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Bearspaw South Feeder Main Update

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The [Bearspaw South Feeder Main Replacement Project](#) is underway and on track to finish in December 2026. As planning continues for Stage B construction, we're hosting two more information sessions to help residents get ready for the impacts of construction on 34 Avenue N.W.

All nearby residents are welcome to attend the information sessions, but they will be especially important for residents living on 34 Avenue N.W. between 73 Street N.W. and 89 Street N.W., where construction impacts will be most impactful.

Online

Date: April 21, 2026

Time: 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Location: Microsoft Teams

In-person

Date: April 22, 2026

Seniors hour: 4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
(drop-in format)

General: 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. (drop-in format)

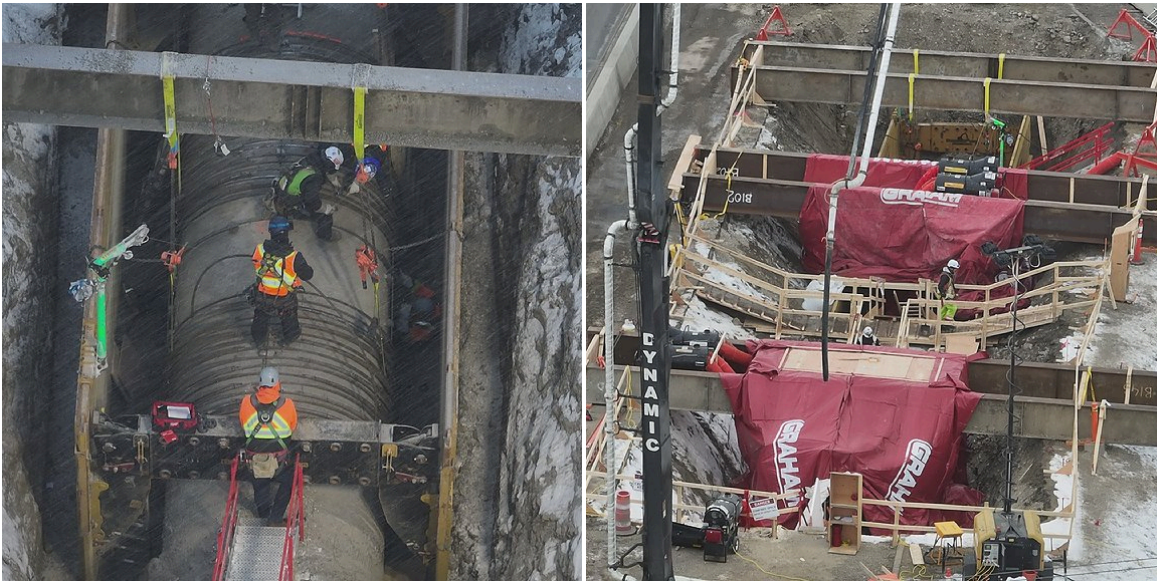
Location: Bowness Ratepayers
Scout & Guide Hall - 8551 Bowness Rd NW

[Register for online](#)

[Register for in-person](#)

Missed the previous sessions? Videos are available on the [Feeder Main area construction](#) web page.

Feeder main reinforcements complete. All water restrictions lifted.



We have completed reinforcements on sections of the pipe that were in the most vulnerable condition. This work was completed to support the Bearspaw South Feeder Main to continue safely delivering our drinking water until the new parallel steel pipe is completed and can take over service from the current line.

Construction began on March 9, 2026, for six segments of pipe along 16 Avenue N.W., near Sarcee Trail and three segments in Point McKay Park.

Thank you to residents and businesses in the area for your continued understanding and support.

Bearspaw South Feeder Main tie-in construction to begin in May.



Construction required to connect the replacement pipe to the existing water system will begin in two locations the week of May 11, 2026. Impacted residents should have received a notice on their doorstep and our team will be door-knocking in the coming weeks. If you live in the impacted areas below, please ensure you have completed the [resident contact information form](#). This information allows our team to contact you with important updates throughout construction.

Where we are working

- 83 Street N.W. between 33 and 34 Avenue N.W.
- 77 Street N.W. between 33 and 34 Avenue N.W.

Construction details

Crews will be excavating within the public right-of-way to install tie-in pipes that will connect the replacement feeder main to the existing water system. This work will be completed in advance of upcoming replacement pipe construction. Tie-in pipes will be installed using an open-cut method.

Open-cut construction involves:

- Excavating a trench along the public right-of-way
- Installing the new pipe directly in the open trench
- Backfilling the trench and restoring the surface

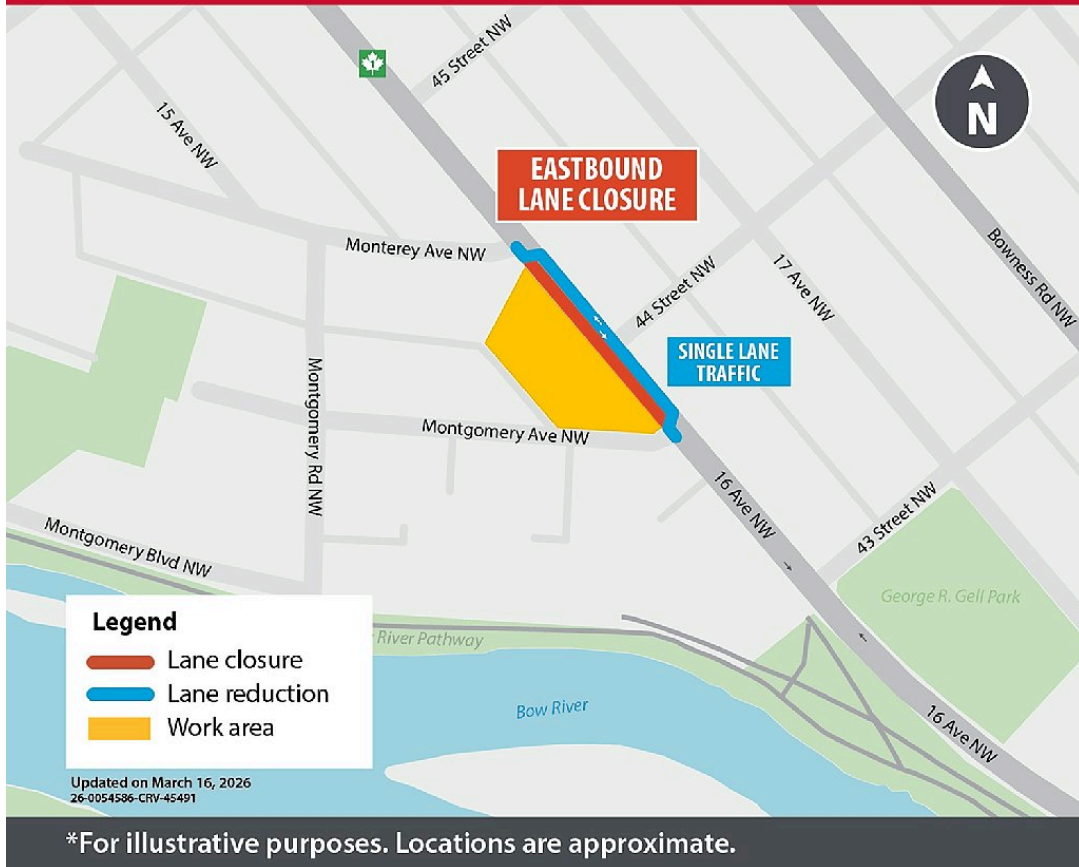
About two weeks before construction begins, we will deliver a construction notice to all affected residents, including a map showing anticipated construction impacts, parking and sidewalk impacts, transit impacts, and other access adjustments if necessary.

Visit calgary.ca/bearspawfeedermain to learn more about ongoing area construction impacts and available community resources.

Traffic impacts

We appreciate your patience as construction moves forward. We are mindful of how our work impacts traffic in the community and want to keep you informed of detours and delays so you can plan ahead. The map below highlights what to expect, and the latest updates are always available on [The City's traffic map](#).

Traffic Impacts – 16 Avenue and 44 Street N.W.



Both eastbound lanes on 16 Avenue N.W. between Monterey Avenue N.W. and Montgomery Avenue N.W. are currently closed. Single lane traffic on 16 Avenue N.W. will be maintained in both directions.

Help us spread the word

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Residential Contact Form 2026






Some residents are unaware that construction is coming to 34 Avenue N.W. Please help by sharing this information with neighbours, friends, and family in the area.

Encourage them to submit a Resident contact information form so we can send timely updates directly to their inbox.

Together, we can make sure everyone stays informed and prepared.

Upcoming community cleanup event

The Bowness Community Cleanup is happening:

 May 9
 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
 12 Bowridge Dr. N.W.

This is a convenient way to get rid of unwanted items and prepare for construction.

Can't attend this cleanup? No problem. Calgarians can attend any Community Cleanup across the city. Visit the Community Cleanups web page for the full calendar and a list of accepted items.

Consider donating gently used items to one of the many non-profit donation locations across Calgary. Taking a little time now can make construction on your block much easier later on.

[Learn more](#)

Stay in the Know During Construction

We have several ways for you to stay informed and supported throughout construction — and we encourage you to share this information with others in the area.

Get Updates Online

Visit the [Feeder Main area construction](#) page for the latest updates, timelines, and impacts as work progresses.

Keep an Eye on Your Mailbox

We know not everyone is online, so we continue to deliver printed notices and information letters directly to impacted homes. Please watch your mailbox — and share this information with neighbours who may need it.

Questions? Email Us

Have a question or need support? Contact the project team at bsfmproject@calgary.ca.

Call us

Call 311 and ask to speak to a member of the project team.

Visit Us in Person

Stop by the Community Resource Centre for face-to-face support:

Location:

Bowness Community Association, 7904 43 Ave N.W.

Hours:

- Monday & Wednesday: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
- Tuesday & Thursday: 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Available supports include:

- Connecting residents to social and emotional support services
- Listening to concerns, answering project questions, and sharing community feedback with the project team
- Providing information about upcoming outreach, engagement opportunities, and special events.

[Calgary.ca/bearspawfeedermain](https://calgary.ca/bearspawfeedermain)

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