1/	401 535	30) 396,212	407 872	0	407,872	123 067	0	423,067	434,472	0	434,472	117 277	0	447,277
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Recoveries	, ,	, ,	. ,	, ,		(8,383)	(8,383)	0	(8,383)	(8,383)	0	(8,383)	(8,383)	0	(8,383)
Revenue	(172,004)	(189,648)	(177,819)	(187,256)	0	(187,256)	(195,245)	0	(195,245)	(201,985)	0	(201,985)	(209,094)	0	(209,094)
Net	181,903	200,205	210,010	212,233	0	212,233	219,438	0	219,438	224,103	0	224,103	229,799	0	229,799
FTEs	2,736.0	2,807.0	2,876.5	2,877.0	0.0	2,877.0	2,966.0	0.0	2,966.0	3,019.0	0.0	3,019.0	3,070.5	0.0	3,070.5

TRAN: Calgary Transit - Capital Budget Overview

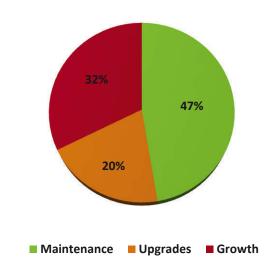
Calgary Transit													
Capital Budget (\$000s) Overview (Totals may not match due to rounding)													
2015 2016 2017 2018 *2019+ Total													
Previously-Approved Budget (as at 2014 June 30)	160,021	56,000	2,000	0	0	218,021							
Total New Capital Budget Requests	52,330	79,480	52,573	53,997	0	238,380							
Total Business Unit Capital Budget	212,351	135,480	54,573	53,997	0	456,401							

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and which are completed in years beyond 2018.

Calgary Transit

New Capital Budget Requests by Project Type
(2015-\*2019+)

Total \$238 Million



<u>Maintenance/Replacement</u> - 47 per cent of Calgary Transit's capital budget will be spent on maintenance programs that will help extend the life of assets that have reached or exceeded their life expectancy (e.g, LRT Infrastructure). Regular investment in Fleet and Infrastructure Management programs will also help improve reliability and reduce the risk of unforeseen large capital replacement costs (e.g. Train car refurbishment).

<u>Upgrades</u> - Certain components of the transit system have reached a point in their lifecycle where upgrades are required to meet new safety regulations, handle higher passenger loads and to meet customer expectations. In some cases, not upgrading these components can result in higher maintenance costs. 20 per cent of Calgary Transit's capital budget will go towards programs like the Traction Power Upgrade and Garage Lifecycle Rehabilitation, both of which are examples of how Transit is meeting Council's objectives of efficiency, affordability and high quality of service.

<u>Growth</u> - There is a growing expectation for all Calgarians to have access to high frequency and high quality public transit throughout the city. Strategic plans such as RouteAhead and Investing in Mobility provide clear direction for growing the transit system over the next ten years. 32 per cent of Calgary Transit's capital budget will be directed toward purchasing new buses and Light Rail Vehicles, building new maintenance facilities, and implementing new technology. These are only some examples of how Transit will meet customer needs in the future.

TRAN: Calgary Transit - Capital Budget Overview

Funding for Capital Projects (Totals may not match due to rounding)	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	Total 2015-*2019+
Federal Gas Tax Fund (GTF)	9,669	42,150	39,500	39,500	0	130,819
Fuel Tax - Revenue Sharing	23,091	21,565	7,287	8,741	0	60,684
Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI)	15,700	10,000	0	0	0	25,700
Capital Reserves	138	138	138	138	0	552
Community & Recreation Levy	0	2,100	2,100	2,100	0	6,300
Pay-As-You-Go	3,532	3,202	3,548	3,518	0	13,800
Lifecycle Maintenance & Upgrade Reserve	200	325	0	0	0	525
Total Funding	52,330	79,480	52,573	53,997	0	238,380
Total Operating Impacts of Capital (Cumulative)						
2015-2018 Operating Budget	0	805	1,163	1,163	N/A	
2019 and beyond up to 2024 Operating Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6,978	

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and are completed in years beyond 2018.

# Capital Budget Listing (by Program - Project) (\$000s)

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	e Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
563-001	Primary Transit Network Optimization	U	С	_		4,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000		4,000	
Total Prog Optimization	gram 563 : Primary Transi on	t Netv	vork	-	-	4,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	-	4,000	
564-001	Access Calgary Technology	M	С			3,350	500	950	950	950		3,350	
564-002	Transit Customer Service Tech. (Lifecycle)	M	С			5,425	1,450	1,325	1,325	1,325		5,425	
Total Prog	gram 564 : CT Technology	v Upgı	ades	-	-	8,775	1,950	2,275	2,275	2,275	-	8,775	

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
655-07W	Traction Power 4-Car	U	Α	37,590	3,500	26,000	16,000	10,000	-	-	-	26,000	City-wide
	Upgrades		_										•
655-14W	LRT Lifecycle Asset Management	M	С			36,100	6,000	10,700	8,700	10,700		36,100	
655-17W	Rail Syst Lifecycle Asset Mgmt	M	С			11,480	1,730	3,250	3,250	3,250		11,480	
	gram 655 : Outside Plant a	nd Su	pport	37,590	3,500	73,580	23,730	23,950	11,950	13,950	-	73,580	•
Systems			_										-
	Operating impact of cap	ital of	_	am 655				000	4.040	4.040	A1/A	0.700	
	2015-2018 Operating Budget		01				-	690	1,048	1,048	N/A	2,786	
	2019 and beyond Operating Plan		02				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6,288	6,288	
656-04W	Buildings Lifecycle Asset Mgmt	M	С			9,100	1,600	2,500	2,500	2,500		9,100	
656-10W	Westbrook Building	G	Α	10,472		25,000	12,500	12,500	-	-	-	25,000	City-wide
656-12W	Major Mtn Facilities Upgrades	U	С			10,000		6,000	2,000	2,000	-	10,000	City-wide
656-307	LRT Stations & Aux Bldgs Upgr	U	С			5,375	1,100	1,425	1,425	1,425		5,375	
Total Pro	gram 656 : Buildings and \$	Station	ıs	10,472	-	49,475	15,200	22,425	5,925	5,925	-	49,475	-
	Operating impact of cap	ital of	Progra	am 656									-
	2015-2018 Operating Budget		01				-	115	115	115	N/A	345	
	2019 and beyond Operating Plan		02				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	690	690	
657-01W	Bus Refurbishment	M	С			14,800	4,200	3,400	4,000	3,200		14,800	
657-02W	LRV Refurbishment	М	C			29,860	5,000	7,550	8,543	8,767		29,860	
657-03W	Fleet & Equipment	M	С			2,800	700	700	700	700	-	2,800	
Total Prog	gram 657 : Fleet and Equip	ment		-	-	47,460	9,900	11,650	13,243	12,667	-	47,460	•
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Program- Project	Project Description	Тур	e Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
665-02W	Big Buses/Community Shuttle Buses	G	С			51,990	-	17,330	17,330	17,330	-	51,990	City-wide
Total Program 665 : Buses/Community Shut Buses				-	-	51,990	-	17,330	17,330	17,330	-	51,990	- 
668-01W	Fare Collection Equipment & System	U	С			3,100	550	850	850	850	-	3,100	
Total Program 668 : Fare Collection Services			-	-	3,100	550	850	850	850	-	3,100	- 	
				48,062	3,500	238,380	52,330	79,480	52,573	53,997	-	238,380	<b>-</b>

### Note:

Type: M=Maintenance/Replacement, U=Upgrade, G=Growth, S=Service Change

Category: A=Project in Progress, C=New Project, O1=2015-2018 Operating Cost, O2=2019 and beyond Operating Cost

Budgets and/or operating impact of capital beyond 2019 are included in 2019 and are detailed in the Explanation section

# **Explanation of Budget Requests**

**Program 563: Primary Transit Network Optimization** 

**Project 563-001: Primary Transit Network Optimization** 

**New Budget Request** of \$4 million for transit priority measures to improve travel time delays experienced by transit buses on bus rapid transit routes and CTrains. Project will be funded by Pay-As-You-Go.

### Program 564 : CT Technology Upgrades

### Project 564-001: Access Calgary Technology

**New Budget Request** of \$3.35 million to provide for lifecycle and replacement of systems and hardware that Access Calgary relies on to provide customers with high-quality, reliable service. This includes systems such accessibility technology (mobile data terminals) on Access Calgary vehicles, radios, and other supporting computer software to manage day to day operations (including trip booking). Project will be funded by Gas Tax Fund \$1.35 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$2.0 million.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Project 564-002: Transit Customer Service Technology (Lifecycle)

**New Budget Request** of \$5.425 million to provide for lifecycle and upgrade technologies to enhance customer experience and improve reliability of transit service. Project will be funded by Fuel Tax \$4.0 million, Pay-As-You-Go \$1.1 million and Lifecycle Maintenance and Upgrade Reserve \$325 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 655: Outside Plant and Support Systems

### **Project 655-07W: Traction Power Upgrade- 4 Car Trains**

**Previously approved budget up to 2014** of \$37.59 million with funding from Infrastructure Stimulus Fund of \$10 million, MSI of \$8 million, Fuel Tax of \$14.865 million, Gas Tax Fund of \$2.413 million, Pay-As-You-Go of \$989 thousand and Tax Support Debt of \$1.323 million.

Future approved budget of \$3.5 million with funding from MSI of \$3.122 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$378 thousand.

**New Budget Request** of \$26.0 million for upgrades and improvements to the Traction Power System. Includes all equipment and supporting infrastructure required to provide safe and reliable electrical service for the CTrain. As service demands increase and four-car trains are introduced, the capacity of the existing electrical power supply system must be increased. Without these system upgrades, the performance and reliability of four-car CTrain service will be reduced. Project will be funded by MSI \$25.7 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$300 thousand.

**Operating Impact of Capital:** This project requires \$2.286 million in operating costs including 3 FTEs for 2016 to 2018, and \$4.788 million for 2019-2024.

### Project 655-14W: LRT Lifecycle Asset Management

**New Budget Request** of \$36.1 million to provide for upgrades and improvements to the LRT infrastructure systems to maintain LRT service reliability. This includes track, overhead cantenary system, and electrical substation equipment. Project will be funded by Gas Tax Fund \$27.0 million, Fuel Tax \$8.19 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$910 thousand.

### Project 655-17W: Rail Systems Lifecycle Asset Management

**New Budget Request** of \$11.48 million to provide for the life-cycle maintenance and upgrading of aging communication systems and maintenance of LRT control and crossing signals. This is critical to ensure safe operations and allow a high frequency of service. Project will be funded by Fuel Tax \$8.72 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$2.76 million.

**Operating Impact of Capital:** This project requires \$500 thousand in operating costs including 1 FTE for 2017 to 2018, and \$1.5 million for 2019-2024.

### **Program 656: Buildings and Stations**

### Project 656-04W: Transit Buildings Lifecycle Asset Management

**New Budget Request** of \$9.1 million for rehabilitation and lifecycle replacement (including escalator, roof replacements etc.). Project will be funded by Gas Tax Fund \$7.82 million, Fuel Tax \$480 thousand, Pay-As-You-Go \$600 thousand and Lifecycle Maintenance and Upgrade Reserve \$200 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Project 656-10W; Westbrook Building

**New Budget Request** of \$25 million to provide a new operation centre in the Westbrook Transit Facility to allow Calgary Transit to monitor and manage the network safely, better serve customers and respond quickly to service disruptions. The existing control centre is located in a building that flooded in June 2013. Project will be funded by Fuel Tax \$25.0 million.

**Operating Impact of Capital:** This project requires \$345 thousand in operating costs including 1 FTE for 2016 to 2018, and \$690 thousand for 2019-2024.

### **Project 656-12W: Major Transit Maintenance Facilities Upgrades**

**New Budget Request** of \$10 million to upgrade existing bus maintenance facilities. Indoor storage and maintenance facilities are critical to ensure buses are clean, safe, comfortable and reliable, and can achieve a long service life. Project will be funded by Gas Tax Fund \$10.0 million.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### **Project 656-307:LRT Stations and Auxiliary Buildings Upgrades**

**New Budget Request** of \$5.375 million for rehabilitation and lifecycle replacement of LRT stations. Project will be funded by Fuel Tax \$3.9 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$1.475 million.

### Program 657 : Fleet and Equipment

# Project 657-01W: Bus Refurbishment

**New Budget Request** of \$14.8 million to provide for the mid-life refurbishment of buses to maintain transit service reliability and extend the life of the buses typically after 10 years of service. Includes major structural work, bodywork and replacement of mechanical and electrical systems. Project will be funded by Fuel Tax \$2.7 million and Gas Tax Fund \$12.1 million.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Project 657-02W: LRV Refurbishment

**New Budget Request** of \$29.86 million to provide for the mid-life refurbishment of the SD160 train cars. Refurbishment involves a painting and overhaul of the structure and major mechanical and electrical systems to achieve the 30 year service life target for these train cars. Project will be funded by Fuel Tax \$3.793 million, Gas Tax Fund \$25.66 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$407 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Project 657-03W: Fleet & Equipment

**New Budget Request** of \$2.8 million to purchase new and replacement vehicles and equipment to support Calgary Transit services in the field. This includes highly specialized vehicles to perform LRT track maintenance. Project will be funded by Pay-As-You-Go \$2.248 million and Revenue/Reserve \$552 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 665: Buses/Community Shuttle Buses

### Project 665-02W: Big Buses/Community Shuttle Buses

**New Budget Request** of \$51.99 million to provide the ongoing capital to replace and expand the fleet of 40-foot low floor buses, 60-foot articulated buses, and community shuttle buses. Project will be funded from Gas Tax Fund \$45.69 million and Community and Recreation levy \$6.3 million.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### **Program 668: Fare Collection Services**

### **Project 668-01W: Fare Collection Equipment**

**New Budget Request** of \$3.1 million to provide for life-cycle rehabilitation of various technologies including the ticket vending machines, computer aided dispatch, automatic vehicle location, automated passenger information system. Project will be funded by Gas Tax Fund \$1.2 million and Pay-As-You-Go \$1.9 million.

TRAN: Calgary Transit - Capital Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

Calgary Transit												
Capital Budget (\$000s) for Approval (Totals may not match due to rounding)												
						10010	Total					
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	(2015-*2019+)					
Previously-Approved Budget (as at 2014 June 30)	242,679	160,021	56,000	2,000	0	0	218,021					
Projects Requiring Approval												
Program 563: Primary Transit Network Optimization		1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	0	4,000					
Program 564 : CT Technology Upgrades		1,950	2,275	2,275	2,275	0	8,775					
Program 655 : Outside Plant and Support Systems		23,730	23,950	11,950	13,950	0	73,580					
Program 656 : Buildings and Stations		15,200	22,425	5,925	5,925	0	49,475					
Program 657 : Fleet and Equipment		9,900	11,650	13,243	12,667	0	47,460					
Program 665 : Buses/Community Shuttle Buses		0	17,330	17,330	17,330	0	51,990					
Program 668 : Fare Collection Services		550	850	850	850	0	3,100					
Total Projects Requiring Approval		52,330	79,480	52,573	53,997	0	238,380					
Total Capital Budget	242,679	212,351	135,480	54,573	53,997	0	456,401					

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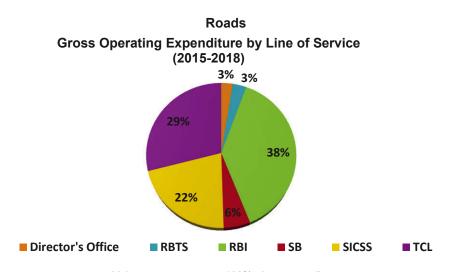
Roads

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### TRAN: Roads - Overview

Roads maintains, rehabilitates, and reconstructs The City's roadways and bridges, manages traffic and parking infrastructure. Roadway maintenance and construction programs include pothole repair, street cleaning, snow and ice control, surface overlay paving and sidewalk repair. Roads provides a safe, effective and well-maintained road network for all travel modes, and has a commitment to excellence, innovation, sustainability and environmental sensitivity.

Roads maintains approximately 16,000 lane kilometres of pavement, 5,400 kilometres of sidewalks, 1,000 traffic signals, and approximately 92,000 streetlights. The business unit manages a fleet of sanders, plows, street sweepers, trucks and specialized equipment that ensure roadways are cleared for traffic including emergency vehicles. Roads also oversees a gravel mining and crushing operation to support winter maintenance, and an asphalt plant that supplies public and private needs on a year-round basis.



Values may not sum to 100%, due to rounding.

### Roadway & Bridge Infrastructure (RBI)

Provides Calgarians with safe, well-maintained and high-quality roadways and bridges.

### Sidewalks & Bikeways (SB)

Enables safe walking and cycling around Calgary in all weather conditions through safe, clean and well-maintained sidewalks, pathways and bikeways.

# Snow & Ice Control & Street Sweeping (SICSS)

Keeps the streets safe and clean to move citizens around Calgary in all weather conditions.

### Traffic Control & Lighting (TCL)

Efficiently operates and proactively improves how people move on roads in Calgary through effective traffic controls and safety enhancements.

# **Business & Technical Support (RBTS)**

Enables and improves service delivery for all lines of service through customer service, innovation, training and technical support.

TRAN: Roads - Overview

### **Trends**

Over the 2015-2018 business plan and budget cycle, Calgary's anticipated healthy economy will generate new residential development in newer outlying communities. This will result in increases to the size of the transportation network, more asset maintenance, and higher citizen service level expectations. Roads will implement efficiency and effectiveness measures where appropriate to mitigate these challenges.

Calgary has an increasing number of senior citizens and persons with mobility challenges. Addressing mobility and safety for all network users will require Roads to provide various types of services to promote accessibility. Examples include snow and ice control service for bicycle and sidewalk users, congestion reduction and safety improvement initiatives.

Roads has a large number of staff near retirement age and ongoing challenges will include succession planning and responding to evolving training needs.

Roads is committed to implementing new technologies that will help increase efficiencies and reduce initial capital investments and energy costs. Examples include energy efficient LED streetlight retrofits, assessments of vehicle efficiency and the expansion of online services.

# **Long-Term Plans**

The Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP), along with the Municipal Development Plan (MDP) sets a 60-year strategy for the kind of city Calgarians have said they want in the future. Roads will align decision making with the modal split identified in the CTP and increase the relative support of pedestrian and cycling infrastructure projects, including planning and engineering of new bike lanes throughout the city as part of the Cycling Strategy.

The overall transportation goal contained in the CTP/MDP is to develop an integrated, multi-modal transportation system that supports land use, provides increased mobility choices for citizens, promotes vibrant, connected communities, protects the natural environment, and supports a prosperous and competitive economy. Roads' capital plans, prioritized on a 10-year basis, support developing new capacity while maintaining existing systems.

In keeping with Council's directive to become a more effective and disciplined organization, Roads will continue to survey citizens on an annual basis to ensure the business unit is focused on the right actions and that citizens are satisfied with the services Roads provides.

# Citizen Engagement

Action Plan 2015-2018 engagement results indicated that transportation services are of great significance to citizens. How Calgarians get around is a top priority. Responsive snow and ice control as well as high-quality roads and sidewalks are important in shaping public perception of service quality.

Safety initiatives and travel time efficiency improve citizen perceptions of services and are closely linked to better utilization of the road network. Roads will continue to survey and engage citizens on a regular basis, through the Roads annual and snow and ice-control surveys, to ensure satisfaction with services and performance.

There is an expressed public interest for improved demonstration of spending efficiencies in municipal service delivery, particularly regarding better communications about efficiency and effectiveness. Moreover, public engagement exercises have demonstrated a strong preference to maintain and improve service levels for various services.

# TRAN: Roads - Overview

Roads will develop and enhance collaborative and customer-focused strategies that make use of online tools, service request data and customer surveys to promote public accountability and shape how services are best delivered to citizens.

### **Council Priorities**

Roads provides services that contribute to all Council Priorities. Each of these priority areas is interdependent and the organization will focus on executing the actions identified in the plan to realize the strategic vision set out by Council.

Getting around Calgary is frequently identified as a key priority; as a result, Roads has aligned its actions to ensure people and goods can move efficiently and safely throughout the city. Highlights of the strategic actions (subject to funding availability) include expansion of the snow and ice control program to serve persons with mobility challenges and high priority transit areas, upgrading the traffic management centre and developing a formalized incident management response plan to improve travel reliability, and investing in active transportation infrastructure such as sidewalks and bikeways to provide safe and sustainable transportation choices.

Roads contributes to the priority of a prosperous city by providing enhanced Roads services to communities and business revitalization zones and will develop a framework to help communities and businesses create or improve the use of public spaces. Roads also supports the development of communities by constructing missing links in sidewalks and bikeways, and will continue to work to develop a coordinated approach to deliver infrastructure repair services in neighbourhoods.

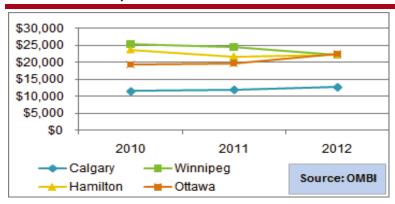
As a significant asset owner, maintenance activities impact the natural environment and the quality of life for all citizens in Calgary. Roads will support environmental initiatives by developing strategies to better divert construction waste from landfills, and implement energy reduction projects such as the energy efficient LED streetlight retrofit project.

Roads strives to be a more customer-focused organization by implementing initiatives such as the Customer Service Framework to integrate customer service commitments and standards into its programs and services. Implementing the Council-approved recommendations from the Zero-Based Review project will allow the business unit to be more effective and efficient, while continuing to deliver excellent services and provide value to citizens.

To continue as an employer of choice, Roads will develop a strategic workforce plan to address changing demographics and the aging workforce. Roads will also implement safety initiatives to promote a culture of health, safety and wellness.

# TRAN: Roads - Benchmarking

# **Total Roads Cost per Lane Kilometre**



This benchmark highlights the cost to operate and maintain Roads' assets taking into consideration the size of the road network.

# **Learning and Best Practices**

Calgary has a rapidly growing road network to maintain and this measure is expected to steadily increase over the next four years. The benchmark will be used to identify trends related to the cost of operations, infrastructure, network growth and the impacts of new assets. Comparisons per lane kilometre provide a consistent unit of measure against other municipalities and present opportunities to identify best practices.

# **Improvement Initiatives & Action Plan 2015-2018**

Specific improvement initiatives include implementing findings from the Roads' Zero-Based Review, safety improvements, new systems/technologies and customer-focused asset management plans. Highlighting the growing network size and long-term costs of maintenance will emphasize core efficiency areas for Roads to focus on.

Transportation facilitates the efficient movement of people and goods which contributes to creating a great place to live and work.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

P1 Strengthen Calgary's position as a global energy centre and location of choice for international talent, investment and innovation through enhanced business development, marketing and place-making initiatives.

P1.1 Collaborate with other Transportation Business Units to implement infrastructure improvements to facilitate goods and people movement.

RBI, SB, TCL

P3 Support civic, business and community partners, as well as business revitalization zones, to collaborate and attract local and global investment.

P3.1 Develop a framework through the Streets as Places project to evaluate the use of street space requests and help communities and businesses create or improve public spaces.

TCL

P3.2 Provide enhanced Roads services to prioritized business revitalization zones via various operations and lifecycle maintenance agreements.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

P10 Enhance access to technology and information.

P10.1 Provide citizens access to Roads information online such as travelers' information and road works locations and schedules.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

A prosperous city

A city of inspiring neighbourhoods

A city that moves

A healthy and green city

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# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

N1 Keep communities safe by meeting and maintaining standards for crime prevention, fire response, and enforcement.

N1.1 Implement traffic calming initiatives such as speed reduction and education programs to enhance public safety.

SB, TCL

N2 Build resiliency to flooding.

N2.1 Review the transportation network to implement (as funding allows) appropriate infrastructure improvements while moving towards a culture of long-term resilience planning.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

N3 Enhance The City's capacity and resiliency to prepare for and respond to pandemics, natural disasters and emergency situations.

N3.1 Enhance capacity to respond to emergency situations through business continuity planning, training and materials procurement.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

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N5 Systematically invest in established neighbourhoods as they evolve to accommodate changing community needs.

N5.1 Develop a coordinated approach to deliver infrastructure repair services in neighbourhoods.

RBI, SB, TCL

N5.2 Develop a strategy for the upgrading of undeveloped roads in established areas to improve safety, accessibility and reduce environmental impacts.

RBI, TCL

N6 Manage and promote growth to achieve the best possible social, environmental and economic outcomes within financial capacities.

N6.1 Provide developers with lower energy consumption choices for new streetlight standards.

TCL

N8 Make it easier to build developments that meet our Municipal Development Plan and Calgary Transportation Plan objectives.

N8.1 Provide a single-source quality assurance of assets during and after construction to legislated standards to realize efficiencies.

RBI

N8.2 Coordinate approvals of third party roadway and subdivision designs to updated municipal standards.

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Transportation ensures customers feel safe while using the transportation system. This includes supporting the development of complete communities by providing accessible and affordable transportation networks and services.

N9 Provide great public spaces and public realm improvements across the city to foster opportunity for well used public spaces and places for citizen connections and urban vitality.

N9.1 Implement and update new street design guidelines that promote safe, universal and sustainable design for all street types.

RBI

N9.2 Provide missing links in sidewalks and bikeways and signing connectivity to encourage pedestrian and cycle commuting.

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

M1 Implement and accelerate RouteAhead as transit funding becomes available.

M1.1 Implement transportation system management and optimization projects including transit priority improvements.

RBI, TCL

M1.2 Expand Snow and Ice Control for Light Rail Transit (LRT) and high-priority transit locations to the maximum extent possible with available funding.

SICSS

M2 Maximize the flow of traffic on the existing transportation network through the application of technology.

M2.1 Expand the Traffic Management Centre capabilities to improve the provision of traffic monitoring, incident management, traffic operation efficiency and traveler information.

TCL

M2.2 Install and maintain Roads communications infrastructure to support the Traffic Management Centre in improving mobility.

RBI, SB, TCL

M2.3 Investigate technologies that optimize existing/new systems to lower operating costs and maximize efficiency.

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

M2 Maximize the flow of traffic on the existing transportation network through the application of technology.

M2.4 Develop contingency plans and Strategic Communication Plans to support the annual operations plan for Snow and Ice Control (SNIC) and expand the SNIC program when funding is available.

RBTS, SICSS

M2.5 Develop a formalized incident management response plan to improve travel reliability.

TCL

M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.1 Design and construct capital projects outlined in the Investing in Mobility Plan to support growth management.

RBI, SB, SICSS, TCL

M3.2 Promote advancement of traffic safety initiatives with a focus on multi-modal safety and CPS safety cameras.

TCL

M3.3 Design and construct traffic control infrastructure which integrates the operations of the existing transportation network with the Southwest Ring Road.

RBI, SB, TCL

M3.4 Prepare and plan for the operation and maintenance transfer of the Deerfoot Trail from Alberta Transportation.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

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M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.5 Explore the enhancement and reconstruction of material storage facilities to better support snow removal and maintain compliance with The City's Salt Management Plan.

SICSS

M4 Invest in active transportation infrastructure, including cycling and pedestrian networks as funding becomes available.

M4.1 Design, construct and maintain sidewalks, bikeways and access roadways to promote use of active transportation modes.

RBI, SB, TCL

M4.2 Provide snow and ice control on sidewalks, walkways and bikeway priority routes, to the maximum extent possible with available funding, to encourage year-round use.

SB, SICSS

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Transportation evaluates innovative ways to affordably reduce our environmental impact when delivering transportation projects and services.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

H2 Encourage a broader range of innovative and clean energy technologies.

H2.1 Complete upgrades at Asphalt and Crusher Plants to meet environmental standards and realize cost savings.

RBI

H2.2 Explore opportunities and business cases for energy reduction initiatives guided by the Transportation Energy Management Plan.

RBI, TCL

H2.3 Design and build innovative, cost-effective and environmentally friendly pavement rehabilitation projects.

RBI

H3 Manage the interrelationships between flood protection, water quality and quantity, and land use.

H3.1 Achieve sustainability targets by developing waste diversion strategies to minimize construction waste.

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Transportation provides affordable transportation options while maintaining (and expanding where funding is available) service levels. This includes providing timely, accurate information to key decision makers and citizens.

# W2 Be as efficient and effective as possible, reducing costs and focusing on value-for-money. W2.1 Leverage mobile technologies to enhance employee training and field work activities. W2.2 Participate in Tomorrow's Workplace implementation projects in order to optimize administrative spaces. RBTS RBTS RBTS RBTS RBTS RBTS RBTS RBTS

W3 Examine opportunities for alternative service delivery for competitiveness. W3.1 Explore opportunities for alternative service delivery where appropriate resulting from the Zero-Based Review project findings.

W2.4 Optimize equipment and materials usage by reviewing service

RBI, RBTS, TCL

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agreements and long-term costs.

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W4 Balance demand for quality City services with affordable taxes.

W4.1 Recover full costs related to excavation permits including surface restoration and degradation fees to protect and maintain road infrastructure.

RBI, RBTS

W4.2 Produce materials (gravel and asphalt) as required for City construction and maintenance activities to support self-funded operations and facilitate year-round quality road repairs.

RBI

W5 Regularly collaborate and engage citizens to encourage participation in City decision-making, and better communicate the reasons for the decisions.

W5.1 Engage members of the public to communicate the value for money of Roads' services.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

W6 Effectively manage The City's inventory of public assets, optimizing limited resources to balance growth and maintenance requirements.

W6.1 Operate, maintain and repair road infrastructure to align infrastructure and associated funding needs to service level expectations.

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W6.2 Apply and refine Asset Management plans including Tangible Capital Asset improvement initiatives.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

W7 Continue to transform the organization to be more citizen-focused in its approach and delivery of service.

W7.1 Lead and implement departmental initiatives to integrate customer service commitments and standards into Transportation programs and services.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

W8 Increase collaboration across the organization, including alignment of budgets with service delivery to achieve City priorities.

W8.1 Promote and foster business relationships throughout the corporation that improve services and deliver value to customers.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

W9 Strive to be an employer of choice with a focus on addressing The City's aging workforce.

W9.1 Develop a strategic workforce plan to address changing demographics and retirements.

RBI, RBTS, SB, SICSS, TCL

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W9 Strive to be an employer of choice with a focus on addressing The City's aging workforce.

W9.2 Align safety initiatives to departmental health, safety and wellness culture practices by improving safety reporting and trends analysis to promote shared understanding and responsibility.

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TRAN: Roads - Lines of Service

Breakdown of Operating Budget by Service (\$000) (Totals may not add due to rounding)																
		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018		
	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs													
Director's Office	5,012	2,739	7.0	5,146	2,873	7.0	5,297	3,024	7.0	5,454	3,181	7.0	5,616	3,343	7.0	
Business & Technical Support	6,154	5,727	40.0	6,100	5,980	40.0	6,393	6,273	40.0	6,699	6,579	40.0	6,908	6,788	40.0	
Roadway & Bridge Infrastructure	76,977	44,706	295.0	77,849	43,113	297.0	80,324	45,088	299.0	82,954	47,219	301.0	84,495	47,760	303.0	
Sidewalks & Bikeways	10,828	10,098	62.0	11,300	10,570	63.0	11,659	10,929	64.0	12,056	11,326	65.0	12,250	11,520	66.0	
Snow & Ice Control & Street Sweeping	41,662	41,447	275.8	43,180	42,965	277.8	44,879	44,664	279.8	46,726	46,511	281.8	47,881	47,666	283.8	
Traffic Control & Lighting	58,359	38,749	232.0	60,893	40,884	236.0	61,637	41,378	240.0	62,548	42,039	244.0	61,203	40,444	248.0	
Total Business Unit	198,991	143,465	911.8	204,468	146,385	920.8	210,189	151,356	929.8	216,436	156,853	938.8	218,352	157,519	947.8	

Growth in transportation network size, input costs and service level expectations will result in increased costs of services for Roads. Without corresponding increases to operational budgets, Roads will face challenges to effectively and consistently deliver services while absorbing the cost of growth and inflation. To mitigate these challenges, Roads will implement efficiency and effectiveness measures where appropriate to optimize services and cost savings. By 2018, the anticipated cost of growth will require the implementation of additional cost-saving initiatives such as the LED Streetlight Retrofit project.

Severe weather events in 2013 and 2014 had significant impacts to operational budgets, and planning to respond to variable weather patterns will be a priority over the 2015-2018 business cycle. Roads will continue to balance capital investments in new assets and allocate operational budgets to maintain existing assets.

Roads has reclassified its lines of service to better reflect the services provided to the public. This will allow the business unit to focus on core competencies by providing efficient and cost-effective services to citizens.

Over the next four years, Roads will undertake a project to reconcile its FTE base (911.8 in 2014) across the workforce (1,136 individuals in 2014) to better reflect the number of staff required to provide services. The difference in these two numbers (of about 224 individuals) is the staff that help provide Roads' services to customers and are already funded through internal recovery and revenue, and are not growth related. As a result, no additional funding will be requested through this reconciliation, and no service impacts will be introduced. Completing the reconciliation will ensure a more accurate representation of the workforce and strengthen the workforce by enabling the recognition of staff that do not have an assigned FTE.

TRAN: Roads - Lines of Service

All \$ values are in Thousands (\$000)

Roadway & Bridge		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Infrastructure	\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	76,977	44,706	295.0	77,849	43,113	297.0	80,324	45,088	299.0	82,954	47,219	301.0	84,495	47,760	303.0

The development, construction and maintenance of Roads' assets are essential to the quality and efficiency of the transportation network. Escalating costs of materials, aging infrastructure and increased development activity will pose challenges during the 2015-2018 business cycle to respond to service requests and provide high-quality services. Strong population growth and a city-wide focus on disaster resiliency will place higher demands on existing infrastructure.

Planned work is prioritized by severity to reduce safety hazards; however, continued long-term funding deficiencies will result in reductions to infrastructure quality and the compounding repair costs for all assets. Within the current budget, repairs to potholes cannot be addressed until spring clean-up has been completed and the gravel lane program is not completed until the end of September. Delayed start times of these programs generates significant public dissatisfaction.

Growing infrastructure needs and citizen expectations will require additional resources and appropriate strategies for public engagement. Service levels can be expected to remain consistent as productivity gains are realized in areas such as the asphalt and crusher plants, and sufficient operating budget is allocated for roadway and bridge infrastructure repair services.

Sidewalks & Bikeways		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
	\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	10,828	10,098	62.0	11,300	10,570	63.0	11,659	10,929	64.0	12,056	11,326	65.0	12,250	11,520	66.0

Providing safe sidewalks and bikeways is closely aligned with Council's objective of expanding the accessibility of the transportation network. Roads will support this goal by designing, constructing and maintaining sidewalks and bikeway infrastructure. Improvements to services will be provided based on available funding and prioritized by location.

Enabling this infrastructure will encourage pedestrian and cycle commuting which aligns to several Council Priorities. Converting existing infrastructure to accommodate both vehicular and active modes of

transportation demands will impact congestion, travel times and mode split of travel. The expansion of the cycling network and operational requirements of the Cycling Strategy will require additional resources for maintenance and design, but are not currently budgeted.

Current funding levels do not support service enhancements but service quality will remain consistent over the course of the business cycle. Additional staff and funding will be dedicated to snow and ice control and concrete repairs as needed.

Traffic Control &		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Lighting	\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	58,359	38,749	232.0	60,893	40,884	236.0	61,637	41,378	240.0	62,548	42,039	244.0	61,203	40,444	248.0

Traffic services will meet the needs of travellers in Calgary through effective traffic control and streetlighting services and safety initiatives.

With the commissioning of the Airport Tunnel in May 2014, and enhancements to the Traffic Management Centre, Roads will experience an increase in the costs to operate this infrastructure due to additional technical staff required to monitor the associated systems.

Due to rapid development and the associated increase in traffic assets without comparable operating fund growth, the ability to effectively maintain these assets is limited. Given that proposed budgets do not include increases for road markings, service levels will remain unchanged and likely decrease over time.

To improve the flow of traffic, Roads will continue to undertake initiatives to improve travel time reliability and implement projects under the Smarter Mobility Plan, leveraging technologies to provide enhanced travel-related communications to the public, including the expansion of the Traffic Management Centre.

The implementation of the Energy Efficient LED Streetlight Retrofit project (subject to available capital funding) will contribute to significant cost savings and energy efficiency over the next 10 years, directly supporting the Council priority of building a healthy and green city. The ability to reallocate these savings to address growth in future years will be important to ensure current service levels are maintained.

Snow & Ice Control &		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Street Sweeping	\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	41,662	41,447	275.8	43,180	42,965	277.8	44,879	44,664	279.8	46,726	46,511	281.8	47,881	47,666	283.8

Roads is committed to providing a well-maintained network for all travel modes and is responsible for Snow and Ice Control (SNIC) and Street Sweeping services. Ensuring that citizens can move safely and reliably throughout the city, especially throughout winter, are important outcomes for the organization. Citizen engagement and feedback have indicated that high-quality SNIC services are integral to public satisfaction.

Proposed policy changes to the SNIC program are dependent on Council approval. Future areas of focus are services for persons with mobility challenges, pedestrian crossings, and engineered walkways. The

operating budget will directly impact Roads' ability to augment City forces during extreme weather conditions. If approved, additional funding and staff resources will be deployed to enhance service levels for SNIC such as establishing contingency reserves for responding to severe weather events and upgrading material storage facilities for SNIC operations.

Achieving the annual street sweeping operations plan depends on available budgets. Current funding levels may delay some services that are dependent on clear roadways, such as pothole repairs.

All \$ values are in Thousands (\$000)

Business & Technical		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Support	\$ Exp \$ Net FTEs			\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs									
	6,154	5,727	40.0	6,100	5,980	40.0	6,393	6,273	40.0	6,699	6,579	40.0	6,908	6,788	40.0

Customer service is a fundamental priority and Roads will address this objective through effectively coordinating service requests, providing online tools and streamlining permitting processes where possible. The business unit's ability to respond to increased customer demand for all types of online services is likely to be impeded by budget constraints, creating impacts on development and information technology work. Expanding the use of Roads ePermits, the online permitting system, to handle these requests will mitigate these challenges and continue to decrease the administrative costs of processing permits.

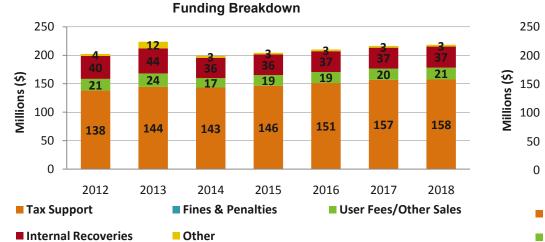
Limited increases to operating budgets will impact Roads' ability to maintain worker competence and ensure operator training requirements

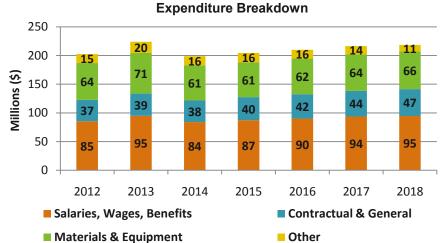
are met. With a changing workforce and associated loss of experience, an increasing demand for training is expected. This will be addressed by ensuring succession planning, career development and appropriate training tools are provided to employees.

Leveraging technology for training, mobile work stations, and communications will reduce real estate costs and help Roads reach the target of a 10 per cent decrease in assigned workstations, as part of the Tomorrow's Workplace program. Initiation of plans to optimize equipment and material usage across the organization will drive efficiencies and enhance capacity to sustain service levels.

TRAN: Roads - Breakdown of the Operating Budget







<u>Funding Breakdown</u> - Approximately two-thirds of the Roads' operating budget is tax-supported. Sales of construction materials, such as asphalt and aggregate, and Roads services provided to internal/external customers provide the remainder of the funding.

**Expenditures** - Under half of Roads' expenditures are dedicated to staff salary, wages and benefits. Other major expenditures include materials and equipment, and contracts to support the delivery of Roads services.

<u>User Fees / Charges / Utility Rates</u> - There are no proposed changes to 2015-2018 user fees. A comprehensive review of the Streets Bylaw is underway to investigate authorizations and fee structures for traditional and emerging uses of the roadways. Recommended changes to current fee structures will be brought forward in 2015.

TRAN: Roads - Breakdown of the Net Operating Budget

Totals may not add due to rounding

Breakdown of Net Operating Budget Changes (\$000s)	2015	2016	2017	2018
Previous Year's Budget	143,465	146,385	151,356	156,853
Less: Previous Year One Time	0	(545)	0	0
Base	143,465	145,840	151,356	156,853
Efficiency Gains	(2,914)	(1,524)	(2,008)	(4,213)
Inflation	4,480	4,570	4,960	2,259
Service and Budget Increase	2,024	2,085	2,148	2,212
Operating Impact of Previously Approved Capital	175	0	0	0
Operating Impact of New Capital (Incremental)	375	386	397	408
Re-alignments	(1,766)	0	0	0
One Time	545	0	0	0
Total Budget Change	2,920	5,517	5,497	666
Total Budget	146,385	151,356	156,853	157,519

Demand for services is expected to grow due to population growth and the transfer of capital assets to Roads. Every year, Roads assumes new assets from developers and major transportation capital projects which contributes to the increase in annual operating costs by approximately \$2 million. Corresponding funding increases will not be provided resulting in a budgetary gap in each year from 2015 to 2018. This shortfall will be further amplified due to higher than forecasted inflationary increases.

Roads will absorb growth costs and implement several efficiency improvement initiatives to address budgetary gaps. These initiatives include implementing a plan to achieve full cost-recovery of Roads' sales

of goods and services, increasing revenue from the asphalt and crusher plants and a portion of savings from the Energy Efficient LED Streetlight Retrofit project (subject to available capital funding). Additional cost reductions will be realized by leasing street sweepers instead of owning them and executing the efficiency and effectiveness actions as recommended by the Zero-Based Review project.

A one time operating budget request of \$545 thousand to the 2015 Roads operating budget was approved by Council to convert existing school zone signs to playground zone signs in 2015.

TCA Depreciation (\$000s) - Roads												
2015	2016	2017	2018									
123,748	128,938	134,971	141,808									

TCA Depreciation content is presented for information only.

**TRAN: Roads** - Operating Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

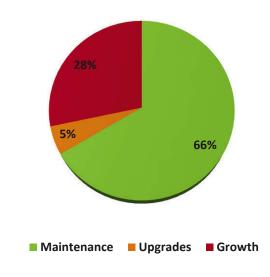
	Roads														
	Total Operating Budget (\$000s) for Approval (Totals may not match due to rounding)														
	2012	2013	2014	20	15 Budg	et	20	16 Budg	et	20	017 Budg	et	20	018 Budg	et
	Actual	Actual	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total
			Budget		Time			Time			Time			Time	
			(as of												
			June 30)												
Expenditures	202,503	223,921		203,923	545	204,468	210,189	0	210,189	216,436	0	216,436	218,352	0	218,352
Recoveries	(40,400)	(44,218)	(35,729)	(36,329)	0	(36,329)	(36,604)	0	(36,604)	(36,879)	0	(36,879)	(37,154)	0	(37,154)
Revenue	(24,229)	(35,226)	(19,797)	(21,754)	0	(21,754)	(22,229)	0	(22,229)	(22,704)	0	(22,704)	(23,679)	0	(23,679)
Net	137,875	144,477	143,465	145,840	545	146,385	151,356	0	151,356	156,853	0	156,853	157,519	0	157,519
FTEs	930.8	914.8	911.8	920.8	0.0	920.8	929.8	0.0	929.8	938.8	0.0	938.8	947.8	0.0	947.8

TRAN: Roads - Capital Budget Overview

Roads													
Capital Budget (\$000s) Overview (Totals may not match due to rounding)													
2015 2016 2017 2018 *2019+ Total													
Previously-Approved Budget (as at 2014 June 30)	39,480	4,000	4,000	0	0	47,480							
Total New Capital Budget Requests	71,510	55,625	56,725	56,965	840	241,665							
Total Business Unit Capital Budget	110,990	59,625	60,725	56,965	840	289,145							

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and which are completed in years beyond 2018.

Roads
New Capital Budget Requests by Project Type
(2015-\*2019+)
Total \$242 Million



Maintenance/Replacement - 66 per cent of the Roads' capital budget will be spent on maintenance programs that will help renew and extend the life of assets, thus deferring major costs associated with reconstruction of roadway and bridge infrastructure. The Pavement Rehabilitation Program ensures that the public is provided with safe and comfortable driving conditions by maintaining the current overall roadway condition rating. Investment in the Bridge Rehabilitation program ensures public safety through regular maintenance, inspection and rehabilitation.

<u>Upgrades</u> - Five per cent of the Roads' capital budget will be spent on initiatives such as designing and constructing various improvements to roadways, sidewalks, and bicycle and pedestrian paths across Calgary. Investment towards upgrades to roadways, bridges and facilities allows Roads to provide the public with improved infrastructure and decreases long-term maintenance costs. The Plants Capital program provides equipment upgrades to the asphalt and crusher plants, reducing environmental impacts and enabling more efficient plants operation which allows for year-round quality road repairs.

<u>Growth</u> - 28 per cent of the Roads' capital budget will be spent on new programs to improve mobility and accessibility to address the growth of the city, changing demographics and travel preferences. The Safety Improvements program focuses on safety related improvements for drivers, cyclists and pedestrians. The City Wide Active Mode program designs, builds and enhances sidewalk and bikeway infrastructure. Enhanced traffic management services will be provided through the Next Generation Traffic Management Centre project.

TRAN: Roads - Capital Budget Overview

Funding for Capital Projects (Totals may not match due to rounding)	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	Total 2015-*2019+
Federal Gas Tax Fund (GTF)	3,850	3,850	2,000	2,000	0	11,700
Fuel Tax - Revenue Sharing	29,790	22,070	22,085	22,715	770	97,430
Private Contributions/Developers Loans	8,550	8,550	8,550	8,550	0	34,200
Capital Reserves	1,850	1,850	1,850	1,850	0	7,400
Contribution from Calgary Parking Authority	1,750	1,750	1,750	1,750	0	7,000
Transportation Acreage Assessment	6,750	6,750	6,750	6,750	0	27,000
Pay-As-You-Go	6,435	6,805	13,740	13,350	70	40,400
Lifecycle Maintenance & Upgrade Reserve	4,000	4,000	0	0	0	8,000
2013 Flood	8,535	0	0	0	0	8,535
Total Funding	71,510	55,625	56,725	56,965	840	241,665
Total Operating Impacts of Capital (Cumulative)						
2015-2018 Operating Budget	375	761	1,158	1,566	N/A	
2019 and beyond up to 2024 Operating Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	9,396	

\*2019+ represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and are completed in years beyond 2018.

Flood Projects in yellow

# Capital Budget Listing (by Program - Project) (\$000s)

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
126-103	City Wide Active Modes Program	G	С			13,700	3,850	3,850	3,000	3,000	-	13,700	
Total Prog Mobility	gram 126 : Pedestrian & C	Cycle		-	-	13,700	3,850	3,850	3,000	3,000	-	13,700	
127-130	New Traffic Signals and Pedestrian Corridors	G	С			8,300	1,950	1,950	1,950	2,450	-	8,300	
127-140	Various Street Improvements	U	С			11,500	2,500	3,000	3,000	3,000	-	11,500	
127-141	Safety Improvements	G	С			4,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	-	4,000	

Program-		Туре	Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	ioi iataio	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
Project	Project Description			10 2014	years								
127-186	Intelligent Transportation System	G	С			3,000	500	500	1,000	1,000	-	3,000	
127-190	Next Generation Traffic Management Centre	G	С			8,400	7,100	100	800	400		8,400	
Total Prog	gram 127 : Goods Movem	ent &		-	-	35,200	13,050	6,550	7,750	7,850	-	35,200	_
Strategic N						,							
	Operating impact of cap	ital of	Progra	am 127									
	2015-2018 Operating Budget		01				50	101	154	208	N/A	513	
	2019 and beyond Operating Plan		02				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,248	1,248	
128-100	Streetlight - Upgrade & Maintenance	М	С			52,200	12,800	12,800	13,300	13,300	-	52,200	
128-130	Traffic Signals/Ped Corridors Lifecycle	M	С			13,350	3,000	3,350	3,500	3,500	-	13,350	City-wide
128-131	Traffic Signals-LED Relamp	M	С			2,400	600	600	600	600	-	2,400	
128-132	Pavement Rehabilitation	M	С			40,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	-	40,000	
128-135	Roads Equipments & Systems	G	С			3,300	825	825	825	825	-	3,300	City-wide
128-136	Plants Capital	U	С			1,000	250	250	250	250	-	1,000	
128-166	Roads District Yards & Depot	G	С			3,500	2,000	500	500	500	-	3,500	
128-170	Activity Centre & Corridor Maintenance	M	С			2,200	500	500	600	600	-	2,200	
128-885	Bridge Rehabilitation and Protection	M	С			40,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	-	40,000	
Total Prog	gram 128 : Lifecycle & Ass	set			-	157,950	39,975	38,825	39,575	39,575	-	157,950	_
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	Operating impact of cap	ital of	Progra	am 128	<b></b>		<b></b>			<b></b>	<b></b>	<b></b>	
	2015-2018 Operating Budget		01				325	660	1,004	1,358	N/A	3,347	
	2019 and beyond Operating Plan		O2				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	8,148	8,148	

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	e Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
129-143	Subdivision Construction	G	С			5,200	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	-	5,200	City-wide
129-145 129-204	Slope Stabilization Development of Access Roads	M G	C C			2,000 16,000	500 4,000	500 4,000	500 4,000	500 4,000	-		City-wide
	gram 129 : Development & ental Supportive	•		-	-	23,200	5,800	5,800	5,800	5,800	-	23,200	-
133-001	Railway Crossing Upgrades	G	С			3,080	300	600	600	740	840	3,080	City-wide
Total Pro Upgrades	gram 133 : Railway Crossi	ng		-	-	3,080	300	600	600	740	840	3,080	-
948-001	Pavement and Sidewalk Reconstruction	M	A	1,000	6,000	8,535	8,535	-	-	-	-	8,535	
Total Pro Projects	gram 948 : 2013 Flood Rel	ated		1,000	6,000	8,535	8,535	-	-	-	-	8,535	
					-	241,665	71,510	55,625	56,725	56,965	840	241,665	• •

# Note:

Type: M=Maintenance/Replacement, U=Upgrade, G=Growth, S=Service Change

Category: A=Project in Progress, C=New Project, O1=2015-2018 Operating Cost, O2=2019 and beyond Operating Cost Budgets and/or operating impact of capital beyond 2019 are included in 2019 and are detailed in the Explanation section

### **Explanation of Budget Requests**

Program 126: Pedestrian & Cycle Mobility

Project 126-103: City Wide Active Modes Program

**New Budget Request** of \$13.7 million to provide for the city wide active modes program. This program focuses on developing infrastructure that improves connectivity around areas that provide the potential for comprehensive, higher-intensity development that can be integrated with the Primary Transit Network. Examples include the implementation of complete street standards such as wide curve lanes and greenways that improves cycle and pedestrian pathway connectivity around existing Activity Centres and Corridors. Project will be funded \$11.7 million by federal Gas Tax Fund (GTF) and \$2.0 million Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 127: Goods Movement & Strategic Mobility

Project 127-130: New Traffic Signals and Pedestrian Corridors

**New Budget Request** of \$8.3 million to provide for construction of new traffic signals and pedestrian corridors. New traffic signals and pedestrian corridors that meet the warrant based on traffic volumes and physical characteristics are installed to address capacity and safety concerns at critical intersections. Funding for new Pan-Tilt-Zoom (PTZ) cameras that provide real time information for traffic management is also included in this budget. Project will be funded \$2.5 million by Fuel Tax and \$5.8 million Transportation Acreage Assessment.

Operating Impact of Capital: This project requires \$0.513 million in operating costs for 2015 to 2018.

**Project 127-140: Various Street Improvements** 

**New Budget Request** of \$11.5 million to provide for the design and construction of various smaller-scale improvements on roadways, sidewalks, bicycle and pedestrian paths, and transit infrastructure across Calgary. These same requirements may also come from other Business Units that do not have the implementation resources to accommodate their construction needs. Project will be funded \$8.0 million by Fuel Tax and \$3.5 million Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

Project 127-141: Safety Improvements

**New Budget Request** of \$4 million to provide for safety improvements to eliminate or diminish road or pathway hazards and address high collision locations. The program provides for the design and construction of various small to medium safety improvements in all areas of the city. Examples of projects: median barriers, curb extensions, pedestrian barriers (along school frontages), over height detection and warning systems, road condition warning systems, ramp metering, speed awareness signs and safe route to schools. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

#### Project 127-186: Intelligent Transportation system

**New Budget Request** of \$3 million to provide for the implementation of Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) Strategic Plan. This project will utilize elements such as Advanced Traffic Management Systems (ATMS), Advanced Traveller Information Systems (ATIS), Road Weather information systems (RWIS) and others (CCTV, MIST) to improve mobility and enhance safety of the City's road network. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

#### **Project 127-190: Next Generation Traffic Management Centre**

**New Budget Request** of \$8.4 million for the next generation Traffic Management Centre. The current Traffic Management Centre is reaching capacity due to older technology and limited space. The Next Generation Traffic Management Centre would upgrade monitoring and detection systems, centralize operations (link Traffic with Calgary Transit and Emergency Operations Centre) and support the delivery of customer-focused services through more responsive operations. Project will be funded \$6.5 million by Fuel Tax and \$1.9 million Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 128 : Lifecycle & Asset Management

#### Project 128-100: Streetlight - Upgrade & Maintenance

New Budget Request of \$52.2 million to provide for the upgrade and preventative maintenance of the existing streetlight system including painting poles, cleaning fixtures and bases, replacing aging, unsafe, or critical system components to meet safety requirements. The program also includes group bulb replacement which replaces approximately 10,000 bulbs annually prior to burning out. This program is also used to replace street light bulbs with LED lights or other technologies but does not include development of the streetlight infrastructure in new developed areas. Project will be funded by \$23 million interal or external loan, \$5 million CPA Surplus, \$4 million LED reserve, \$3.2 million private contributions, \$8.0 million Lifecycle Maintenance and Upgrade Reserve and \$9.0 million Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: This project requires \$1.03 million in operating costs for 2015 to 2018.

#### Project 128-130: Traffic Signals/Ped Corridors Lifecycle

**New Budget Request** of \$13.35 million to provide for lifecycle improvements and upgrades to existing signalized intersections to improve operation, safety, accessibility and efficiency for motorists, pedestrians, cyclists, and Calgary Transit. Improvements may include the repair, replacement and upgrading of aging steel mast arms, deteriorated concrete bases, cabinets, controllers, signal heads, electrical devices, underground ducting and large information sign structures, and installing wireless communications. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Pay-As-You-Go along with private contributions for projects triggered by commercial developments.

Operating Impact of Capital: This project requires \$1.287 million in operating costs for 2015 to 2018.

#### Project 128-131: Traffic Signals-LED Relamp

**New Budget Request** of \$2.4 million to provide for the replacement of incandescent bulbs in all traffic signals with power saving and more durable LED bulbs. Specific benefits of the program include alignment with strategic policies, targets and goals, reductions in electricity consumption and preventative maintenance costs, and improvements in lighting quality. Project will be 100 per cent funded by LED Traffic Signal Display Re-Lamping Reserve.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

#### **Project 128-132 Pavement Rehabilitation**

**New Budget Request** of \$40 million to provide for lifecycle maintenance of road infrastructure. Major rehabilitation of roadways improves safety and ride quality for all vehicles and cyclists, and prolongs the lifespan of existing roadways before major road reconstruction is required. Well maintained roads improve customer satisfaction and provide reduced overall life cycle costs by minimizing costly rehabilitation treatments. Project will be funded \$38.0 million by Fuel Tax and \$2.0 million Pay-As-You-Go. **Operating Impact of Capital**: None.

#### Project 128-135: Roads Equipments & Systems

**New Budget Request** of \$3.3 million to provide for small equipment requirements, operational safety requirements and funds technology upgrades and installations for both hardware and software. Program initiatives include Roads' weather information systems stations, automatic vehicle location sensors, EpoSat GPS-controlled spreading, and the grader training simulator. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: This project requires \$1.03 million in operating costs for 2015 to 2018.

#### Project 128-136: Plants Capital

**New Budget Request** of \$1 million to provide for new equipment required to comply with industry standards and meet service levels for Plants operations. The Plants operation is self sustaining and creates revenue from the sale of gravel and asphalt to City departments as well as for external customers on a year-round basis. Project will be funded by the Asphalt and Crusher Plant Lifecycle Capital Reserve. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

#### Project 128-166: Roads District Yards & Depot

**New Budget Request** of \$3.5 million to ensure that Roads Maintenance depots structures and physical infrastructure meet Environmental and Safety Management (ESM) guidelines. This program enables Roads to build, improve and maintain facilities that are crucial to its service delivery. Facilities include permanent and temporary buildings, material storage and handling buildings, fencing and yard safety. Depot sites are the base of operations for pavement repairs, site upgrades, geotechnical investigations and structural assessments. Project will be funded \$1.5 million by Fuel Tax and \$2.0 million Pay-As-You-Go. **Operating Impact of Capital**: None.

#### Project 128-170: Activity Centre & Corridor Maintenance

**New Budget Request** of \$2.2 million to maintain activity centres, corridors and high-density, mixed-use locations such as the Beltline or Kensington areas. Because they are high-usage and high-profile locations, local infrastructure requires more frequent maintenance. This program re-invests some funds collected by the Calgary Parking Authority (CPA) to enhance lifecycle maintenance in Centre City and business revitalization zones that have CPA-managed paid parking. Project will be funded \$2.0 million by contribution from Calgary Parking Authority (CPA) and \$200 thousand Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Project 128-885: Bridge Rehabilitation and Protection

**New Budget Request** of \$40 million to provide for lifecycle maintenance of road infrastructure. Major rehabilitation of roadways improves safety and ride quality for all vehicles and cyclists, and prolongs the lifespan of existing roadways before major road reconstruction is required. The areas selected for rehabilitation are prioritized based on annual condition inspections so that high-priority repairs are completed in a pre-determined order. Project will be funded \$38.0 million by Fuel Tax and \$2.0 million Pay-As-You-Go. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

#### **Project 129-143: Subdivision Construction**

**New Budget Request** of \$5.2 million to fund Transportation's share of development charges in all areas of the City. This includes boundary payments and other non-recoverable payments to developers and the City's share in raising roads above the flood plain. These roadways are built by developers as part of their development obligations. The Program also funds the acquisition of road right-of-way for minor widening, and fees for legal survey for some road right-of-way dedications. The Program also funds construction of roadways where developers have become insolvent/bankrupt. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Transportation Acreage Assessment. **Operating Impact of Capital**: None.

### **Program 129: Development & Environmental Supportive**

#### Project 129-145: Slope Stabilization

**New Budget Request** of \$2 million to provide for the necessary work to complete required slope stability projects to eliminate hazardous conditions. Some of these projects will be related to areas affected by the 2013 Flood. Costs include geotechnical borehole drilling and investigation, slope stability analysis and geotechnical design and construction. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Pay-As-You-Go. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

#### **Project 129-204: Development of Access Roads**

**New Budget Request** of \$16 million to provide for the development of access roads helps address key missing links in major road networks in newly developing areas. These links are a result of fractional ownerships and discontinuous subdivisions in areas with multiple landowners which are beyond the obligations of immediately adjacent development. These costs are recovered over time from private developers as they complete adjacent developments. Project will be 100 per cent funded by Transportation Acreage Assessment. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

### **Program 133: Railway Crossing Upgrades**

**Project 133-001: Railway Crossing Upgrades** 

**New Budget Request** of \$3.08 million (\$2.24 million for 2015-2018 and \$0.84 million for 2019) to provide for capital repairs such as replacements of planking, pavement, sidewalks and drainage at at-grade railway crossings as mandated by the Railway Safety Act, Board Orders and Grade Crossing Agreements. Upgrading railway crossings is required by law to be completed within legislated timeframes. Project will be funded \$2.93 million by Fuel Tax and \$0.15 million Pay-As-You-Go.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 948: 2013 Flood Related Projects

Project 948-001: Pavement and Sidewalk Reconstruction

Previously approved budget up to 2014 of \$1.0 million is funded by the Disaster Recovery Program.

Previously approved budget for future years of \$6.0 million is funded by the Disaster Recovery Program.

**New Budget Request** of \$8.535 million to provide for flood-related reconstruction of pavement and sidewalks. The 2013 Flood resulted in multiple sinkholes and safety hazards that affected subsurface road conditions in various locations. Possible treatment alternatives will be identified and recommended such as road reconstruction or repaving. This project will be funded by the Disaster Recovery Program.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

**TRAN: Roads** - Capital Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

	Roads													
Capit	al Budget (\$00	0s) for Approva	(Totals may not m	atch due to rounding)	)									
							Total							
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	(2015-*2019+)							
Previously-Approved Budget (as at 2014 June 30)	92,016	39,480	4,000	4,000	0	0	47,480							
Projects Requiring Approval														
Program 126 : Pedestrian & Cycle Mobility		3,850	3,850	3,000	3,000	0	13,700							
Program 127: Goods Movement & Strategic Mobility	,	13,050	6,550	7,750	7,850	0	35,200							
Program 128 : Lifecycle & Asset Management		39,975	38,825	39,575	39,575	0	157,950							
Program 129 : Development & Environmental Suppo	rtive	5,800	5,800	5,800	5,800	0	23,200							
Program 133 : Railway Crossing Upgrades		300	600	600	740	840	3,080							
Program 948 : 2013 Flood Related Projects		8,535	0	0	0	0	8,535							
Total Projects Requiring Approval		71,510	55,625	56,725	56,965	840	241,665							
Total Capital Budget	92,016	110,990	59,625	60,725	56,965	840	289,145							

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and are completed in years beyond 2018.

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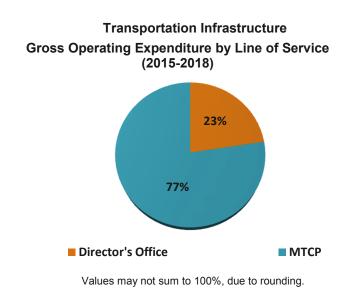
# TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure - Overview

Transportation Infrastructure designs and builds safe, efficient and sustainable transportation infrastructure choices for Calgarians. This includes construction of the largest and most complex transportation projects in Calgary's history such as the West LRT, Airport Trail tunnel in addition to key pedestrian, cycle and roadway projects. Since 2007, Transportation Infrastructure has delivered 125 lane kilometres of roadway, increased the length of the LRT system by 25 per cent, lengthened existing LRT stations to accommodate four-car trains, delivered seven pedestrian bridges, five interchanges and four river crossings. Transportation Infrastructure is leading further expansion to transit system with projects such as the Green Line Transitway, Stoney

Transit Facility, and future Transitways. Transportation Infrastructure's mandate is to provide the highest level of project management excellence within the City, building projects on time, under budget and with the highest of quality standards. This includes, planning, design, land acquisition, procuring contractors, dealing with environmental regulators and communicating with the public through consultation and engagement.

### **Major Transportation Capital Projects (MTCP)**

Design and build roads, bridges, and transit projects to provide travel choices and value for Calgarians.



# TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure - Overview

#### **Trends**

Between 2015 and 2018, Calgary's population is expected to grow significantly. Growth and mobility have a significant impact on each other. The type and location of transportation projects The City builds (roads, transit, bike and pedestrian facilities) will determine how easy it is for people to reach the places where they live, work and play. This growth will result in city-wide transportation impacts.

Transportation Infrastructure will design and build several new transitway corridors across the city that will make transit a more convenient option, not just to reach downtown, but other major destinations like post-secondary institutions, hospitals and major retail centres. Capital roads construction projects will aim to ease congestion on some Calgary's busiest roads (Glenmore Trail, Macleod Trail, the TransCanada Highway and McKnight Boulevard).

The City has undertaken a number of new initiatives to make Calgary more liveable and economically competitive, and to provide efficient and effective infrastructure and services. Transportation Infrastructure will continue to design and build new infrastructure with a focus on reinvesting in existing assets as identified in the Investing in Mobility 10-year capital plan. Transportation Infrastructure is committed to increasing service productivity and effectiveness, therefore improving the value and quality of service received by Calgarians.

# **Long-Term Plans**

Transportation Infrastructure supports the Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP), Municipal Development Plan (MDP), and the 2020 Sustainability Direction through: design and construction of priority transportation infrastructure projects; design and construction of network upgrades that improve travel time reliability; identification of life-cycle costs and alternatives for new infrastructure delivery; and reduction of the

environmental impacts of construction activities.

Transportation Infrastructure will emphasize sustainable construction practices throughout 2015-2018 to help reduce the potential environmental impacts of large-scale capital projects. There will also be a focus on improving the safety, comfort, and accessibility of the transportation system which will help promote the economic viability of the city.

Transportation Infrastructure will help deliver capital projects identified in the Investing in Mobility 10-year capital plan, including the Green Line Transitway and will support other corporate growth priority projects (Redevelopments, Corridors, and Centre City).

### Citizen Engagement

Engagement results from Action Plan 2015 -2018 indicate getting around is of great significance to Calgarians. There was an expressed desire for improved efficiency and effectiveness in municipal service delivery. The Green Line Transitway is part of the Calgary Transportation Plan's ridership required to make CTrain a cost effective service option in the future. Transportation Infrastructure will continue to apply stakeholder Primary Transit Network and is identified as a high priority in RouteAhead with the Southeast Transitway as the first stage of the long-term project. Building the Southeast Transitway will give Calgarians the improvements they need today, and will promote and attract the engagement strategies that are planned, implemented and evaluated using The City's engage! Policy.

# **TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure** - Overview

# **Council Priorities**

Under a city that moves, Transportation Infrastructure leads invest in road and transit projects improvements to ease traffic congestion.

Actions will focus on achieving the desired outcomes of Council Priorities by delivering high-quality transportation projects that allow Calgarians to move efficiently, and safely throughout the city while using a variety of convenient, affordable, and accessible transportation options.

### **TRAN Commitment:**

Transportation facilitates the efficient movement of people and goods which contributes to creating a great place to live and work.

### Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

P1 Strengthen Calgary's position as a global energy centre and location of choice for international talent, investment and innovation through enhanced business development, marketing and place-making initiatives.

P1.1 Deliver major transportation infrastructure projects in partnership with provincial, federal and rail agencies.

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P1.2 Support the development of Tranist Oriented Development (TOD) plans for all LRT and transit stations.

MTCP

P8 Respond to the needs of an aging population.

P8.1 Incorporate accessibility standards into new infrastructure construction.

MTCP

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Transportation ensures customers feel safe while using the transportation system. This includes supporting the development of complete communities by providing accessible and affordable transportation networks and services.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

### **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

N1 Keep communities safe by meeting and maintaining standards for crime prevention, fire response, and enforcement.

N1.1 Apply Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) and Road Safety Audit (RSA) review through design and construction process on all applicable projects.

MTCP

N1.2 Manage construction contracts to ensure compliance with safety procedure and regulation.

MTCP

N2 Build resiliency to flooding.

N2.1 Design and implement infrastructure projects for flood resiliency.

MTCP

N3 Enhance The City's capacity and resiliency to prepare for and respond to pandemics, natural disasters and emergency situations.

N3.1 Enhance capacity to respond to emergency situations through business continuity planning, training and materials procurement.

MTCP

N3.2 Support Calgary Emergency Management Agency by providing consultation services to Emergency Operations Centre.

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Transportation ensures customers feel safe while using the transportation system. This includes supporting the development of complete communities by providing accessible and affordable transportation networks and services.

N6 Manage and promote growth to achieve the best possible social, environmental and economic outcomes within financial capacities.

N6.1 Support Corporate Growth Management by offering Transportation Infrastructure expertise for delivering projects.

MTCP

N8 Make it easier to build developments that meet our Municipal Development Plan and Calgary Transportation Plan objectives.

N8.1 Incorporate Low Impact Development practices into the design, construction and retrofits of transportation facilities.

MTCP

N9 Provide great public spaces and public realm improvements across the city to foster opportunity for well used public spaces and places for citizen connections and urban vitality.

N9.1 Apply the Complete Streets and Urban Design guidelines when delivering projects.

MTCP

N9.2 Support streetscape and public realm improvements on projects.

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy Accountable Service** M1 Implement and accelerate M1.1 Initiate preliminary design of 17 Avenue Southeast Transitway, MTCP and Southwest Transitway. RouteAhead as transit funding becomes available. M1.2 Complete the design of Green Line Southeast Transitway and MTCP evaluate staging options for Green Line Transitway to balance decision with cost impacts, design/construction efficiencies, and customer benefits. MTCP M1.3 Deliver Stoney Transit Facility. M2 Maximize the flow of traffic on the M2.1 Support the implementation of Transportation projects to retrofit MTCP existing roads with Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) systems. existing transportation network through the application of technology.

M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.1 Design and implement key projects outlined in the Investing in Mobility plan.

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.2 Design and build infrastructure which integrates the operations of the existing transportation network with the new Southwest and West Ring Roads.

MTCP

M4 Invest in active transportation infrastructure, including cycling and pedestrian networks as funding becomes available.

M4.1 Design and build Centre City projects that enhance pedestrian and cycling facilities.

MTCP

M4.2 Build CycleTrack pilot project including delivering a public communication and education plan.

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Transportation evaluates innovative ways to affordably reduce our environmental impact when delivering transportation projects and services.

### Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

H2 Encourage a broader range of innovative and clean energy technologies.

H2.1 Prevent or minimize the adverse environmental effects of construction projects and activities.

MTCP

H2.2 Integrate green infrastructure elements into new projects to improve the quality of the environment and lead to improved efficiency.

MTCP

H2.3 Maintain Tl's Envirosystem to ensure that it reflects current practice and conforms to the ISO 14001 Standard during all phases of the project process.

MTCP

H2.4 Explore opportunities and business cases for energy reduction opportunities in new projects as guided by the Transportation Energy Management Plan.

MTCP

H3 Manage the interrelationships between flood protection, water quality and quantity, and land use.

H3.1 Promote business process management (BPM) for tree protection on projects.

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Transportation provides affordable transportation options while maintaining (and expanding where funding is available) service levels. This includes providing timely, accurate information to key decision makers and citizens.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy Accountable Service** MTCP W2.1 Incorporate Value Management analysis for projects. W2 Be as efficient and effective as possible, reducing costs and focusing W2.2 Lead the development of department-wide performance measures MTCP on value-for-money. framework in order to increase service productivity and effectiveness. W2.3 Review findings from the Project Management Maturity Model to MTCP support improving business processes. W2.4 Benchmark Major Transportation Capital Projects (MTCP) line of MTCP service to identify the best in practise to serve as a goal towards increased service productivity and effectiveness. W3 Examine opportunities for W3.1 Evaluate service delivery options for individual projects to find the MTCP

alternative service delivery for competitiveness.

best combination of time, cost and quality objectives.

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Transportation provides affordable transportation options while maintaining (and expanding where funding is available) service levels. This includes providing timely, accurate information to key decision makers and citizens.

W5 Regularly collaborate and engage citizens to encourage participation in City decision-making, and better communicate the reasons for the decisions.

W5.1 Ensure that engagement strategies are planned, implemented and evaluated using The City's engage! Policy.

MTCP

W5.2 Respond to customer service requests (CSRs) relating to projects inquiries.

MTCP

W6 Effectively manage The City's inventory of public assets, optimizing limited resources to balance growth and maintenance requirements.

W6.1 Develop and report lifecycle and operating and maintenance costs as part of transportation infrastructure planning, design and decision processes for new capital investments.

MTCP

W6.2 Develop and refine Asset Management plans including Tangible Capital Asset Improvement initiatives to provide timely financial reporting in order to meet Tangible Capital Assets (TCA) compliance.

MTCP

W7 Continue to transform the organization to be more citizen-focused in its approach and delivery of service.

W7.1 Establish a plan for utilizing a variety of channels for formal and informal communications with customers and stakeholders.

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W7.2 Recognize staff for excellent project delivery and customer service.

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W8 Increase collaboration across the organization, including alignment of budgets with service delivery to achieve City priorities.

W8.1 Provide internal project delivery consultation services to other Business Units across the City.

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W9 Strive to be an employer of choice with a focus on addressing The City's aging workforce.

W9.1 Promote a respectful, healthy and productive workplace through the engagement of employees and development of strategic workforce plans.

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TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure - Lines of Service

	Breakdown of Operating Budget by Service (\$000) (Totals may not add due to rounding)														
	2014				2015			2016			2017			2018	
	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs
Director's Office	2,692	0	5.0	2,342	0	5.0	2,342	0	5.0	2,342	0	5.0	2,342	0	5.0
Major Transportation Capital Projects	9,119	0	47.0	7,959	0	41.0	8,002	0	41.0	8,050	0	41.0	8,050	0	41.0
Total Business Unit	11,811	0	52.0	10,300	0	46.0	10,343	0	46.0	10,391	0	46.0	10,391	0	46.0

Transportation Infrastructure will support the Calgary Transportation Plan, Council Priorities, and the 2020 Sustainability Direction by delivering quality infrastructure assets while minimizing the impacts of construction projects and the expenditure of City resources.

Transportation Infrastructure consistently applies stakeholder engagement strategies that are planned, implemented and evaluated using The City's engage! Policy, and demonstrates continual improvement in the application of environmentally friendly design and construction practices.

Improving the delivery of project management services will be a key focus area during the 2015-2018 business plan and budget cycle. These improvements will be made without increasing business unit expenditures or recoveries. A reduction in capital project workload and associated funding will result in a reduction in the number of staff positions required in Transportation Infrastructure.

The elimination of six full-time equivalent positions in 2015 (related to current staff vacancies) will result in expenditures reducing by \$743 thousand. An additional reduction of \$220 thousand will be achieved through reduced rental expenses. Since all costs are funded through capital projects, there will be no net impact on the tax supported budget. The expenditures are offset by a corresponding reduction in recoveries.

TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure - Lines of Service

All \$ values are in Thousands (\$000)

Major Transportation		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Capital Projects	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs												
	9,119	0	47.0	7,959	0	41.0	8,002	0	41.0	8,050	0	41.0	8,050	0	41.0

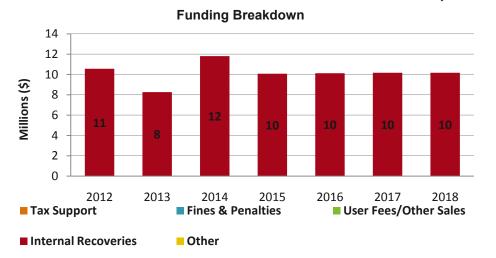
Transportation Infrastructure plans, designs and builds safe, efficient and sustainable transportation infrastructure new and expanded transit facilities, new roadways and major reconstruction projects on existing roadways, pedestrian bridges and new cycling infrastructure.

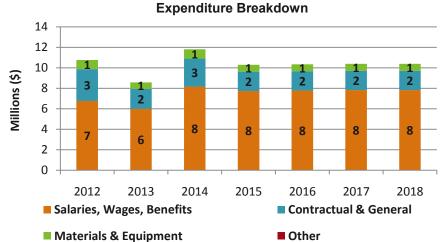
Transportation Infrastructure ensures City assets are well-managed through the explicit identification and implementation of life-cycle analysis and project management best practices. One of Transportation Infrastructure's key objectives is to make it easier for the public to get

the information they need and to participate in public hearings. This objective is achieved through the use of a broad range of communication tools to engage stakeholders, including a greater use of electronic and social media. Transportation Infrastructure also aims to increase transparency and accountability through a process of review and continual improvement of internal standards for project status reporting and record-keeping.

**TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure** - Breakdown of the Operating Budget

Totals may not match due to rounding





<u>Funding Breakdown</u> - Transportation Infrastructure's operating budget is funded primarily through Internal Recoveries - all costs are recovered through capital projects.

**Expenditures** - Approximately 75 per cent of Transportation Infrastructure's operating budget is used for salary and wages for employees. The remainder is contractual and general expenses that can include external consultants as well as general office expenses.

**TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure** - Breakdown of the Net Operating Budget

Totals may not add due to rounding

Breakdown of Net Operating Budget Changes (\$000s)	2015	2016	2017	2018
Previous Year's Budget	0	0	0	0
Less: Previous Year One Time	0	0	0	0
Base	0	0	0	0
Efficiency Gains	0	0	0	0
Inflation	0	0	0	0
Service and Budget Increase	0	0	0	0
Operating Impact of Previously Approved Capital	0	0	0	0
Operating Impact of New Capital (Incremental)	0	0	0	0
Re-alignments	0	0	0	0
One Time	0	0	0	0
Total Budget Change	0	0	0	0
Total Budget	0	0	0	0

During Action Plan 2015-2018, Transportation Infrastructure will implement improvements in how project management services are provided. These improvements will not increase expenditures or recoveries, and will contribute to achieving the objectives of a well-run city.

A reduction in capital project workload and associated funding will result in a reduction in the number of staff positions required in Transportation

Infrastructure. The elimination of six full time equivalent positions in 2015 (related to current staff vacancies) will result in decreased expenditures of \$743 thousand. An additional reduction of \$220 thousand will be achieved through reduced rental expenses. Since all costs are funded through capital projects, there will be no net impact on the tax supported budget. The expenditures are offset by a corresponding reduction in recoveries.

TCA [	TCA Depreciation (\$000s) - Transportation Infrastructure									
2015	2016	2017	2018							
55	59	64	50							

TCA Depreciation content is presented for information only.

# **TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure** - Operating Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

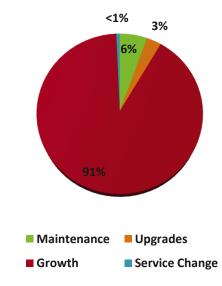
	Transportation Infrastructure  Total Operating Budget (\$000s) for Approval (Totals may not match due to rounding)														
	2012	2013					2016 Budget			2017 Budget			2018 Budget		
	Actual	Actual	Total Budget (as of	Base	One- Time	Total	Base	One- Time	Total	Base	One- Time	Total	Base	One- Time	Total
			June 30)												
Expenditures	10,765	8,576	11,811	10,300	0	10,300	10,343	0	10,343	10,391	0	10,391	10,391	0	10,391
Recoveries	(10,565)	(8,269)	(11,811)	(10,080)	0	(10,080)	(10,123)	0	(10,123)	(10,171)	0	(10,171)	(10,171)	0	(10,171)
Revenue	(200)	(306)	0	(220)	0	(220)	(220)	0	(220)	(220)	0	(220)	(220)	0	(220)
Net	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FTEs	58.0	58.0	52.0	46.0	0.0	46.0	46.0	0.0	46.0	46.0	0.0	46.0	46.0	0.0	46.0

TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure - Capital Budget Overview

Transportation Infrastructure												
Capital Budget (\$000s) Overview (Totals may not match due to rounding)												
	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	Total						
Previously-Approved Budget (as at 2014 June 30)	356,186	51,945	810	0	0	408,941						
Total New Capital Budget Requests	154,450	230,550	257,350	177,500	343,000	1,162,850						
Total Business Unit Capital Budget	510,636	282,495	258,160	177,500	343,000	1,571,791						

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and which are completed in years beyond 2018.





<u>Maintenance/Replacement</u> - Six per cent of Transportation Infrastructure's capital budget will be spent on major road reconstruction that improves safety and ride-quality for all vehicles. Maintenance costs will be significantly reduced and the potential of a major structural failure that would result in a significant disruption to traffic is also lessened. Improvements to adjacent pedestrian facilities may also be performed during these projects.

<u>Upgrades</u> - Three per cent of Transportation Infrastructure's capital budget will be spent on two programs:1) Noise Attenuation Retrofit - to instalingl new noise walls in existing residential areas that experience traffic noise exceeding thresholds specified in the Surface Transportation Noise Policy, and 2) Operational Improvement Projects - to implements high benefit, medium cost projects which will improve the existing infrastructure and rights of way before larger, more costly improvements are needed. Programs like the Noise Attenuation Retrofit and Operational Improvement Projects are examples of how we are meeting Council's objectives of efficiency, effective, and affordable service delivery.

<u>Growth</u> - 91 per cent of Transportation Infrastructure's capital budget will be spent on projects identified the Investing in Mobility Plan. These projects are designed to meet the needs of Calgarians as they live, work, shop, and play in our city. Investing in Mobility projects include the Green Line Transitway, Rapid Transit Corridors, major roadway projects that will link new communities and the west and southwest Ring Roads to the rest of Calgary.

<u>Service Change</u> - Less than one percent of Transportation Infrastructure's capital budget will be spent on pre-engineering studies.

TRAN: Transportation Infrastructure - Capital Budget Overview

Funding for Capital Projects (Totals may not match due to rounding)	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	Total 2015-*2019+
Fuel Tax - Revenue Sharing	68,190	82,145	88,818	67,214	13,000	319,367
Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI)	17,900	58,550	55,000	8,000	0	139,450
Tax-supported Debt	0	0	0	0	0	0
Community & Recreation Levy	468	659	692	726	0	2,545
Contribution from Calgary Parking Authority	500	500	500	500	0	2,000
Transportation Acreage Assessment	10,450	30,750	55,700	44,000	18,000	158,900
Pay-As-You-Go	4,942	5,946	2,140	5,060	0	18,088
Lifecycle Maintenance & Upgrade Reserve	52,000	52,000	54,500	52,000	312,000	522,500
Total Funding	154,450	230,550	257,350	177,500	343,000	1,162,850
Total Operating Impacts of Capital (Cumulative)						
2015-2018 Operating Budget	0	0	0	2,300	N/A	
2019 and beyond up to 2024 Operating Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	41,300	

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and are completed in years beyond 2018.

# Capital Budget Listing (by Program - Project) (\$000s)

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	e Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
150-001	McKnight Widening (12- 19 St NE)	G	Α	750	6,250	10,000	10,000	-	-	-	-	10,000	City-wide
Total Pro St NE)	gram 150 : McKnight Wid	ening	(12-19	750	6,250	10,000	10,000	-	-	-	-	10,000	-
151-001	Glenmore & Ogden Interchange	G	Α	6,000	97,186	23,000	4,350	11,150	7,500	-	-	23,000	City-wide
Total Pro Interchang	gram 151 : Glenmore & O ge	gden		6,000	97,186	23,000	4,350	11,150	7,500	-	-	23,000	-
202-000	Noise Attenuation Retrofit	: U	С			3,600	900	900	900	900	-	3,600	City-wide

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
	gram 202 : Noise Attenua	tion Re	trofit	-	-	3,600	900	900	900	900	-	3,600	
													-
221-000	Future Land	G	С			76,350	8,000 8.000	16,350	28,500	23,500	-	76,350 76,350	-
i otai Pro	gram 221 : Future Land			-	-	76,350	8,000	16,350 	28,500	23,500	-	76,350	-
223-000	Pedestrian Bridge Replacement and Upgrading	G	С			22,000	4,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	-	22,000	
Total Pro	gram 223 : Pedestrian Ov	erpass		-	-	22,000	4,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	-	22,000	-
234-003	Operational Improvement	: U	С			30,950	7,000	6,950	8,500	8,500	-	30,950	
Total Prog Projects	gram 234 : Operational In	nprover	ment	-	-	30,950	7,000	6,950	8,500	8,500	-	30,950	-
543-001	Connectors/Improv - Prov Ring Rd Projects	/ G	С			12,000	6,000	-	6,000	-	-	12,000	City-wide
Total Prog Ring Rd Pr	gram 543 : Connectors/In	iprov -	Prov	-	-	12,000	6,000	-	6,000	-	-	12,000	- -
566-001	RouteAhead Rapid Transit Corridors	G	С			78,000	10,000	30,000	30,000	8,000		78,000	City-wide
Total Prog	gram 566 : RouteAhead R	apid Ti	ransit	-	-	78,000	10,000	30,000	30,000	8,000	-	78,000	-
	Operating impact of cap	oital of	Progra	am 566									-
	2015-2018 Operating Budget		01				-	-	-	2,300	N/A	2,300	
	2019 and beyond Operating Plan		02				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	13,800	13,800	

Program- Project	Project Description	Туре	Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
567-001	Chinook TOD	G	С			20,000	10,000	10,000	-	-	-	20,000	R.CS
Total Prog	gram 567 : Chinook TOD			-	-	20,000	10,000	10,000	-	-	-	20,000	-
568-001	University of Calgary TOD (Banff Trail / Stadium)	G	С			31,500	3,000			10,500	18,000	31,500	R.BT
	gram 568 : Foothills tadium/Banff Trail/Motel \	/illage	TOD	-	-	31,500	3,000	-	-	10,500	18,000	31,500	-
569-001	Centre City Mobility Program	G	С			28,950	2,000	5,650	7,300	11,000	3,000	28,950	R.CC
Total Prog	gram 569 : Centre City Mo	obility		-	-	28,950	2,000	5,650	7,300	11,000	3,000	28,950	-
570-001	Southwest & West Ring Road Connections	G	С			133,000	10,000	25,000	47,000	41,000	10,000	133,000	City-wide
Total Prog	gram 570 : Southwest Rir ns	ng Road	d	-	-	133,000	10,000	25,000	47,000	41,000	10,000	133,000	-
	Operating impact of cap 2015-2018 Operating Budget	oital of	<b>Progr</b> O1	am 570			-	-	-	-	N/A	-	-
	2019 and beyond Operating Plan		O2				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,000	3,000	
573-001	194 Avenue S Slough Crossing & CPR Grade Separation	G	С			46,500	5,000	20,750	20,750			46,500	D.ES, D.SI, D.WM
	gram 573 : 194 Avenue S ossing & CPR Grade Sepa			-	-	46,500	5,000	20,750	20,750	-	-	46,500	-

Program-		Туре	Cat	Budget up to	Prev. Approved Budget for future	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
Project	Project Description			2014	years								
575-001 575-002	Vehicle Bridge Replacement - 9th Ave (Inglewood) Vehicle Bridge	M M	С			11,000 19,000	7,700	11,300	4,400	6,600		11,000	
	Replacement - 12th Street (Zoo)												_
Total Pro Replacem	ogram 575 : Vehicle Bridge ent	e		-	-	30,000	7,700	11,300	4,400	6,600	-	30,000	-
733-001	MacLeod Trail & 162 Avenue Interchange	G	С			55,000	10,000	20,000	25,000			55,000	City-wide
Total Pro Interchanç	ogram 733 : Macleod Trail	/ 162 A	lve	-	-	55,000	10,000	20,000	25,000	-	-	55,000	-
832-001	Pre-Engineering Studies	S	С			8,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	-	8,000	
Total Pro	ogram 832 : Pre-Engineeri	ng Stu	dies	-	-	8,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	-	8,000	- -
854-000	Major Road Reconstruction	М	С			34,000	2,500	12,500	11,500	7,500	-	34,000	
Total Pro Reconstru	ogram 854 : Major Road uction			-	-	34,000	2,500	12,500	11,500	7,500	-	34,000	-
869-000	Green Line Transitway	G	С			520,000	52,000	52,000	52,000	52,000	312,000		_City-wide
Total Pro	ogram 869 : Green Line Tr	ansitw	ay	-	-	520,000	52,000	52,000	52,000	52,000	312,000	520,000	
	Operating impact of cap 2015-2018 Operating	oital of	Progr	am 869			-		-	-	- N/A	-	-
	Budget 2019 and beyond Operating Plan		02				N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	24,500	24,500	

Program- Project	Project Description	Type Cat	Prev. Approved Budget up to 2014	Prev. Approved Budget for future years	New Budget Request	2015	2016	2017	2018	*2019+	2015- *2019+	Growth Area
			6,750	103,436	1,162,850	154,450	230,550	257,350	177,500	343,000	1,162,850	<u> </u>

### Note:

Type: M=Maintenance/Replacement, U=Upgrade, G=Growth, S=Service Change

Category: A=Project in Progress, C=New Project, O1=2015-2018 Operating Cost, O2=2019 and beyond Operating Cost

Budgets and/or operating impact of capital beyond 2019 are included in 2019 and are detailed in the Explanation section

### **Explanation of Budget Requests**

Program 150 : McKnight Widening (12-19 St NE)

Project 150-001: McKnight Widening (12-19 St NE)

Previously approved budget up to 2014 of \$750 thousand with funding from Transportation Acreage Assessments.

Future approved budget of \$6.25 million with funding from Transportation Acreage Assessments.

**New budget request** of \$10 million to widen McKnight Boulevard to six lanes from 12 Street N.E. to 19 Street N.E. This will provide a consistent six lane cross-section from 12 St N.E. to Metis Trail and address front heave, pavement and concrete problems along the existing road. Project funding from Fuel Tax of \$9.5 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$500 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 151: Glenmore & Ogden Interchange

Project 151-001: Glenmore & Ogden Interchange

**Previously approved budget** up to 2014 of \$6 million with funding from Alberta Municipal Infrastructure Program (AMIP) of \$5 million, Fuel Tax of \$800 thousand and Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$200 thousand.

**Future approved budget** of \$97.186 million with funding from Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI) of \$87.85 million, Fuel Tax of \$8.15 million and Tax-supported Debt of \$1.186 million.

**New budget request** of \$23 million to construct an interchange along Glenmore Trail at Ogden Road S.E. with additional overpasses spanning over the CPR tracks, CN tracks, future Green Line LRT and the Western Irrigation District canal. This project increases capacity on one of the busiest commercial goods movement corridors, which is also the most significant bottleneck on Glenmore Trail. Funding from Fuel Tax of \$3.1 million, Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$18.95 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$950 thousand.

### **Program 202 : Noise Attenuation Retrofit**

Project 202-000: Noise Attenuation Retrofit

**New budget request** of \$3.6 million to install new noise walls along expressways and arterial roads in existing residential areas that experience traffic noise exceeding thresholds specified in the Surface Transportation Noise Policy. Funding from Pay-As-You-Go. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

### Program 221: Future Land

Project 221-000: Future Land

**New budget request** of \$76.35 million to purchase land for future projects when key properties become available on the open market. Program funding from Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$37.75 million, Fuel Tax of \$30.25 million and Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI) of \$8.35 million.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### **Program 223: Pedestrian Overpass**

Project 223-000: Pedestrian Overpass

**New budget request** of \$22 million to address the issues of aging infrastructure and infrastructure that does not accommodate all modes of accessibility. Program funding from Fuel Tax of \$21.8 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$200 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### **Program 234: Operational Improvement Projects**

**Project 234-003: Operational Improvement Projects** 

**New budget request** of \$30.95 million. Program proactively develops, plans, designs and implements high benefit, medium cost projects to benefit the transportation network. Improvements previously built under this program include the 5th Avenue lane reversal designed to maximize the existing infrastructure and rights of way before larger, more costly improvements are needed. Program funding from Fuel Tax of \$24 million, Pay-As-You-Go of \$4.45 million and Lifecycle Maintenance and Upgrade Reserve of \$2.5 million.

### Program 543: Connectors/Improv - Prov Ring Rd Projects

Project 543-001: Connectors/Improve - Provincial Ring Road Projects

**New budget request** of \$12 million. Program will fund a number of projects in the N.W. and N.E. to complete the connections to the Provincial Ring Road. Includes the ramps on the north side of the Stoney Trail & 14 Street N.W. and the Stoney Trail & 60 Street N.E. ramps. Program funding from Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$7 million and Fuel Tax of \$5 million. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

### Program 566: RouteAhead Rapid Transit Corridors

Project 566-001: RouteAhead Rapid Transit Corridors

**New budget request** of \$78 million. Program will fund a number of rapid transit corridors including the North Cross-Town BRT, South Cross-Town BRT, Southwest Transitway, and 17th Avenue S.E. Transitway. Program funding from Municipal Sustainability Initiative.

**Operating impact of capital**: This project requires \$2.3 million in operating costs including 28 FTEs in 2018, and \$13.8 million for 2019-2024. These operating costs will be incurred by Calgary Transit.

### Program 567: Chinook TOD

Project 567-001: Chinook TOD

**New budget request** of \$20 million. Program will fund a variety of infrastructure improvements to support development of the major activity centre, and the anticipated and significant increase in population and employment in the Chinook area. Projects include a new pedestrian bridge over Macleod Trail to be cost shared with Chinook Mall as well as upgrades along 61 Ave S connection to the Chinook LRT Station. Program funding from Fuel Tax of \$16.6 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$3.4 million.

### Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 568: Foothills Hospital/Stadium/Banff Trail/Motel Village TOD Package

Project 568-001: University of Calgary TOD (Banff Trail/Stadium)

**New budget request** of \$31.5 million. Program will fund a variety of infrastructure improvements to accommodate redevelopment of this major activity centre and improve traffic flow and pedestrian connectivity. Program funding from Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$28.5 million and Fuel Tax of \$3 million.

### Program 569 : Centre City Mobility

**Project 569-001: Centre City Mobility Program** 

**New budget request** of \$28.95 million. With traffic capacity limited in the Centre City, increased mobility in the Centre City will focus on walking, cycling and transit. Upgrades funded by this program will include improved sidewalks, CPR underpass rehabilitation, bike lanes where approved, barrier-free access to transit and enhanced streetscapes including lighting and wayfinding. Program funding from Fuel Tax of \$21.557 million, Pay-As-You-Go of \$2.848 million, City Centre Levy of \$2.545 million and contribution from Calgary Parking Authority of \$2.0 million.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### **Program 570: Southwest Ring Road Connections**

Project 570-001: Southwest & West Ring Road Connections

**New budget request** of \$133 million. Funding will be used for construction of a number of connections to the 20 new or upgraded interchanges along this portion of Stoney Trail. The connections will require upgrades to existing streets, building new streets and upgrading provincial facilities for adequate space for pedestrians, cyclists and transit. Program funding from Fuel Tax of \$114.3 million and Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$18.7 million.

Operating impact of capital: The project requires \$3.0 million in operating costs for 2019-2024.

### Program 573: 194 Avenue S Priddis Slough Crossing & CPR Grade Separation

Project 573-001: 194 Avenue S Slough Crossing & CPR Grade Separation

**New budget request** of \$46.5 million with funding from Transportation Acreage Assessments. Project will allow for new suburban development to proceed west of Macleod Trail, between Stoney Trail and 210 Avenue S. 194 Ave S will be extended across the Priddis Slough, connecting to Sheriff King Street. This also requires a grade-separated crossing over the CPR tracks and future South 201 Red Line LRT tracks to ensure adequate fire response times in the area, and to prevent conflicts with CPR and future LRT activities. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

### **Program 575 : Vehicle Bridge Replacement**

Project 575-001: Vehicle Bridge Replacement - 9th Ave (Inglewood)

**New budget request** of \$11 million to replace the bridge and includes widening the structure from three to four traffic HOV lanes, and accommodating pedestrians on both sides of the bridge. Program funding from Fuel Tax. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

Project 575-002: Vehicle Bridge Replacement - St. Georges Dr. (Zoo)

**New budget request** of \$19 million to replace the bridge and includes increasing the lane widths, and will provide pedestrian connectivity on both sides of the structure. Program funding from Fuel Tax.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### Program 733: Macleod Trail / 162 Ave Interchange

Project 733-001: Macleod Trail & 162 Ave S Interchange

**New budget request** of \$55 million. The project provides for the construction of an interchange supporting office and commercial development and removes the last intersection on Macleod Trail between Fish Creek Provincial Park and Highway 22x (Stoney Trail) allowing for free flow conditions along Macleod Trail from 194 Avenue S.E. to Lake Fraser Gate S.E. Program funding from Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI) of \$53.25 million, Transportation Acreage Assessments of \$1.5 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$250 thousand. **Operating Impact of Capital:** None.

### **Program 832 : Pre-Engineering Studies**

Project 832-001: Pre-Engineering Studies

**New budget request** of \$8 million to undertake pre-engineering studies to create detailed design drawings that illustrate projects to stakeholders, identify issues and allow construction to proceed quickly once funding has been secured for a given project. Program funding from Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI) of \$7.96 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$40 thousand.

Operating Impact of Capital: None.

### **Program 854: Major Road Reconstruction**

Project 854-000: Major Road Reconstruction

**New budget request** of \$34 million for major road reconstruction projects include full rehabilitation and upgrades to existing roadway pavements and intersections. Projects often include deep utility replacements funded separately. It typically improves adjacent pedestrian facilities. Program funding from Fuel Tax of \$32.15 million and Pay-As-You-Go of \$1.85 million.

# **Program 869: Green Line Transitway**

Project 869-000: Green Line Transitway

**New budget request** of \$520 million. The Green Line Program combines the Centre Street Transitway and Southeast Transitway projects into a single transit corridor connecting through downtown Calgary. The program will include segments of dedicated bus-only lanes and transit priority between 78 Avenue N and Douglas Glen. This is the initial phase of the line with bus-based infrastructure which will be upgraded to provide LRT service when demand warrants and sufficient capital funding becomes available. Program funding from Lifecycle Maintenance and Upgrade Reserve. Additional funding has been requested from the Federal Building Canada Fund and status will be available for Council at budget hearings.

Operating impact of capital: This project requires \$24.5 million in operating costs for 2021-2024.

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Projects Requiring Approval		-		•	,		
Program 150 : McKnight Widening (12-19 St NE)		10,000	0	0	0	0	10,000
Program 151 : Glenmore & Ogden Interchange		4,350	11,150	7,500	0	0	23,000
Program 202 : Noise Attenuation Retrofit		900	900	900	900	0	3,600
Program 221 : Future Land		8,000	16,350	28,500	23,500	0	76,350
Program 223 : Pedestrian Overpass		4,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	0	22,000
Program 234 : Operational Improvement Projects		7,000	6,950	8,500	8,500	0	30,950
Program 543 : Connectors/Improv - Prov Ring Rd Pr	ojects	6,000	0	6,000	0	0	12,000
Program 566 : RouteAhead Rapid Transit Corridors		10,000	30,000	30,000	8,000	0	78,000
Program 567 : Chinook TOD		10,000	10,000	0	0	0	20,000
Program 568 : Foothills Hospital/Stadium/Banff Trail/Motel Village TOD Package		3,000	0	0	10,500	18,000	31,500
Program 569 : Centre City Mobility		2,000	5,650	7,300	11,000	3,000	28,950
Program 570 : Southwest Ring Road Connections		10,000	25,000	47,000	41,000	10,000	133,000
Program 573 : 194 Avenue S Priddis Slough Crossing & CPR Grade Separation		5,000	20,750	20,750	0	0	46,500
Program 575 : Vehicle Bridge Replacement		7,700	11,300	4,400	6,600	0	30,000
Program 733 : Macleod Trail / 162 Ave Interchange		10,000	20,000	25,000	0	0	55,000
Program 832 : Pre-Engineering Studies		2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	0	8,000
Program 854 : Major Road Reconstruction		2,500	12,500	11,500	7,500	0	34,000
Program 869 : Green Line Transitway		52,000	52,000	52,000	52,000	312,000	520,000
Total Projects Requiring Approval		154,450	230,550	257,350	177,500	343,000	1,162,850
Total Capital Budget	278,160	510,636	282,495	258,160	177,500	343,000	1,571,791

<sup>\*2019+</sup> represents projects which start within the 2015-2018 cycle and are completed in years beyond 2018.

Transportation Planning

# **TRAN: Transportation Planning** - Overview

Transportation Planning collects information, develops plans and policies, and recommends actions to best serve the city's current and future transportation needs through the continued implementation of the Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP) and support of the Corporate Growth Management Framework.

Achieving the goals of the CTP involves a wide range of projects. These projects include reviewing development plans and applications to facilitate alignment with long term plans, developing a Pedestrian Strategy, implementing the Cycling Strategy, and improving the operation of existing infrastructure. Other actions consist of conducting corridor and functional studies to ensure the city's transportation needs in the future are protected, and developing policy to facilitate alignment with the CTP.

# Transportation Planning Gross Operating Expenditure by Line of Service (2015-2018) 27% 31% 21% 21% TPP

### Values may not sum to 100%, due to rounding.

### **Optimizing & Improving Transportation Choice (OITC)**

Provides transportation design services that improve the access, performance, and reliability of the transportation network for all modes of transportation.

### Transportation Monitoring, Forecasting & Reporting (TMFR)

Collects travel information and provides support to Transportation through the analysis of current and future trends.

### Transportation Planning Policy (TPP)

Champions the implementation of the CTP and provides information, develops plans and policies, and recommends actions to best serve the city's current and future transportation needs.

# **TRAN: Transportation Planning** - Overview

### **Trends**

The key trend affecting Transportation Planning is growth management. Calgary is experiencing a high rate of growth in 2014 where a majority of that growth is due to people moving to Calgary from other places. This growth trend is expected to continue through 2015-2018 and Transportation Planning will be challenged to deliver services to support the demands of growth.

Calgary's population is aging and seniors represent the largest growing age group in the city. Transportation Planning will consider and incorporate the needs of an aging population in designs for new infrastructure as well as plans to retrofit existing facilities so they are accessible to those with mobility, visual, hearing, and/or cognitive disabilities.

There is an increase in Calgarians' interest in active transportation modes and some investment in infrastructure to support those modes is necessary. This is being addressed through a Pedestrian Strategy that will be developed in Action Plan and the continued implementation of the Cycling Strategy.

The 2014 Civic Census shows an increasing number of people are choosing to live in the established areas of the city and/or consciously near public transit. Transportation Planning will provide input into redevelopment permit applications and optimize existing infrastructure for all modes of transportation.

Over the past 10 years, Calgary's auto mode split has increased from 77 per cent to 79 per cent of all-day all-purpose trips. This is not aligned with the goals of the CTP and Transportation Planning aims to reverse this trend by improving access to active modes of transportation, coordinating the development of Transit Oriented Development (TOD)

sites, and supporting Calgary Transit as they implement RouteAhead.

# **Long-Term Plans**

The CTP is a key long-term plan that provides policy direction on multiple aspects of the city's transportation system. Transportation Planning will continue to champion the implementation of the CTP through key actions that support five priority areas identified by the Director's Integrated Growth Committee. These actions include supporting the implementation of the Centre City Plan through the development of an Inner City Transportation Network Plan, a Pedestrian Strategy as well as the continued implementation of the Cycling Strategy. Further actions that support these priority areas include providing input on development applications in corridors, activity centres and redevelopment areas.

Transportation Planning is responsible for the coordination of the 10-year Investing In Mobility capital infrastructure plan which will be updated in 2018. This plan will ensure that the relative support of infrastructure projects are aligned with the goals key long-term strategic plans.

RouteAhead is a 30-year strategic plan for Calgary Transit.

Transportation Planning will contribute to the implementation of RouteAhead by providing support to implement the Green Line Transitway and other rapid transit corridors, design transit priority improvements, and support the implementation of the Primary Transit Network.

# **TRAN: Transportation Planning** - Overview

### Citizen Engagement

The results from Action Plan Engagement indicate that Transportation continues to be a high priority with Calgarians. Citizens indicated a high level of support for improving public transit, infrastructure, traffic, and roads. Transportation Planning will continue to engage citizens to ensure that their needs are identified, expectations are managed, and citizens have the information they require. Transportation Planning will achieve this through the implementation of the new Transportation Corridor Policy which specifically enhances engagement and the development of a citizen-focused communication program that clearly communicates the objectives of the CTP.

The demand for engagement is increasing where citizens are wanting more information and to be more involved in the decisions that affect their communities. Transportation Planning will support this need through the increased utilization of social media to encourage and enhance citizen engagement, and the provision of key transportation data through The City of Calgary's Open Data Catalogue.

### **Council Priorities**

Transportation Planning contributes to all five Council Priorities as ensuring the health of the transportation system now, and in the future, is key to achieving objectives in Action Plan 2015-2018. Transportation Planning works to connect people, places, and communities to realize the strategic vision set out by Council.

To ensure Calgarians are able to move well and safely throughout the city, Transportation Planning will support the design and implementation of the Green Line Transitway, provide design services that maximize the flow of traffic on the existing network, and develop and implement strategies to improve infrastructure for active modes of transportation. The development and implementation of the Bikeway and Pathway

Master Plan will also ensure Calgarians have access to nature and active lifestyles.

Transportation Planning contributes to the priority of a city of inspiring neighbourhoods by providing transportation input that promotes an increase in population and employment along urban and neighbourhood corridors, facilitating the implementation of the MDP/CTP, and partnering with developers in strategic redevelopment areas to increase intensification adjacent to primary transit. A healthy and robust transportation network is necessary to achieve the Council Priority of a prosperous city. Transportation Planning will support this priority through by coordinating with the West and Southwest Ring Road projects and working with industry partners to develop a goods movement strategy that improves travel time reliability while balancing costs and physical impacts.

Transportation Planning will effectively manage public assets by updating Investing in Mobility, Transportation's 10-year capital plan and look for alternative service delivery by strengthening partnerships with key external stakeholders, and investigate alternate sources of funding. Transportation Planning will strive to be an employer of choice by developing strategic workforce plans that address changing demographics and retirements, strengthen department-wide leadership, and improving employee satisfaction.

Transportation facilitates the efficient movement of people and goods which contributes to creating a great place to live and work.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

P1 Strengthen Calgary's position as a global energy centre and location of choice for international talent, investment and innovation through enhanced business development, marketing and place-making initiatives.

P1.1 Work with the Province of Alberta to facilitate the completion of the West and Southwest Ring Road Projects.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

P1.2 Work with industry partners to develop a goods movement strategy that improves travel time reliability while balancing costs.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

P1.3 Establish a departmental Transit Oriented Development (TOD) Coordinator to identify and align planning, infrastructure, and service provision requirements.

OITC, TPP

P3 Support civic, business and community partners, as well as business revitalization zones, to collaborate and attract local and global investment.

P3.1 Prepare a Parking Revenue Allocation Policy to reinvest parking revenue in strategic areas.

OITC, TPP

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P10 Enhance access to technology and information.

P10.1 Collect traffic flow and travel behaviour information to support transportation planning and projects, and report progress on Calgary Transportation Plan goals.

OITC, TMFR

P10.2 Monitor and report on Calgary Transportation Plan progress and success.

TMFR, TPP

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Transportation ensures customers feel safe while using the transportation system. This includes supporting the development of complete communities by providing accessible and affordable transportation networks and services.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

N1 Keep communities safe by meeting and maintaining standards for crime prevention, fire response, and enforcement.

N1.1 Conduct community traffic studies, including traffic calming, that investigates short-cutting and safety concerns.

OITC

N1.2 Produce the annual traffic collision report.

TMFR

N3 Enhance The City's capacity and resiliency to prepare for and respond to pandemics, natural disasters and emergency situations.

N3.1 Update and maintain business continuity and emergency response plans.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

N5 Systematically invest in established neighbourhoods as they evolve to accommodate changing community needs.

N5.1 Develop an Inner City Transportation Network Plan.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

N5.2 Partner with developers in redevelopment areas and activity centres to enhance approval timelines and increase intensification adjacent to Primary Transit.

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N5 Systematically invest in established neighbourhoods as they evolve to accommodate changing community needs.

N5.3 Maintain Noise Barrier Retrofit Program and the surface transportation noise policy to support noise barrier installations.

TMFR, TPP

N5.4 Provide transportation input that facilitates the implementation of strategies to achieve MDP goals for redevelopment areas.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

N5.5 Provide transportation input that promotes an increase in population and employment along urban and neighbourhood corridors identified in the MDP/CTP.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

N5.6 Provide transportation input to support the implementation of the Centre City Plan.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

N6 Manage and promote growth to achieve the best possible social, environmental and economic outcomes within financial capacities.

N6.1 Develop, implement, and maintain transportation forecasting tools including the Regional Transportation Model.

TMFR

N6.2 Develop a travel behaviour forecast series to support transportation and land use studies.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

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N6 Manage and promote growth to achieve the best possible social, environmental and economic outcomes within financial capacities.

N6.3 Implement the four-year Parking Policy work plan.

TPP

N7 Develop a new funding framework to provide for infrastructure in new and redeveloping neighbourhoods.

N7.1 Support work with City and industry stakeholders to update and implement a new Standard Development Agreement and a new Subdivision Agreement.

TPP

N8 Make it easier to build developments that meet our Municipal Development Plan and Calgary Transportation Plan objectives.

N8.1 Develop a citizen focused communication program that clearly communicates MDP/CTP objectives as outlined in the Transportation Corridor Policy.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

N8.2 Conduct corridor studies to establish infrastructure alignment and right of way requirements for the ongoing development of the transportation network.

TMFR, TPP

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N9 Provide great public spaces and public realm improvements across the city to foster opportunity for well used public spaces and places for citizen connections and urban vitality.

N9.1 Coordinate the implementation of the Complete Streets Guide.

OITC, TPP

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Transportation provides safe, customer-focused, efficient, sustainable transportation infrastructure, choices and services in an accessible and affordable manner.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

M1 Implement and accelerate RouteAhead as transit funding becomes available.

M1.1 Provide transportation planning and engineering support to begin the implementation of the Green Line Transitway and other rapid transit corridors.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

M1.2 Coordinate Transportation Planning projects with Calgary Transit and RouteAhead implementation.

OITC, TPP

M2 Maximize the flow of traffic on the existing transportation network through the application of technology.

M2.1 Plan and implement transportation system management, congestion relief, and optimization projects including transit priority and emergency vehicle projects.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.1 Provide transportation design services to develop projects that provide better connectivity and improve the operation of existing infrastructure.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

M3.2 Develop a High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) implementation strategy.

TMFR, TPP

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M3 Invest in strategic road improvements in priority growth areas as funding becomes available.

M3.3 Conduct functional studies to establish land and infrastructure requirements for the ongoing development of the transportation network.

TMFR, TPP

M4 Invest in active transportation infrastructure, including cycling and pedestrian networks as funding becomes available.

M4.1 Provide recommendations on the implementation and evaluation of the Centre City Cycle Track Pilot Project.

OITC, TMFR

M4.2 Implement recommendations from the Cycling Strategy including developing of a Bicycle Design Guide, and the ongoing installation of bikeways across the city.

OITC

M4.3 Ensure pedestrian, cyclist, and transit needs are included in the ring road project and connecting facilities.

OITC, TPP

M4.4 Plan and implement the Pedestrian Strategy.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

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Transportation evaluates innovative ways to affordably reduce our environmental impact when delivering transportation projects and services.

# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

**Business Unit Action Related to Strategy** 

**Accountable Service** 

H9 Optimize the existing parks network to ensure Calgarians have access to nature and healthy and active lifestyles.

H9.1 Complete a city-wide Pathway and Bikeway Master Plan.

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# Strategy Related to Council Outcome

# **Business Unit Action Related to Strategy**

**Accountable Service** 

W2 Be as efficient and effective as possible, reducing costs and focusing on value-for-money.

W2.1 Review Transportation Planning services to assess efficiency, effectiveness, and value to customers such as evaluating the co-location of CPAG staff.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W2.2 Convert under utilized workstations into unassigned drop-in desks to optimize administrative spaces as per the Tomorrow's Workplace Strategy.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W3 Examine opportunities for alternative service delivery for competitiveness. W3.1 Continue to investigate alternate funding strategies to implement key transportation plans.

TMFR, TPP

W3.2 Implement an advertising-based coordinated street furniture program.

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W6 Effectively manage The City's inventory of public assets, optimizing limited resources to balance growth and maintenance requirements.

W6.1 Update the 10-year Investing in Mobility Plan in 2018 to ensure alignment with the CTP/MDP and Growth Management Framework.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W6.2 Develop and refine Asset Management plans including Tangible Capital Asset Improvement initiatives.

TMFR

W7 Continue to transform the organization to be more citizen-focused in its approach and delivery of service.

W7.1 Review and improve 311 completion times to ensure quality customer service is maintained.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W7.2 Create a Frequently Asked Questions webpage to identify and address five key questions from citizens and permit applicants.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W7.3 Utilize social media to enhance online citizen participate and input to transportation planning work.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W7.4 Recognize staff for excellent customer service.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

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W9 Strive to be an employer of choice with a focus on addressing The City's aging workforce.

W9.1 Pilot, evaluate, and implement the Employee Mobility Program.

OITC, TPP

W9.2 Develop a strategic workforce plan to address changing demographics and retirements.

OITC, TMFR, TPP

W9.3 Strengthen department-wide leadership effectiveness and improve employee satisfaction.

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TRAN: Transportation Planning - Lines of Service

		В	reakdow	n of Ope	rating Bu	ıdget by	Service (	<b>\$000)</b> (Tot	als may not	add due to ro	ounding)				
		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs
Director's Office	5,073	1,222	6.0	5,086	1,235	6.0	5,102	1,251	6.0	5,120	1,269	6.0	5,120	1,269	6.0
Optimizing & Improving Transportation Choice	4,085	3,813	17.0	3,862	3,590	17.0	3,160	2,888	17.0	3,165	2,893	17.0	3,156	2,884	17.0
Transportation Monitoring, Forecasting & Reporting	3,298	3,205	27.5	3,359	3,266	27.5	3,429	3,335	27.5	3,507	3,413	27.5	3,527	3,433	27.5
Transportation Planning Policy	4,214	3,427	33.5	4,261	3,473	33.5	4,312	3,524	33.5	4,368	3,580	33.5	4,390	3,603	33.5
Total Business Unit	16,670	11,666	84.0	16,568	11,564	84.0	16,003	10,999	84.0	16,160	11,156	84.0	16,193	11,189	84.0

The Transportation Planning Director's Office budget includes the Provincial Fuel Tax Grant which is used to fund designs for interchanges and road improvements, Centre City mobility projects, and city-wide active mode projects. This accounts for 76 per cent of the Director's Office budget. The remainder of the budget is used to fund staff salaries, communications services, internal services, office materials, and business expenses.

Optimize and Improve Transportation Choice will receive one time funding allocations of \$750 thousand in 2015 and \$50 thousand in each of 2016, 2017, and 2018. This funding will be used to implement recommendations from Cycling Strategy including the development of a city-wide Bikeway and Pathway Master Plan, and a Bike Design Guide.

All lines of service will be maintained and a slight increase in funding is included to reflect union salary and wage agreements. FTEs in Transportation Planning between 2015 and 2018 will remain the same.

# TRAN: Transportation Planning - Lines of Service

All \$ values are in Thousands (\$000)

Optimizing &		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Improving	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs												
Transportation Choice	4,085	3,813	17.0	3,862	3,590	17.0	3,160	2,888	17.0	3,165	2,893	17.0	3,156	2,884	17.0

Improving active modes through the development of the Pedestrian Strategy and a city-wide Bikeway and Pathway Master Plan. These plans will review the needs of pedestrian and cyclists across the city and recommend infrastructure improvement. OITC will coordinate, evaluate and provide recommendation for the Centre City Cycle Track Pilot Project.

To ensure that all modes of travel can move well and safely throughout the city, OITC will design and implement high benefit, low cost transportation system management and transit priority projects that benefit the whole transportation network.

Transportation		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Monitoring,	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs												
Forecasting & Reporting	3,298	3,205	27.5	3,359	3,266	27.5	3,429	3,335	27.5	3,507	3,413	27.5	3,527	3,433	27.5

Provides support to the Transportation Department through the collection of travel behaviour information and the development and maintenance of travel forecasting tools such as the Regional Transportation Model (RTM). This will include conducting transportation studies that collect volumes for all modes of travel, speeds, shortcutting, mode choice,

parking, and collisions. Additional household travel information will be collected through a continuous survey program which will collect travel behaviour information throughout the year to monitor progress towards CTP objectives.

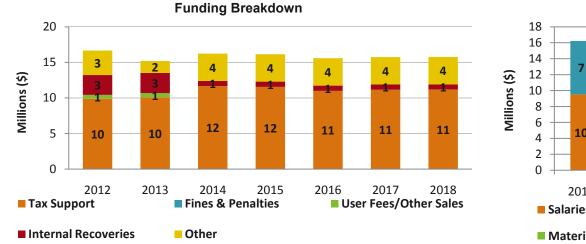
Transportation		2014			2015			2016			2017			2018	
Planning Policy	\$ Exp	\$ Net	FTEs												
1 idilling 1 oney	4,214	3,427	33.5	4,261	3,473	33.5	4,312	3,524	33.5	4,368	3,580	33.5	4,390	3,603	33.5

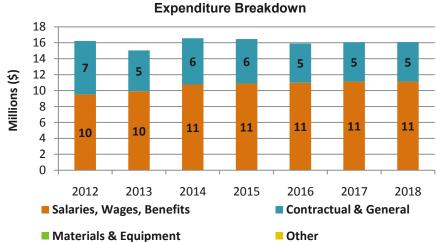
TPP will facilitate the planning and design of infrastructure, and establish infrastructure needs and services for new urban and suburban developments. This service includes an update of the 10-year Investing in Mobility Plan in 2018, providing transportation engineering input to the

review of development applications, and conducting functional and corridor planning studies to ensure infrastructure needs in the future can be protected.

TRAN: Transportation Planning - Breakdown of the Operating Budget

Totals may not match due to rounding





<u>Funding Breakdown</u> - Approximately 70 per cent of Transportation Planning's funding is tax supported. The remainder of the funding comes from Provincial Fuel Grants and internal recoveries.

**Expenditures** - Employee salary and wages compose approximately 70 per cent of Transportation Planning expenditures. The remaining expenditures are contractual and general expenses which include external consultants as well as general office expenses.

TRAN: Transportation Planning - Breakdown of the Net Operating Budget

Totals may not add due to rounding

Breakdown of Net Operating Budget Changes (\$000s)	2015	2016	2017	2018
Previous Year's Budget	11,666	11,564	10,999	11,156
Less: Previous Year One Time	(964)	(750)	(50)	(50)
Base	10,702	10,814	10,949	11,106
Efficiency Gains	(49)	(45)	(41)	(31)
Inflation	162	180	198	64
Service and Budget Increase	0	0	0	0
Operating Impact of Previously Approved Capital	0	0	0	0
Operating Impact of New Capital (Incremental)	0	0	0	0
Re-alignments	(1)	0	0	0
One Time	750	50	50	50
Total Budget Change	862	185	207	83
Total Budget	11,564	10,999	11,156	11,189

The impact of growth is minimal in Transportation Planning. The cost of growth is reflected as a slight increase in demand for services related to the development permit process, and internal planning and policy work to support growth priorities. This impact is negligible and Transportation Planning will absorb the cost of growth within existing staff levels.

Transportation Planning will continue to reduce expenditures. Staff expertise in a number of priority areas such as infrastructure design and

active mode planning has resulted in less need for external consulting services.

Transportation Planning will use one-time funding allocations of \$750 thousand in 2015 and \$50 thousand in each of 2016, 2017, and 2018 to implement the city-wide Bikeway and Pathway Master Plan and Bicycle Design Guidelines.

TCA Depreciation (\$000s) - Transportation Planning										
2015	2016	2017	2018							
104	104	111	66							

TCA Depreciation content is presented for information only.

# **TRAN: Transportation Planning** - Operating Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

Transportation Planning  Total Operating Budget (\$000s) for Approval (Totals may not match due to rounding)															
	2012	2013	2014	2015 Budget			2016 Budget			2017 Budget			2018 Budget		
	Actual	Actual	Total Budget	Base	One- Time	Total									
			(as of June												
Expenditures	16,667	15,207	<b>30)</b> 16,670	15,818	750	16,568	15,953	50	16,003	16,110	50	16,160	16,143	50	16,193
Recoveries	(2,796)	(2,826)	(731)	(731)	0	(731)	(731)	0	(731)	(731)	0	(731)	(731)	0	(731)
Revenue	(3,976)	(2,295)	(4,273)	(4,273)	0	(4,273)	(4,273)	0	(4,273)	(4,273)	0	(4,273)	(4,273)	0	(4,273)
Net	9,895	10,086	11,666	10,814	750	11,564	10,949	50	10,999	11,106	50	11,156	11,139	50	11,189
FTEs	81.0	79.0	84.0	84.0	0.0	84.0	84.0	0.0	84.0	84.0	0.0	84.0	84.0	0.0	84.0

# **Transportation: General Manager** - Operating Budget for Council Approval

For Council Approval

Transportation: General Manager															
Total GM Operating Budget (\$000s) (Totals may not add due to rounding)															
	2012	2013	2014	2015 Budget			2016 Budget			2017 Budget			2018 Budget		
	Actual	Actual	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total	Base	One-	Total
			Budget		Time			Time			Time			Time	
			(as of												
			June												
Expenditures	2,888	3,600	<b>30)</b> 2,565	2,608	0	2,608	2,659	0	2,659	2,716	0	2,716	2,721	0	2,721
Recoveries				(553)	0	(553)		0	(553)	(553)	0	(553)		0	(553)
Revenue	0	(101)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Net	1,619	1,987	2,012	2,055	0	2,055	2,106	0	2,106	2,163	0	2,163	2,168	0	2,168
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FTEs	18.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	0.0	19.0	19.0	0.0	19.0	19.0	0.0	19.0	19.0	0.0	19.0