



ACTIVE ENVIRONMENTS

Increase opportunities for physical activity in Edmonton's built environment.

GOAL E1

Advance accessibility for all Edmontonians to engage in physical activity in a range of inviting safe spaces, recreation and sport infrastructure, parks and green spaces, active transportation systems, work places, and more.

ACTIVE ENVIRONMENTS ACTION: E1.1

Improve access to Edmonton's active recreation and sport infrastructure.

Desired Outcome(s) Edmonton's recreation and sport facilities are equitably accessible by all Edmonton user groups.

Lead(s) C of E

Suggested Partner(s) School Jurisdictions, Post-Secondary, Active Recreation and Sport, ESC, Community Leagues, EFCL, YMCA.

Output(s)

- » A review of the C of E's recreation and sport facility allocation booking policies and procedures with consideration of Sport for Life and Long Term Athlete Development framework.
- » Expansion of the Joint Use Agreement – Facilities to include other partners (Joint Use 2.0).
- » Number of facilities providing space through the Joint Use Agreement.
- » Increase in bookable time offered and utilized.
- » Advancement in the development of active recreation and sport infrastructure, including that high performance sport.

Principle Alignment	Inclusion	Accessibility	Physical Activity has Social Benefit	Supporting Excellence	Collaboration and Innovation	Continued Connections
Time Frame	Short-term (2019 – 2021)		Priority Status		Quick-Win	
Probable Resources	Meeting support resources may be required.					
Opinion of Probable Cost	2019			2020 – 2023		
	2024 – 2028					

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ACTIVE ENVIRONMENTS ACTION: E1.2

Advance stakeholder and developer awareness of and compliance with the City of Edmonton's Age-Friendly Edmonton Access Design Guide (2017) and Complete Streets Standards and Construction (Pg. 8 design goals and principles).

Desired Outcome(s)

A cross sectoral understanding of the importance of universal design (the design of buildings, products or environments to make them accessible to all people, regardless of age, disability or other factors) to advance an active lifestyle at home, school or work, in the community, and at play is created, including:

- » Community design features that can promote being active to get to work or other places, such as connected streets, sidewalks, bike paths, good public transit, and a mix of residential, commercial, school, and employment areas are supported.
- » The development of green spaces, waterways, walking paths, trails and recreation facilities that promote recreational physical activity are encouraged.
- » Commercial building codes require stairways to be more accessible and visible.

Lead(s)

C of E (Urban Form and Planning)

Suggested Partner(s)

Business, School Jurisdictions, Post-Secondary, Community Leagues, Active Recreation and Sport, Health.

Output(s)

Accessibility measures for:

- » Assessment as to improvement in universal design. City of Edmonton's Accessibility Committee annual findings.
- » Distribution of an annual summary as to Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design – safer environments offer more opportunities for physical activity.

Principle Alignment	Inclusion	Accessibility	Physical Activity has Social Benefit	Supporting Excellence	Collaboration and Innovation	Continued Connections
Time Frame	Mid-term (2022 – 2024)		Priority Status	Determined Effort		
Probable Resources	No new resources are required.					
Opinion of Probable Cost	2019			2020 – 2023		
	2024 – 2028					

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ACTIVE ENVIRONMENTS ACTION: E1.3

Advance evidence based workplace wellness strategies by all employers, especially for sedentary positions, that promotes and provides incentives for physical activity.

Desired Outcome(s)	Edmontonians are more active at work.					
Lead(s)	C of E, ESC					
Suggested Partner(s)	Post-Secondary, Edmonton Chamber of Commerce, Business revitalization zones and associations, Alberta Blue Cross, AHS, Workers' Compensation Board, AB Schools Employee Benefit Plan.					
Output(s)	» Development of an audit tool. » The number of active workplace audits completed. » Number of employers offering a workplace wellness strategy. » The number of employees engaged in the same. » Employee program supports increase. » New employer program supports provided.					
Principle Alignment	Inclusion	Accessibility	Physical Activity has Social Benefit	Supporting Excellence	Collaboration and Innovation	Continued Connections
Time Frame	Mid-term (2022 – 2024)		Priority Status	Determined Effort		
Probable Resources	» Potential Increase to ESC base budget.					
Opinion of Probable Cost	2019			2020 – 2023		
	2024 – 2028					