

Inglewood/ Ramsay City Projects Update – October 2020

See below for important updates on projects in the Inglewood and Ramsay communities.

Inglewood Sanitary Trunk - Project Update

Work at 8 Avenue and 9 Street S.E. has been delayed and is now anticipated to be complete mid-November. The intersection will remain closed during this time. We apologize to residents living in the area and thank them for their patience while we complete work at this location.

For approximately two weeks, starting in mid-October, we will be connecting the new sanitary trunk to the Inner City Trunk. This requires us to remove a section of existing sanitary trunk. Residents in the area may notice a sewage odour but there are no associated health and safety concerns. We will attempt to minimize the impact by covering the opening to the trunk whenever crews are not working onsite. For more information, please visit calgary.ca/IST.

8 Avenue S.E. Corridor Improvements – Project Update

Construction work is progressing for this project. Crews have finished the following work:

- Installed a traffic calming curb extension and wheelchair ramps on the west side of 8 Street S.E.
- Installed traffic calming curb extensions and wheelchair ramps along the southeast and southwest corners of 11 Street S.E. and the southeast corner of 14 Street S.E.
- Installed a traffic circle (see photo below) and a traffic calming curb extension on 13 Street S.E. with new wheelchair ramps.
- Installed five speed humps along 8 Avenue S.E. from 8 Street to 14 Street S.E.

Next steps

We will be implementing permanent traffic signage in this area soon. However, the planned construction to install wheelchair ramps and traffic calming curb extensions at 9 Street S.E. cannot begin until the work at this intersection for the Inglewood sanitary trunk project is completed in mid-November. As result, this may delay the construction work we planned here until the 2021 construction season. We will keep you posted on whether this work can be finished this year. For more information, please visit calgary.ca/8aveSE.



Airport Vicinity Protection Area - Project Update

The City, working with the Calgary Airport Authority, brought forward proposed changes to the Noise Exposure Forecast (NEF) contour areas within the Calgary International Airport Vicinity Protection Area (AVPA) Regulation.

On Sept. 14, City Council approved a resolution to request that the proposed changes be considered by the Minister of Municipal Affairs. Links to the Council report and attachments can be found on calgary.ca/AVPA. No changes will be made to the AVPA Regulation or the NEF contours unless they are approved by the Province.

We proposed changes to the NEF contours because they have not been reviewed or updated since 1979, and aviation regulations and technologies have changed and advanced since then. The modernized NEF contour mapping was developed to reflect changes to aviation regulations and technologies. The proposed changes to the NEF contours will preserve the operations of the Calgary International Airport and enable land use potential in some communities.

A copy of the <u>proposed NEF contour map</u> and a <u>summary table</u> of NEF contours by ward, community and NEF contour can be found on <u>Calgary.ca/AVPA</u>.

Inglewood Bird Sanctuary Project Update

Are you looking for a great place to go on a walk in nature this fall? Well, The Inglewood Bird Sanctuary is open.

Enjoy this beautiful natural environment park yourself with walking trails and picnic tables. Keep your eyes peeled as this 36-hectare wildlife reserve is visited by more than 270 species of birds, 21 species of mammals, two amphibians and two reptiles.

Please remember, the Nature Centre, the building on site that houses the washrooms interpretive displays and drinking fountains, is closed and will not reopen until 2021.

For more information, please visit calgary.ca/IBS.



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