Eastwood and Elmwood Park Community Engagement Advisory Group (CEAG)

As mentioned in the What We Heard report (available online at edmonton.ca/BuildingEastwoodElmwoodPark) we have formed a Community Engagement Advisory Group (CEAG).

**What is a Community Engagement Advisory Group?**

Our mission is to develop a relationship with the residents and active members in the community, to learn how the residents of Eastwood and Elmwood Park live, and to respect what they value.

In order to ensure we are approaching our engagement with the neighbourhood in a way that is meets the needs and interests of the community, we formed a Community Engagement Advisory Group (CEAG) to help refine the City’s approach to engagement throughout the lifecycle of the project. Members of the CEAG were recruited to reflect the diverse makeup of the community to ensure the City uses strategies that reach the widespread community and ensures people feel heard and know their input is valued.

**What type of decisions will the Community Engagement Advisory Group be making?**

The CEAG will adjust and adapt the project’s public engagement plan and support initiatives for public engagement to reflect the unique needs, interests and readiness of the Eastwood and Elmwood Park communities.

Input opportunities for the CEAG will not extend to project design. Designs will be shared at public meetings where feedback and input can be gathered from the general public, which includes members of the CEAG in attendance. The feedback and input will be gathered based on the engagement initiatives outlined in the project’s Public Engagement Plan.

The CEAG is scheduled to meet seven times by September 2022.