



2019 Pavement and Concrete Improvement Programs Set to Begin

(July 15, 2019 – Ponoka, Alberta) – The Town of Ponoka’s annual Pavement and Concrete Improvement Programs for 2019 are set to begin. The programs are an essential component of the Town’s Asset Management Plan and a key part of the Town’s commitment to the ongoing maintenance and continued improvement of municipal roadways and infrastructure.

The annual programs identify and prioritize aging roadways, sidewalks, curbs and gutters in Ponoka that require improvement and replacement based on the condition and importance of each piece of infrastructure within the Town’s roadway system. The main objective of the programs is to provide users of Town roadways and infrastructure with improved service levels.

Pavement improvements planned for 2019 may result in temporary road or lane closures and traffic controls as needed at each location. The work planned at the following locations will include pavement replacement, asphalt patching or chip sealing, depending on the improvement identified at each location.

Pavement Improvement Program locations for 2019:

- 38 St. from 48 Ave. to Hwy 53 – 4,500 m²
- 54 Ave. extending east of 60 St. – 3,080 m²
- 44 St. extending north from 36 Ave. – 2,000 m²
- 58 Ave. extending west from 51 St. – 1,750 m²
- 52 Ave. extending east from 63 St. – 1,200 m²
- 60 Ave. extending east from Hwy 2A – 600 m²
- 4215 – 63 St. (in front of ATCO Gas) – 430 m²

Curb, gutter and sidewalk improvements will be conducted at the following locations in 2019:

- 5120 – 50 Ave.
- 5532 – 47 Ave.
- 4209 – 63 St.
- 5013 – 49 Ave.
- 5213 – 59 Ave.
- 5104 – 56 Ave.

Ponoka Town Council has approved a budgeted amount of \$450,000 for this year’s Pavement Improvement Program and \$97,000 for the 2019 Concrete Improvement Program. The paving contract was awarded to



Border Paving Ltd. and the concrete contract was awarded to Proform Concrete Services. Both contracts followed a competitive public procurement process earlier this summer.

Please Drive with Caution in Construction Zones

Motorists are asked to drive with caution and observe road signs and traffic safety personnel in construction zones. To report a roadway or sidewalk that may be in need of repair, please phone 403-783-0159.

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