



November 23, 2020

Calgary Metropolitan Region Board (CMRB)

Attention: Liisa Tipman

M.O. No: MSL: 091/18

Please find enclosed an application to the CMRB for review of the proposed amended Municipal Development Plan (MDP) and Calgary Transportation Plan (CTP). The City of Calgary requests the CMRB's approval of the proposed revisions to further advance the goals and objectives of The City and the region.

On November 2, 2020, Council held a public hearing and gave first reading to Bylaw 49P2020, which amends the MDP and CTP. The proposed revisions to the plans were limited to housekeeping items that help achieve the plan's goals. Overall, the proposed revisions incorporate new strategies approved by Council, technical updates, and community and stakeholder feedback and ideas.

Some of the key updates that the MDP and CTP both contain are proposed changes to incorporate our corporate infrastructure investment approach, include and address climate change mitigation and adaptation, and changes of Provincially mandated growth boards. Key MDP changes include updating the growth and change framework, greening the city section, a new section on equity and strengthened language around creating great communities. Key CTP changes include a new goal that all vehicles in Calgary need to be zero-emissions by 2050, a new section on future technologies and adding the 5A walking and wheeling network to the plans. Both plans incorporate policies to complement The City's Climate Resilience Strategy. Additionally, the revisions include the incorporation of the CTP as Volume 3 within the MDP, so that it becomes a statutory document.

The MDP and CTP, guided by imagineCalgary, set the long-term vision for Calgary's built form and transportation system. This vision helps shape supporting strategies and implementation to achieve The City of Calgary's aspirations. Without updated long-term plans, decisions around city building may be ad-hoc, reactive or only weakly contributing to the long-term vision.

If you have any questions for clarification regarding the proposed revisions to the MDP and CTP, please contact me at Jeffry.Haggett@calgary.ca or 403-268-8102. Alternately, you can contact Chris Blaschuk, Manager of Transportation Strategy, at Chris.Blaschuk@calgary.ca or 403-268-8228.

Thank you for your review,



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Attachments:

- IREF Evaluation Criteria Alignment Summary Report
- Council Report – 8.2.1 Review and Update MDP and CTP PUD2020-1106
 - Attachments
 - 1. Project Council Direction Summary
 - 2. Next Generation Planning System Overview
 - 3. Proposed Bylaw 49P2020 (with reformatted MDP and CTP)
 - 4. Summary of Implementation Activities
 - 5. Project Engagement Summary
 - 6. Stakeholder Submissions
 - 7. Summary of Social, Environmental and Economic Implications
 - 8. Risk Summary
 - 9. Summary of Proposed Revisions
 - 10. Public Submissions
 - 11. Additional Public Submissions
- Minutes 8.2.1 - Combined Meeting of Council - November 02, 2020
- 2020 MDP 2020 red line document
- 2020 CTP 2020 red line document
- Regional Transportation Infrastructure Map
- Regional Transmission Infrastructure Map
- Urban Structure Map GIS Layers