



Outfall Repair Program

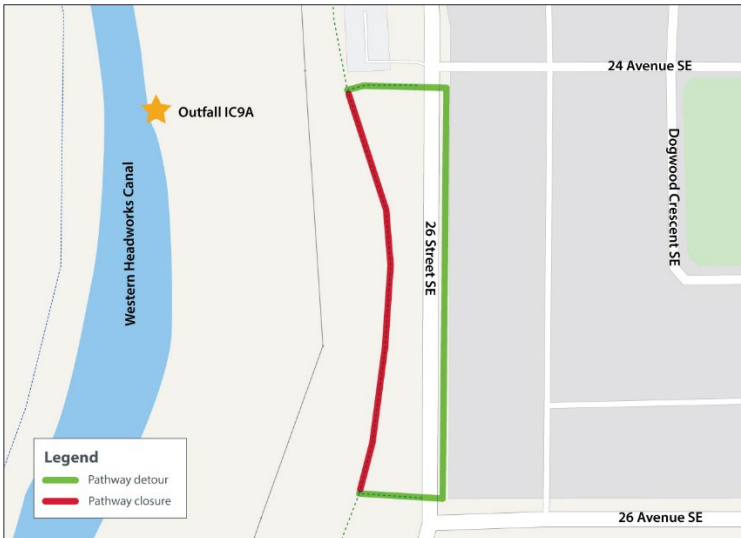
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Background

We would like to share information on an upcoming outfall repair project in your area. The IC9A outfall, located on the east bank of the Western Headworks Canal near the intersection of 26 Street S.E. and 24 Avenue S.E., will undergo repairs starting the week of October 17, 2022.

This work is beneficial because damaged outfalls can lead to storm drain backups during heavy rainfall events, resulting in impacts to both public and private property and the safety of citizens. A damaged outfall could also lead to erosion of our riverbanks and cause damage to infrastructure like pathways, sidewalks, roads, and private property, especially in the event of a flood.

IC9A Outfall Location



What is an Outfall?

Stormwater is rain or snow melt from our roofs, lawns and roadways that enters the storm drains on our streets and travels through an underground pipe system, eventually draining into our rivers. The site where the stormwater flows from the pipes and into the river is called an outfall.

Project Details

- The existing pipe sections at the outfall are damaged and have partially collapsed, resulting in seepage between pipe sections. This work will replace damaged pipe sections with new pipe, which will allow flows to enter the Western Headworks Canal, just east of the Bow River.
- The disturbed areas of the slope will be restored and sediment that has washed into the canal will be removed.

Construction Impacts

- Work is scheduled to begin the week of October 17 and will take 2-4 weeks to complete.
- Construction vehicles, equipment and a small lay-down area for supplies will be located near 26 Street S.E. and 24 Avenue S.E.
- Work will be done between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
- A pathway detour will be required. See the IC9A Outfall Location map for details. More information will be posted onsite once construction has begun.

For More Information

Visit calgary.ca/waterprojects for more information on water construction projects, upgrades and repairs that are underway in Calgary.