

## Spring street sweeping underway

April 12, 2017

Annual spring sweeping is underway on Edmonton's streets. Crews have been working on sidewalks, boulevards and major roads, and will be making their way into residential areas beginning on April 18, weather permitting.

When street sweepers are in your neighbourhood, please move vehicles off the street to help sweeping crews do a thorough job. Watch for signs in your neighbourhood, or check the neighbourhood sweeping schedule at edmonton.ca/streetsweeping. The schedule will be posted on April 18 and updated regularly throughout the spring sweeping campaign.

Before equipment arrives in your area, please sweep street sand and debris from sidewalks and boulevards onto the road, where it will be removed by street sweepers.

There will be lane reductions on major arterials including Yellowhead Trail, Whitemud Drive, Gateway Boulevard, and closures on routes through the river valley. The following major roads are scheduled to be closed at the times indicated:

- Groat Road will be totally closed from 111 Avenue to River Valley Road, from 9 p.m. on Wednesday, April 26 to 6 a.m. on Thursday, April 27.
- River Valley Road will be totally closed from Groat Road to 105 Street, on Sunday, April 23 from 4:30

   a.m. to 10 a.m. Access to Victoria Golf Course will be maintained via Groat Bridge.

Barricades and city vehicles will be in place, and law enforcement will be present in higher-risk locations to help remind drivers to slow down and give our equipment space. You can check our progress using the street sweeping map at <u>edmonton.ca/streetsweeping</u>.

Street sweeping is expected to end by June 1, weather permitting.

For more information:

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