

City dedicates park to Constable Daniel Woodall

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The City of Edmonton honoured Constable Daniel Woodall today by naming a park after the fallen police officer. Constable Woodall was killed in the line of duty one year ago on June 8, 2015.

Daniel Woodall Park is located at <u>7304 South Terwillegar Drive</u>. Family and colleagues attended a dedication ceremony recognizing Constable Woodall's service and sacrifice to Edmontonians. He was 35 years old and served with the Edmonton Police Service for eight years.



"Constable Dan Woodall Park will provide a place where all Edmontonians, the citizens Dan gave his life to protect, can come to enjoy time with their families and friends," says EPS Chief Rod Knecht. "It is a fitting legacy for a man who was as passionately committed to his family as he was to his distinguished, but far too brief, career with the Edmonton Police Service."

The park includes a new soccer pitch, in recognition of Constable Woodall's love of soccer. It also features an Autumn Blaze Maple Tree planted with compost created from the flowers given to police after Constable Woodall's death.

"The City is humbled to be able to dedicate this park to a man that gave his life to protect his his fellow remember the bravery, the commitment and the sacrifice of Constable Woodall ."

When complete, the park will be home to walking paths, a baseball diamond, toboggan hill, and a children's playground.

The naming of the park was approved last fall by the City's Naming Committee.

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