

Public Service Announcement

June 15, 2015

City of Edmonton

Plan ahead for procession and funeral to honour fallen officer

The Edmonton Police Service will honour the service and sacrifice of Constable Daniel Woodall, who was recently killed in the line of duty, with a regimental funeral and celebration of his life.

There will be major traffic disruptions and parking restrictions downtown on June 17, starting at 2 a.m. and lasting all day. The City of Edmonton recommends that citizens avoid the downtown area if possible, take public transit and allow for extra travel time.

These are several options to help you get downtown:

- Northlands will provide free parking from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. on June 17, 2015. The Northlands parking lot provides direct access to the LRT.
- LRT has been increased to peak service, and trains will run every 5 minutes.

Road Closures

The procession route, including 107 Street, Jasper Ave, and Grierson Hill, will be closed beginning late Tuesday evening and early on Wednesday morning. Cross traffic, east-west on 100 Avenue, and north-south 99 to 106 Streets will remain open until 8:30 a.m.

- 107 Street, between 96 Ave and Jasper Ave, will close Tuesday, June 16 at 11:30 p.m.
- Jasper Ave, between 95 Street and 108 Street, will close Wednesday, June 17 at 2 a.m.
- Grierson Hill will close Wednesday, June 17 at 8:30 a.m.

Roads will reopen at approximately 11:30 a.m., starting on the west side of the procession route, with these two exceptions:

- Jasper Ave, 95 to 99 Street will remain closed until approximately 1:30 p.m.
- Grierson Hill will remain closed until approximately 3:30 p.m.

Additional road closures will be in effect close to the Shaw Conference Centre. See edmonton.ca/EPSTMemorial for full details.

Parking Restrictions

Starting on Tuesday, June 15, at 6 p.m., signs and hooded meters will be in place along the procession route and in the surrounding area.

ETS Detours

All regular transit will be detoured from Jasper Ave to 102 Ave. See [ETS Trip Planner Detours & Closures](#) for details.

There are two main ways the public are invited to support these events.

Public Funeral Procession

Wednesday, June 17, 2015, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Alberta Legislature Building to Shaw Conference Centre

Members of the public have the opportunity to pay their respects along the funeral procession route along 107 Street and Jasper Ave to 95 Street. For the safety of everyone, please stay on the sidewalks along the route. Grierson Hill will be closed to the public.

Regimental Funeral and Celebration of Life

Wednesday, June 17, 2015, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Shaw Conference Centre, 9797 Jasper Ave

Space is very limited and thousands of members are expected to fill up the Shaw Conference Centre for the service, so public are requested to leave spaces in this venue for them.

Public Viewing Areas

Public are invited to view the live broadcast starting at 11:30 a.m. on large screens at:

- Alberta Legislature, north of the fountains, close to the Federal Building
- Centennial Plaza, behind the Stanley Miner Library
- Jasper Ave & 97 Street, in front of Shaw Conference Centre
- City Hall

There is limited seating at each location.

Public are encouraged to wear blue clothing and blue ribbons on the day of the funeral. The EPS wives association will be decorating the procession route in blue ribbons.

The City of Edmonton and Edmonton Police Service thank the public for their support and patience.

For more information:

edmonton.ca/EPSTMemorial
edmontonpolice.ca/condolences

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