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## **Splash Park Improvements Will Increase Service Levels and User Experience**

(May 29, 2019 – Ponoka, Alberta) – Underground improvements are set to begin on Monday, June 3 at the Ponoka Splash Park located in Lion’s Centennial Park. The scheduled improvements were approved by Ponoka Town Council in the Town’s 2019 Capital Budget and are intended to significantly increase system reliability, service levels and user experience at the facility this summer.

The planned improvements include a new underground water service and mechanical upgrades as well as new nozzle jets for the play features at the Splash Park. The improvements will eliminate the need for daily maintenance interruptions at the facility resulting in increased hours of operation and minimal downtime.

Town contractors will work to complete the Splash Park improvements as quickly as possible so that facility users can once again enjoy the Splash Park throughout the summer. Initial onsite work began on Monday, May 27. Construction crews will mobilize onsite on Sunday, June 2 with construction commencing the next day on June 3. The upgrades are anticipated to be completed within about two weeks of the construction start date, depending on weather conditions.

The Town thanks Splash Park users for their patience and understanding while the planned upgrades are being completed so that citizens can fully enjoy this facility throughout the coming summer months.

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