



Bearspaw South Feeder Main replacement construction

May 21, 2026

The City is expediting the construction of a replacement for the Bearspaw South Feeder Main due to the critical condition of the current pipe. The replacement project will add a parallel steel pipe to take over service from the current line and is expected to be completed in December 2026.

A full road closure for feeder main construction will begin May 25, 2026, on 29 Avenue N.W.

Closure details

- Both lanes and sidewalks on 29 Avenue N.W. will be closed on the west end as it turns onto 69 Street N.W.
- Traffic will be detoured from the south end of 69 Street N.W. onto 32 Avenue.

Construction details

As part of Stage A construction (trenchless construction to insert the new water main) crews will be digging a shaft beside 16 Avenue N.W. to complete cross connections for the water distribution network. The shaft will be smaller than the other shafts for Stage A construction (digging a tunnel underground using a microtunnel boring machine).

The shaft construction is expected to be finished by the end of July. After that, the shaft will remain above ground, but no active work will take place until the overall project is complete. The westbound lane on 29 Avenue is planned to reopen at the end of July. Once the project is completed, the area will be restored.

Construction impacts

The community should expect the following impacts:

- Crews will be working Monday–Saturday 6:30a.m.–9p.m, Sunday as required.
- Heavy equipment and other construction vehicles around construction sites.
- Traffic impacts and detours. Temporary street parking impacts.
- Fenced areas for equipment and supplies.
- Noise, dust and vibrations.
- There are no planned water, gas or electric outages, but temporary shutoffs may be required.

Business access remains open

- Business access remains open on 32 Avenue N.W.
- The entrance to Rona remains open on the east end of 29 Avenue via 68 Street N.W.
- For west-bound traffic on 16 Avenue N.W. the exit onto 29 Avenue N.W. remains open for accessing local businesses.



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Project information or questions

If you have construction questions, or want to discuss specific challenges, you can reach us in the following ways:

- **In person:** Visit the Bearspaw South Feeder Main Community Resource Centre (CRC) at the Bowness Community Association, 7904 43 Ave. N.W. The Centre is open:
 - Monday and Wednesday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
 - Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.
- **Construction Liaisons:** Two Construction Liaisons are assigned to this project to support people impacted by construction. They are also on-site at the CRC (Bowness Community Association) on Wednesdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

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- **Email:** Contact the team at BSFMproject@calgary.ca Share your needs or questions, and they will follow up directly.
- **Call 311** and ask to be contacted by a member of the project team.
- **Online:** Visit calgary.ca/BearspawFeederMain for up-to-date information about construction. Here you will find:
 - The Resident Contact Information Form and we encourage you to sign up to receive timely updates
 - All past construction notices
 - Links to past E-newsletters
 - Past information session recordings for viewing
 - Traffic impacts
 - Community links and resources related to construction in the area.



Scan the QR code to complete the resident contact information form.

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2026 Bears paw South Feeder Main Reinforcements Traffic Impact – 29 Avenue N.W. and 69 Street N.W. Closure

