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City Council increases Opportunities to attract industrial investments

Further to ongoing collaborative work with Sturgeon County and Fort Saskatchewan, City Council has moved ahead to support major eco-industrial land-use opportunities in the Edmonton Energy and Technology Park.

The Edmonton Energy and Technology Park (EETP) represents exciting potential for industrial development in the region. It helps the City realize its goal of diversifying Edmonton's economy and better positions Edmonton and the region in the role of internationally renowned powerhouse of industry.

"Edmonton is pleased to offer high quality industrial investment opportunities as a member of the Alberta Industrial Heartland Association," said Mayor Don Neson. "Our collaborative work with our regional partners on the Edmonton

Energy and Technology Park Area Structure Plan amendments and the 66 Street boundary adjustment contribute to the collective attractiveness and global competitiveness of the entire region."

Strategically located in Canada's largest hydrocarbon processing area, the EETP is Edmonton's next premier industrial park. Building on the region's economic momentum and proximity to and connection with Alberta's world-class energy sector, the EETP will create a major job hub, attract talent, encourage people to live and work in the area, and promote growth in northeast Edmonton.

"The City has a strong history and experience supporting industrial development and working closely with developers to facilitate unique infrastructure solutions," said Gary Klassen, General Manager of the City's Sustainable Development department. "The value of the soon-to-be-completed Anthony Henday Drive and a strong local economy has increased investor interest in the EETP."

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