Making Calgary a global destination

Together, we’ve made Calgary one of the most livable cities in the world. Our future success requires diversifying our economy by attracting new investment and tourism. As part of Calgary’s Economic Strategy, we’ve committed $9.2 million over the next four years and $5.8 million in one-time funds to our civic partners in Economic Development and Tourism to make Calgary a destination of choice.

As a business-friendly city, we continue to support local businesses, start-ups and entrepreneurs grow and succeed in several ways:

- **700+ PATIO PERMITS issued** to support business.

- **750+ BUSINESSES WENT ONLINE** with action plans developed by the Digital Service Squad. Program extended to 2023.

- **1,500+ BUSINESSES** supported through the Business Experience Representative Program, simplifying the application process and licensing for entrepreneurs.

- **Revitalizing Downtown**: **14 OFFICE-TO-RESIDENTIAL PROJECTS** will create jobs, support businesses and add **2,000 new homes**. Incentive program expanded in 2023.

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Valuable information available in other languages:
Over $10.1 billion in new and previously committed funding is being invested in Calgary’s capital projects over the next five years and beyond, including:

**Modernizing transit to enhance service, efficiency and advance Calgary’s climate strategy.**
$559 million includes investments in 25 CTrain cars and exploring alternative fuels for City buses.

**Growing Calgary as western Canada’s warehouse and transportation hub.**
$150 million to develop the Great Plains Starfield Industrial Park, that will add 600+ acres of industrial land.

**Improving Calgary’s Main Streets.**
$60 million city-wide to attract new investments, jobs and people, making the area more attractive for local businesses and residents.

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