Baturyn Focus Areas



- boundary
- Park/open space
- Existing breezeways
- Existing shared-use paths
- Sports field/court/rink
- Playground

- 1. Baturyn Park
- 2. Carrol and Henry Paszek Park
- 3. Harry Farmer Park

Placemaking

- 4. Seating areas
- 5. Future Corner Store Program site
- 6. Public realm improvements
- 7. Community-led fence murals
- 8. Community-led Castle Downs sign

9. Community-led utility box public art wraps (not on map)

Walking, Biking, Traffic Calming and Driving

- 10. Breezeway and pathway upgrades (# not on map)
 - Replace and enhance breezeways
 - ••• Widen existing pathways
 - New pathways
- ••• 11. Enhanced sidewalks
- 12. Crosswalk upgrades (# not on map)
- = 13. School drop-off upgrades

- ▲ 14. Wayfinding signage (# not
- 15. Pedestrian-friendly alleys
- 16. Bike routes and facilities
- 17. New sidewalks
 - 18. Redesign of roadway landscape features (173 and 171A Avenues)

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City of Edmonton ownership

Sports field/court/rink

Reposition or removal of sports field

Widen existing pathway

New pathway

New pathway option 1

New pathway option 2

✓ New community-led picnic shelter*

New seating area

Planned playground upgrade

Basketball court upgrade

New tree New fruit tree

* New planting bed

Note: Further review of potential pathways and seating areas on school lands is required

*Community-led project

Example image of a picnic shelter*



basketball court area



What we heard

- We heard that residents would like to feel safer while using the parks. They suggested additional lighting and trimming trees to keep sightlines open
- We also heard that residents would appreciate more amenities, such as gathering spaces, benches, bike racks, waste bins and picnic tables, that would encourage neighbourhood gatherings
- The basketball courts and playgrounds were also noted as needing upgrades

Benefits

- + Wider pathways make it easier for people who walk to move around the park and new planting beds would add greenery to the park
- + The realigned pathway behind Baturyn Elementary School would prevent conflicts between people walking and driving
- + Additional lighting would improve visibility for people walking and biking when it is dark and waste bins would help keep the area clean
- New seating areas would provide a place for people of all ages to gather and to rest
- New fruit trees would provide an additional amenity for the neighbourhood
- A new covered picnic shelter would provide an additional recreational amenity*

Tradeoffs

- Open park space would be lost to accommodate new or widened paths, plantings, gathering spaces, and other amenities
- Impacts to some existing sports fields and baseball diamonds for wider paths
- The community may be responsible for funding the community-led picnic shelter*

Pin Cherry (Prunus pennsylvanica)



Goodland Apple (Malus 'Goodland')



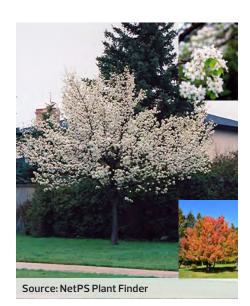
Source: NetPS Plant Finder

Evans Cherry (*Prunus cerasus* 'Evans')



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Ure Pear (*Pyrus* 'Ure')



Highbush Cranberry (*Viburnum* trilobum)



Borealis Honeyberry/Haskap (Lonicera caerulea 'Borealis')



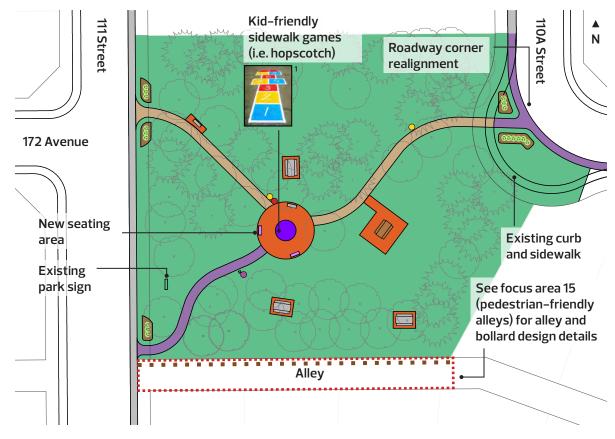
Regent Saskatoon (Amelanchier alnifolia)



Nanking Cherry (Prunus tomentosa)



Baturyn Focus Areas | Parks | 2. Carrol and Henry Paszek Park



Potential improvements

- New pathway/sidewalk
- Widen existing pathway
- New concrete pads for benches and picnic tables
- Kid-friendly sidewalk games (i.e. hopscotch)
- New planting bed
- Maintain existing trees

- Existing bench
- New bench
- Existing picnic table with replaced concrete pads
- New accessible picnic table
 - Additional lighting
 - Relocated existing lighting
 - Relocated existing waste bin

 Existing bollards

 (A bollard is a short post used to prevent vehicles from entering an area)

What we heard

- We heard that amenities such as picnic tables, waste bins, benches, lighting and gathering spaces would be welcome additions to the park space
- We heard that there is interest in additional outdoor recreational activities for all ages and abilities, at all times of the year

Benefits

- Wider pathways make it easier for people who walk to move around the park
- + A new diagonal pathway would enhance accessibility and connectivity within the park
- + Additional lighting would increase visibility for people walking when it is dark
- + Benches give people a place to rest and meet
- + A new seating area would provide a place for people of all ages to gather and to rest
- + Waste bins help keep the area clean
- New concrete pads for existing picnic tables and a new accessible picnic table would provide opportunities for recreation in the park
- New planting beds would add greenery and beauty to the park
- The realignment of 110A Street allows for more green space
- Kid-friendly sidewalk imprints/games provide additional outdoor recreational activities

Tradeoffs

- + Open park space would be lost to accommodate the picnic tables, gathering space, widened paths, new paths and other amenities
- The realignment of 110A Street may result in the loss of some on-street parking in front of the park

¹Source: Monochoohcnom, Flickr











What we heard

- + We heard that residents would like to see improvements and upgrades to the outdated parks with new amenities, better lighting, tree trimming for sightlines and additional gathering spaces
- We also heard that there would be interest in community-led projects such as a potential community garden* and fruit bearing plants
- + We heard there is a desire for missing sidewalk connections to be completed

Benefits

- + A potential community-led garden* and new fruit trees would provide additional amenities and gathering places for the neighbourhood
- + New pathways would enhance accessibility and connectivity within the park
- + Additional lighting would improve visibility for people walking when it is dark
- + Benches give people a place to rest and meet
- + A new seating area would provide a place for people of all ages to gather and to rest
- + Waste bins help keep the area clean
- + An opportunity for community-led public art* could enhance the beauty of the park and provide an opportunity to reflect the history of Harry Farmer

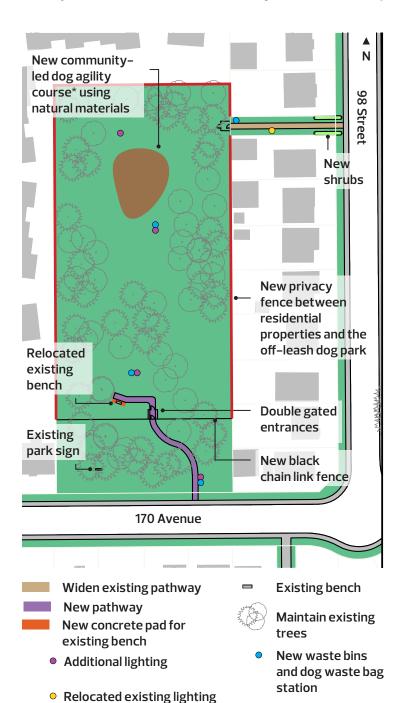
Tradeoffs

- + Enhancements to this park including new pathways, a seating area, a potential community-led garden* and new fruit trees would result in the loss of open green space which may have been used for informal gatherings and play area
- + A maintenance agreement would need to be looked at for the potential community-led garden boxes* and fruit trees cleanup
- + The community may be responsible for the maintenance of the potential community-led garden*

Example image of a community-led garden*



^{*}Community-led project



What we heard

+ We heard that an off-leash dog park would be a welcome addition to the neighbourhood

Benefits

- + A new off-leash dog park would provide an additional amenity for the community
- + New pathways would enhance accessibility and connectivity within the park
- + Additional lighting would improve visibility for people walking when it is dark
- + Waste bins help keep the area clean

Tradeoffs

- + Enhancements to this park including a new off-leash dog park would result in the loss of open green space which may have been used for gatherings and play area
- + The privacy fence would result in the loss of direct access and views for homes backing onto the park

Example image of a dog agility course* using natural materials



^{*}Community-led project



What we heard

- + The desire for a bike bumps course was not identified by the community
- + We heard that residents would like to see improvements and upgrades to the outdated parks with new amenities
- + We heard that there is a desire for missing sidewalk connections to be completed

Benefits

- + A new community-led bike bumps course* would provide an additional amenity for the community
- + A new pathway would enhance accessibility and connectivity within the park
- + Benches give people a place to rest and meet
- + Additional lighting would improve visibility for people walking when it is dark
- + Waste bins help keep the area clean

Tradeoffs

+ Enhancements to this park including a community-led bike bumps course* would result in the loss of open green space which may have been used for gatherings and play area

Example image of a bike bumps course*



*Community-led project