



Frequently Asked Questions

Parks Public Washroom Replacement Project

Q 1. Why are the washroom buildings being replaced?

The aging washroom buildings are at the end of or past their intended life and are only able to be open seasonally. The new facilities meet current City and Provincial standards for gender neutrality, accessibility, and customer service, including year-round operation. Although we investigated renovation versus demolition, replacing the buildings made the most sense both financially and in terms of project complexity.

Q 2. How will park users be accommodated during construction?

Port-a-potties will be available for use during construction as a temporary measure. When it is necessary to extend pathways around construction fencing, The City will use temporary rubber pathway mats to allow users to go around the construction sites and still follow the pathways.

Q 3. How long will the project take?

We are aiming to have the new washrooms open to the public by early summer 2026.

Q 4. Will the park be safe during construction?

The City ensures all contractors follow stringent safety protocols to ensure both public and worker safety. This includes restricting access to the construction areas to non-authorized people. Where necessary, temporary measures will be in place to ensure the safety of park users.

Q 5. Is the area open during construction?

Yes, the playgrounds, pathways, and picnic sites in the park near the construction area will remain open for use during construction. The construction area will be fenced and clearly marked. Park users should only experience minor disruptions.