Walk Edmonton

Walk Edmonton is an initiative bringing Edmontonians together to build a more walkable community by providing grass roots resources and building civic support. Check out our website for links to other walking resources, maps, walking groups and places to walk in Edmonton. edmonton.ca/walkedmonton

780-944-5339

Other Walking Resources

Alberta Centre for Active Living

centre4activeliving.ca 780-492-4863

Canada Walks canadawalks.ca

Live Active Strategy 2016 - 2026

Quality active recreation and sport opportunities for all makes Edmonton a desirable city in all four seasons in which to live, learn, work and, most importantly play.

This strategy provides a road map for supporting the active recreational and sporting needs of all Edmontonians. **edmonton.ca/liveactive**

UWALKUWALK.ca

Shape (Safe Healthy Active People Everywhere) shapeab.com

Get involved with Walk to School Week and Walking School Bus Programs

edmonton@shapeab.com

780-406-8530

Hodgson Wetlands



The Benefits of Walking

Walking... a healthy journey!

Ranked the number one activity of choice among Canadians, walking is a prescription for improved health and wellness. Walk briskly for 30 minutes a day, 5 days a week, and minimize your risk for cardiovascular disease, stroke, Type 2 diabetes and some types of cancer. Additional benefits include weight management, blood pressure control and boosting good cholesterol (HDLs).

Other benefits of walking:

- Releases the body's tension and stress.
- Refreshes the mind and body, especially when walking outdoors.
- Allows you to connect with your community.
- Offers an excellent way to socialize with family and/or friends.
- Increases "eyes on the street", enhancing community safety.



Shared Use Path on Utility Right-of-Way

Walking with your Dog 🍇

Edmonton has over 40 locations where you can enjoy your walk while your dog is off-leash. Please remember that all sites where dogs are permitted to be off-leash are multi-use areas used by all. Your dog must be leashed when not in a designated off-leash area. The dog icons shown on this map are placed in the approximate location of each off-leash area, but do not show the precise boundaries. For more information, including details on off-leash boundaries, check the Parks for Paws Brochure or go to edmonton.ca (keyword off-leash)

There are 1,440 minutes in a day, schedule 30 of them for walking!

The four parks offer space for outdoor recreation. The parks have benches, picnic tables, trails, soccer fields, ball diamonds, tobogganing hills and wide open spaces for kite flying or anything else one can think of. Our Community Leagues invite you to enjoy the outdoors in all seasons. Get out and get active!

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- Whitemud Ravine Nature Reserve, a developed section of the river valley with many natural trails
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 - · two wetland reserve nature areas

over Whitemud Creek

- a major east-west multi-use trail in the utility corridor traverses the or major east-west multi-use trail in the utility corridor traverses the and has pedestrian bridges over Terwillegar Drive and
 - one district park Terwillegar Heights
- Three city parks Robert Carter (2 segments), Hodgson, and Ogilvie Ridge
 - healthy, active living for all.

Local Contacts

Hodgson Community League hcl.communications22@gmail.com

Oak Hills Community League (Carter Crest & Leger) info@oakhillsonline.ca

Ogilvie Ridge Community League (Whitemud Creek Homeowners Association)

general@whitemudcreek.ca

TRAC (Terwillegar Riverbend Advisory Council)

780-439-9394 tracspirit.ca

Subscribe to Terwillegar Riverbend Alert System: alerts@TRACspirit.ca

Terwillegar Community Recreation Centre 2051 Leger Road 311

Edmonton Public Library Riverbend Branch460 Riverbend Square NW
780-944-5311

Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues efcl.org

Weather

780-468-4940 weather.gc.ca/canada

City Information 311

Information and referral to social, government, and health services.

Emergency Contacts

Police/Ambulance/Fire

Police Complaint Line 780-423-4567 Health Link 811



COMMUNITY WALKING MAP

Carter Crest, Hodgson, Leger, Ogilvie Ridge



About the Community Walking Maps

This Community Walking Map is part of a series of walking guides. Each map is created as a joint project of Walk Edmonton and local Community groups to promote walkable communities. Contact us to find out if your community has an edition of this map series or to find out more about creating a map.

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The walkways and roadways in these neighbourhoods provide easy access to the River Valley to the west and the Whitemud Ravine Nature Reserve to the east - both connect to the Trans Canada Trail https://thegreattrail.ca/explore-the-map/ Peripheral to the subject area on this map are Falconer Heights, Rhatigan Ridge, Bulyea Heights, Terwillegar Towne, Magrath Heights, Blue Quill and Westbrook Estates. Across the river, Cameron Heights and Wedgewood neighbourhoods can be accessed by foot via the pedestrian bridge under the Anthony Henday Drive River Crossing. Like pedestrian bridge under the Anthony Henday Drive River Crossing. Like other community leagues, Oak Hills, Hodgson and Ogilvie Ridge promote other community leagues, Oak Hills, Hodgson and Ogilvie Ridge promote

The name of Whitemud Creek was noted in 1858 by Dr. James Hector of the Palliser Expedition. The white-coloured mud found along the creek's banks, and in the immediate vicinity, was used to white-wash the Hudson's Bay Company buildings. While walking along the creek edge you may notice exposed areas of the ravine's underlying sandstone, clay, shale and numerous coal seams visible in the eroded ravine embankments.

The Walking Map area is bordered by Rabbit Hill Road on the north, Terwillegar Drive on the west, 23 avenue on the south and the Whitemud Ravine Nature Reserve on the east.

residents of Carter Crest and Leger. Hodgson and Ogilvie Ridge Community leagues, neighbours to the east, have worked collectively with Oak Hills to create this community map.

The Oak Hills Community League is a young community league made up of

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The Ogilvie Ridge neighbourhood is named after James H. Ogilvie (1893–1977), a politician, lawyer, and veteran of WWI. Ogilvie came to Edmonton from Nova Scotia in 1914 and enrolled at the University of Alberta. He was called to the bar in 1920 and served as a City Alderman between 1932

The Leger neighbourhood is named after Edmund H. Leger, (1916-1990) a long serving Edmonton politician. Edmund joined the Canadian Army during WWII and served in the Second Canadian Infantry and later in the Provost Corps. as a special investigator. He was first elected to City Council in 2959 and went on to serve as an alderman for 25 years.

The Hodgson neighbourhood is named after John Hodgson (1888-1969), an audit clerk, city comptroller and financial commissioner for the City of Edmonton for nearly 40 years. John Hodgson came to Edmonton from England in 1913, where he had worked as a chartered accountant.

Carter Crest is named after Robert I. Carter (1858-1931), a Canadian government agent who advised Americans on their immigration prospects to Canada. Carter was very active in Strathcona political affairs, serving on the council for rural residents, acting as the president of the Conservation Association of Strathcona, and was a member of the Masonic Order.

Carter Crest, Hodgson, Leger, Ogilvie Ridge







