

New Street Lights in the “Fulton Place”

ATTENTION:Fulton Place Residents

As part of the 2010 City of Edmonton Neighbourhood Renewal program along with the rehabilitation of the roads and sidewalks, EPCOR Technologies Inc. will be replacing the existing streetlighting with new poles, foundations and underground streetlight cable.

New street lighting is designed to meet Transportation Association of Canada (T.A.C.) light levels for particular roadways while minimizing the capital, operating, and maintenance costs of the installation. Existing street lights will be maintained during all stages of construction.

Street light pole locations are initially designed to be at property lines and all locations are field checked prior to installation. Street light pole locations may be required to move away from property lines or the opposite side of the roadway for the following reasons:

Pole Spacing:

- It is important to maintain the design pole spacing. This will ensure that light levels will be more consistent for the entire road.

Tree canopy and root mass location:

- Disturbance too close to tree roots can cause damage on the buttress roots which supports the tree which may in turn cause the tree to fall over. Cutting this root may also kill the tree.
- Large overhead cuts at time of installation can cause Dutch Elm disease.
- Excessive overhead cuts create future maintenance issues and affect the light levels with tree growth.

Utilities:

- Water, gas, drainage, and electrical utilities, have clearance requirements that must be adhered to.

Driveways:

- Consideration is also given to reduce interference with Bus Stops, walkways, private driveways and back alley accesses.

Street light poles and bases are installed only on City property (road right of way), not private property.

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