

YOUR COUNCIL

GOVERNANCE, PRIORITIES AND FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

August 12 | 1 p.m.

Council Chambers, Third Floor
St. Albert Place, 5 St. Anne Street

Proposed Agenda:

- Community Services Advisory Committee Recommendation: Policy C-CS-03 Community Recognition Program
- C-EUS-01 Environmental Sustainability Policy
- Bylaw 24/2019 Municipal Public Utilities Bylaw
- Transportation Infrastructure Asset Management Update
- In Camera:
 - Land Matter

HERITAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

August 13 | 6 p.m.

Douglas Cardinal Room, Third Floor
St. Albert Place, 5 St. Anne Street

CANCELLED

SUBDIVISION AND DEVELOPMENT APPEAL BOARD MEETING

August 14 | 6 p.m.

Council Chambers, St. Albert Place
5 St. Anne Street

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

August 19 | 3 p.m.

Council Chambers, Third Floor
St. Albert Place, 5 St. Anne Street

Proposed Agenda:

- Bylaw 18/2019 Ray Gibbon Drive – Borrowing Bylaw (2nd & 3rd Reading)
- Bylaw 27/2019 Land Use Bylaw Amendment – Solar Arrays (1st Reading)
- Bylaw 21/2019 North St. Albert Trail Corridor Management Borrowing Bylaw Amendment (2nd & 3rd Reading)
- Bylaw 24/2019 Utility Services Bylaw (2nd & 3rd Reading)
- Council Motion:
 - C-CS-05 Capital Funding Alternative
- In Camera
 - Bill 7 Discussion
 - Council/Chief Administrative Officer Dialogue
 - Council Dialogue

GRANTS

BRING YOUR ENVIRONMENTAL IDEA TO LIFE!

Each year, up to \$5,000 is awarded to environmental projects in our community.

Do you have the next great environmental project idea? Join us for an information session on how to refine your idea, connect with project partners and learn more about the Environmental Initiatives Grant Program.

August 28 | 5 to 6:30 p.m.

CPS Boardroom, First Floor
St. Albert Place, 5 St. Anne Street

For questions on the grant information session contact:

Environment Branch
780-459-1735 | environment@stalbert.ca

Grant Application Deadline: **October 10** at 5 p.m.

GREEN BY NATURE

NEIGHBOURHOOD CLEAN UPS

We love a clean and green city! You can assist us with beautifying our city by helping clean up our parks and trails. Garbage bags and gloves provided to groups or individuals.

Details at stalbert.ca/spruceup or contact 780-459-1755 ext. 3030. Part of the Spruce Up St. Albert presented by TD initiative.

READY, SET, GO!

FALL FITNESS AND AQUATIC PROGRAMS

For swimming, for fitness, for fun – we're here for you! Let our staff help your family stay active this fall.

Register in all your favourite fitness and aquatics programs today at stalbert.ca/recprograms.

LAW & ORDER

TREES AND BRANCHES

Municipal Enforcement Services tip: Did you know that issues with trees and branches between neighbouring properties can only be enforced by Municipal Enforcement when they involve trees growing on City property?

For details, visit the City of St. Albert website at stalbert.ca and search **Bylaws**. Click on the **Community Standards Bylaw** and find **Section 5(2)(I)**.

GET MORE OF YOUR CITY

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WASTE COLLECTION

STYROFOAM RECYCLING

The City is piloting a Styrofoam recycling program at the Mike Mitchell Recycling Depot. Residents may now drop-off clean, white Styrofoam blocks from electronics, appliances, or furniture for recycling. No packing peanuts, coloured Styrofoam or soiled or dirty packaging. For more information, visit stalbert.ca/waste.

MIKE MITCHELL RECYCLING DEPOT – EXTENDED HOURS PILOT

The Mike Mitchell Recycling Depot will be piloting extended hours of operation for the summer months. Until **September 30**, the Recycling Depot will be open seven days a week, excluding statutory holidays.

Hours of Operation:

- **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday:** 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- **Thursday:** 12 to 8 p.m.
- **Saturday and Sunday:** 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

As part of the pilot, we will be requesting identification (e.g. driver's licence or St. Albert utility bill) for information gathering purposes.

For more information, visit stalbert.ca/waste.

CURBSIDE WASTE EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Curbside Waste Education Program Team is out in St. Albert neighbourhoods this summer doing quick checks on waste pick-up days.

By conducting curbside waste education, the Team hopes to:

- Encourage proper waste sorting by households
- Encourage proper waste set out of carts and bags at the curb
- Be available to answer questions from residents in their neighbourhoods on their pick-up days
- Gather information on common waste questions and issues to improve information provided to residents

The Team will be leaving behind door hangers and stickers with helpful tips for your household.

For more information, visit stalbert.ca/waste.

OOPS! WHAT GOES WHERE? BOTTLE CAPS, LIDS AND PUMPS

A 'handy' tip – you can recycle lids the size of your palm or larger. Anything smaller such as bottle caps and pumps should be placed in the Brown Garbage Cart. These items are too small and will fall between the equipment at the recycling facility. For more information, visit stalbert.ca/waste.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BYLAW 24/2019 MUNICIPAL PUBLIC UTILITIES BYLAW

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the City of St. Albert, in the Province of Alberta, has given first reading to the Municipal Public Utilities Bylaw 24/2019 which will, upon final passage and approval, prohibit any person or corporation from providing a utility service in St. Albert that is the same or similar to a utility service provided by the City or by a corporation controlled by the City, except under an agreement with the City.

Proposed Bylaw 24/2019 will be discussed further at the Governance, Priorities and Finance Committee meeting on **August 12, 2019**. Anyone wishing to make a verbal or written submission to the Committee on this Bylaw should contact Legislative Services at 780-459-1500 between the hours of **8:00 a.m.** and **5:00 p.m.** weekdays.

All persons interested are hereby notified. Copies of the proposed bylaw may be examined between the hours of **8:00 a.m.** and **5:00 p.m.** weekdays at the Legislative Services Office (3rd Floor) in City Hall, St. Albert.

DATED at the City of St. Albert, in the Province of Alberta, this **23rd** day of **July, 2019**.

DATES OF PUBLICATION: July 27, 2019, August 3, 2019, August 10, 2019

TAKE NOTE

FOUNTAIN PARK RECREATION CENTRE COMPETITION POOL CLOSURE

The Competition Pool will be closed to the public on **August 11** from **7 a.m. to 12 p.m.** for the St. Albert Triathlon. There will be no lane swim during this time. Grosvenor Outdoor Pool will open at **10 a.m.** on **August 11** for extra lane swimming. For more information, please visit fountainpark.ca.

POOL CLOSURE: FOUNTAIN PARK RECREATION CENTRE ANNUAL SPRUCE UP

We're sprucing up Fountain Park Recreation Centre to make it better for you! The entire facility will be closed from **August 24** to **September 8** and will reopen **September 9**.

Front Desk Hours:

- **August 24**
 - **1 to 6 p.m.**
- **August 25 to September 8** (except **August 27** and **September 2**):
 - **Monday to Friday: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.**
 - **Saturday and Sunday: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

On **August 27** and **September 2** (Labour Day) the front desk is closed. Please contact Servus Credit Union Place for registration and membership needs.

Skybox Café Hours:

- **September 3 to 6**
 - **9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

Please visit Grosvenor Outdoor Pool and Woodlands Water Play Park Presented by RE/MAX (until **September 2**) or the Landrex Water Play Centre at Servus Credit Union Place for all your aquatic needs during the closure. Fountain Park members will have free access to these facilities during the closure. For more information, visit fountainpark.ca.

CITY MANAGING INVASIVE PLANTS

Throughout the summer, City staff will be working on the Sturgeon River to monitor and manage Flowering Rush, an invasive aquatic plant.

Residents may notice staff digging plants from the banks of the Sturgeon River. Also, residents may notice piles of drying Flowering Rush along the river in various fenced locations. Please do not disturb these piles.

Invasive plants are non-native plants that spread easily, aggressively and may displace or alter native plant communities. Flowering Rush is designated as prohibited noxious in the Alberta Weed Control Act. Municipalities are required to control and destroy.

WATER CONSERVATION BYLAW

The Water Conservation Bylaw is now in effect. From **May 1** to **October 1**, municipal supplied water from a hose, pipe, sprinkler or permanent irrigation system is permitted between the hours of **7 p.m. to 9 a.m.**

There are exceptions:

- You can water at anytime if you use a watering can, hose with a nozzle or drip irrigation.
- Recreational use of sprinklers and water toys are permitted at any time.

For more exemptions and information, visit stalbert.ca and search **Water Conservation Bylaw**.

CITY HIGHLIGHTS

Visit stalbert.ca, then scroll down to the **City Highlights** section.

NOTICE

PREPARE YOUR HOME AND YARD FOR SEVERE SUMMER STORMS

There are simple steps you can take to prepare your home and yard against Mother Nature's worst, including:

- Cleaning eavestroughs
- Securing outdoor objects, and
- Angling downspouts away from your home towards your lawn.

Learn how to protect your home and property from flooding, high winds, even snow and ice.

Visit the City of St. Albert website at stalbert.ca/beprepared.

WHERE CAN I CONSUME CANNABIS?

Did you now that smoking, vaping or consuming cannabis is not allowed in any public place in St. Albert? However, medicinal cannabis users can smoke and vape in the same places tobacco is allowed.

For complete details on cannabis consumption, including where medicinal cannabis users can smoke and vape, visit stalbert.ca/cannabis and click on "Where Can I Consume".

MONTHLY UTILITY E-BILLING NOW IN EFFECT!

The City has moved to monthly paperless billing for all utility bills.

Received a paper bill? Register for e-billing today! Residents, with home Internet access, who continue to receive mailed paper utility bills will be charged a cost recovery fee of \$1.02 per bill. Residents, without home Internet access, can apply for the exemption program!

Utility bills will continue to be received by residents at approximately the same time each month. However, there will be a transition period from bi-monthly billing to monthly billing.

For details on the billing periods and to register for e-billing: visit stalbert.ca and search **Monthly Utility E-Billing**. For e-billing and exemption program questions, call 780-459-1520, ext. 3003.

KEEP YOUR DISTANCE!

For everyone's safety, please stay back from tree equipment. Staff may not hear inquiries over the sound of loud equipment and cutting elements can cause injuries. For inquiries about tree maintenance, please contact Public Works at 780-459-1557.

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

NEIGHBOURHOOD CONNECTIONS KITS

Looking for something family-friendly to do now that the nice weather has arrived?

Neighbourhood Connections Kits are now available to check out and borrow from the St. Albert Library.

There are four different kits to encourage you and your family to better connect with your neighbours while exploring St. Albert.

Drop by the St. Albert Public Library at 5 St. Anne Street and ask for a Neighbourhood Connections Kit to sign out.

For more information, visit stalbert.ca and search **Neighbourhood Connections Kit**.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

FREE EDMONTON AIRSHOW PARK & RIDE – AUGUST 17 & 18

Park at the Village Transit Stop on the bus for a convenient ride to the Edmonton Airshow. Buses depart every ½ hour starting at **9:45 a.m.** Full schedule available at stalbert.ca/airshow.

JAROME IGINLA ARENA NAMING CEREMONY

The City of St. Albert is renaming the Akinsdale Arena, the Jarome Iginla Arena.

Raised in St. Albert, Iginla's storied career spanned 1,554 games over 21 NHL seasons, 1,300 career points, a World Cup and two Olympic gold medals. We are so proud to honour this great player and Hometown Hockey Hero.

Join us for an afternoon of fun and celebration:

August 25 | 1 to 3 p.m.
66 Hebert Road

More information available on the City website at stalbert.ca and search **Jarome Iginla Arena**.

FLOURISH: GROWING TO 100K – PHOTO CONTEST

Submit your photo today!

The City of St. Albert is encouraging residents and business owners to get involved in the new Municipal Development Plan (MDP) by submitting their original photos of St. Albert.

A variety of the photos submitted may be featured in the new MDP document when it is finalized in 2020.

Submission Deadline: November 30

For photo inspiration and more details, visit stalbert.ca/MDP.

CALL FOR APPLICANTS

CALL TO ARTISTS

Red Willow Park West – Meadowview Artwork Consultation and Design

Art in Public Places, City of St. Albert
Invitation to Tender ITT19-0030

Budget: \$25,000

Deadline for Submissions: **2 p.m.** (MST),
August 15, 2019

The City of St. Albert (the "City") is requesting proposals from qualified and professional artists to provide consultation and design as an integral part and member of the project team for the Red Willow Park West – Meadowview Artwork Consultation and Design Project. The successful artist will be responsible for the consultation and artwork/s design for the preliminary and detailed design of Red Willow Park, Meadowview Area and/or the artwork/s design for inclusion of integrated or imbedded artwork in the park.

This integration will extend the project's value, including the ability to foster new connections and to exemplify creativity and innovation. The artwork will create engaging spaces for community activity and interaction.

For the complete Invitation to Tender please contact:

Crystal Goodfellow:

Phone: 780-459-1692

Email: cgoodfellow@stalbert.ca